

**Alberta Conservation Association  
2017/18 Project Summary Report**

**Project Name:** Final Report Series

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**Partnerships:** N/A

**Key Findings**

- Published:
  - One Wildlife report (*Assessment of the Alberta Moose Hunter Survey App, 2012 to 2016*)
  - Eight Fisheries reports (*Angler Survey on the Sheep and Highwood Rivers, 2017; Kakwa River Watershed, Arctic Grayling Assessment 2016 – 2017; North Saskatchewan River Drainage, Fish Sustainability Index Data Gaps Project, 2017; Owl River Riparian Restoration and Enhancement Project: Monitoring Report II; Abundance, Distribution, Spawning, and Thermal Habitat of Westslope Cutthroat Trout and Bull Trout in the Stimson Creek Watershed; Summer Sport Fishery Angler Survey at Gull and Snipe Lakes, Alberta, 2017; Field Performance of Two Commercial Strains of Rainbow Trout (*Oncorhynchus mykiss*) in Four Small Put-and-Take Alberta Fisheries; Winter Dissolved Oxygen Conditions of the Whitemud River and Willow Creek Watersheds, Alberta, 2016 - 2017*)
- Reports in progress for 2018/19:

- Four Wildlife reports
- Five Fisheries reports

## **Introduction**

Our Fisheries and Wildlife Resource Programs are responsible for submitting reports every year on the projects they have been working on to describe the findings of the work. Communications is responsible for editing, proofing, and formatting these reports and making sure they are available to the public and our stakeholders and partners through our website and the Alberta Government Library.

## **Methods**

We edited, proofed, and formatted reports from our resource programs. We then posted them on our website and submitted digital copies to the Alberta Government Library.

## **Results**

Nine reports from 2017/18 were posted on our website and have been sent to the Alberta Government Library. Nine reports are being completed and will be posted when they are done.

## **Conclusions**

Once published, our project reports inform the public and our stakeholders about the results of our fish, wildlife, and habitat studies; recognize the efforts of our staff and the support of our contributing partners; and increase the public's recognition of ACA as a valuable conservation organization in Alberta.

## **Communications**

- Posted reports on our website as they were completed.

- Sent digital copies of the reports to the Alberta Government Library.