



Agenda **About wolf seriously unseriously**

moderated discussion of all those who are directly and indirectly affected by the occurrence and spread of wolves in the South Bohemian Region and beyond, with the participation of the public

25. April from 13.00 to 16.00 hours, in Culture House of Zbytiny

The meeting is moderated by Josef Furiš, mayor of Zbytín and Robert Zeman, a representative of Prachatic and alternate member of the European Committee of Regions

Interpretation from/to German is provided for participants from Bavaria

Invited participants in the moderated discussion:

Martin Kuba, governor of the South Bohemian Region

František Talíř, deputy governor of the South Bohemian Region and employee of the regional office
Dagmar Škodová Parmová, Mayor of České Budějovice, member of the European Committee of Regions

Tomáš Jirsa, senator

Hana Šťastná, director of the Regional Agrarian Chamber of the South Bohemian Region

Pavel Hubený, director of NP Šumava, as well as two employees of NPŠ Administration

Tobias Gotthard, State Secretary of the Ministry of Agriculture of Bavaria, member of the European Committee of the Regions, followed by two farmers

Jana Fuglíková, head of species protection, MoE

František Šimek, owner of ZEFA Volary, Agrokombinát Šumava

František Hodina, farmer

Zdeněk Karabec, breeder, injured

Jan Beran, farmer, injured

13:00-13:20

Welcoming guests, information about the course of the meeting

Presentation of the European Committee of the Regions and the issue of the coexistence of large carnivores in Europe from the perspective of the members of the CoR.

13:20 -16:00

13:20-13:50 When, where and why did wolves reappear in Šumava? Moderated by Josef Furiš

14:00-14:20 Are technical solutions for protection against wolf attacks sufficient and long-term functional? Moderated by Josef Furiš

Akce je konána s podporou Výboru regionů a jeho frakce Evropských konzervativců a reformistů

14:30- 15:10 How, what damage do wolves cause to farmers? How does the compensation process work? Is the existing legislation and administration related to dealing with animal attacks sufficient and functional? Can we quickly find some process improvements? Moderated by Robert Zeman

Is it important to reduce the international legal protection of wolves and bears, thus enabling an easier possible reduction of the status of large carnivores, so that local solutions for coexistence with them are effective in the long term? Moderated by Robert Zeman

15:20-15:40 Does the general public have a legitimate fear of wolves? Moderated by Josef Furiš

15:40-16:00 Questions from the public. Moderated by Josef Furiš

16:00 Conclusions, free discussion, interviews for the media, and refreshments