

# **RECENT AND CURRENT SURVEY RESEARCH PROJECTS CONDUCTED BY RESPONSIVE MANAGEMENT**

## **Agency / Organization Constituent Studies and Surveys**

- ✓ Attitudes of the General Public, Stakeholders, and Employees Regarding the Strategic Direction of the Delaware Division of Fish and Wildlife
- ✓ Arkansas Residents' and Commission Employees' Attitudes Toward the Strategic Direction of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission
- ✓ Mississippi Residents' Awareness of and Opinions on the Mississippi Department of Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks (in partnership with Mississippi State University)
- ✓ Arkansas Residents' Opinions on and Participation in Outdoor Recreation and Their Perceptions of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission
- ✓ Arizona Residents' Opinions on the Arizona Game and Fish Department and Outdoor Recreation in Arizona

## **Funding / Economics**

- ✓ The Impact of Changes in Fishing License Structure and Fees on Fishing Participation and License Sales in Maryland
- ✓ The Economic Impact of Mountain Trout Fishing in North Carolina
- ✓ An Action Plan for Restructuring North Carolina's Licensing System (in partnership with North Carolina State University)
- ✓ Vermont Residents' Opinions on and Attitudes Toward Funding and Game Species Management

## **Coastal Resources**

- ✓ A Programmatic Evaluation of the Marine Mammal Health and Stranding Response Program Network
- ✓ Delaware Residents' Knowledge of and Opinions on Climate Change and Sea Level Rise and Their Impact in Delaware
- ✓ Florida Manatee Education and Outreach Assessment
- ✓ Nationwide Survey of Public Opinion on the Management of Ocean Resources
- ✓ Monterey Bay Area Residents' Opinions on the Management of the Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary

- ✓ Marine Anglers' Opinions on and Attitudes Toward Recreational Fisheries Management
- ✓ Washington Crab Summer Harvest Survey (Fall 2009)
- ✓ Washington Crab Winter Harvest Survey (Winter 2010)
- ✓ Opinions on Dungeness Crab Fishing Regulations Among Dungeness Crab Anglers

## **Wildlife and Natural Resources**

- ✓ Anchorage Residents' Opinions on Bear and Moose Population Levels and Management Strategies
- ✓ Pennsylvania Residents' Opinions on and Attitudes Toward Black Bears
- ✓ Virginia Residents' Attitudes Toward Bears and Bear Management Issues
- ✓ African Community Members' Opinions on the Commercial Trade and Consumption of Bushmeat
- ✓ The Impact of Various Images and Media Portrayals on Public Knowledge of and Attitudes Toward Chimpanzees
- ✓ West Virginia Residents' Opinions on Black Bears and Black Bear Hunting
- ✓ West Virginia Residents' Attitudes Toward Wildlife
- ✓ West Virginia Residents' Consumption of Freshwater Fish
- ✓ Washington State Residents' Knowledge of and Attitudes Toward Cougars
- ✓ Attitudes Toward Grizzly Bears in the Cabinet-Yaak Recovery Zone

## **Hunting, Shooting, and Fishing**

- ✓ The Sportsman's Voice: Hunting and Fishing in America (book in press)
- ✓ An Assessment of the Full Range of Recruitment and Retention Programs and Their Effectiveness in Increasing Participation in Hunting, Fishing, and Sport Shooting
- ✓ Hunters' and Anglers' Opinions on Roadless Areas in Colorado
- ✓ Sportsmen's Opinions on Oil and Gas Extraction Activities in the Rocky Mountain West
- ✓ Hunting and Fishing License Duplication Study for the Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources

## **Hunting**

- ✓ Virginia Lapsed Hunters' License Purchasing Behaviors and Their Opinions on Messages Encouraging Them to Purchase Hunting Licenses
- ✓ Issues Related to Hunting Access in the United States (including national, state, and final reports)
- ✓ Arkansas Waterfowl Hunters' Participation in and Opinions on Waterfowl Hunting and Conservation Activities
- ✓ Assessing Experienced Hunters' Attitudes Toward Mentoring and Their Opinions on and Interest in a Mentored Hunt Program in Arizona
- ✓ Survey of Hunters Regarding Hunting and Wildlife Management in Kentucky
- ✓ The Future of Hunting and the Shooting Sports: Research-Based Recruitment and Retention Strategies
- ✓ Factors Related to Hunter Recruitment and Retention in North Dakota
- ✓ Youth Participation in Hunting in North Dakota
- ✓ California Residents' Participation in and Attitudes Toward Hunting and Wildlife Management Issues
- ✓ Wyoming Hunters' Attitudes Toward the Preference Point System
- ✓ West Virginia Deer Hunting Participation and Harvest Study
- ✓ Georgia Wildlife Harvest Survey
- ✓ Georgia Small Game Harvest Survey
- ✓ Georgia Big Game Harvest Survey
- ✓ Georgia Spring Turkey Harvest Survey
- ✓ Nonresponse Study of South Carolina Turkey Hunters
- ✓ Increasing South Carolina's Hunting License Sales: An Examination of a Media Campaign Encouraging Lapsed Hunters to Obtain Hunting Licenses
- ✓ Virginia Lapsed Hunter Focus Groups
- ✓ Increasing Hunting Participation by Investigating Factors Related to Hunting License Sales Increases Against Hunting License Sale Declines Between 1990-2005

- ✓ Attitudes Toward and Participation in Youth Hunting Weekends in Vermont
- ✓ Survey Regarding Recreation in the Peabody Wildlife Management Area in Kentucky
- ✓ Hunters' Use of the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources' Telecheck System
- ✓ Washington State Hunters' Opinions on Deer and Elk Hunting Regulations, Deer and Elk Management, and Non-Lead Shot Regulations
- ✓ Hunters' Opinions on Wildlife Management and Other Hunting Issues in Washington
- ✓ Public Opinion on Hunting and Wildlife Management in Washington

### **Shooting and Archery**

- ✓ Sport Shooting Participation in the United States in 2009
- ✓ Sport Shooters' and Archers' Attitudes Toward Shooting and Appropriate Behavior on Public Lands and the Messages to Which They Will Respond
- ✓ Northern Arizona Hunters' and Shooters' Attitudes Toward a Shooting Range in Northern Arizona
- ✓ An Assessment and Evaluation of the National Archery in the Schools Program

### **Fishing**

- ✓ Identifying Sportfishing's Competition to Improve Angler Recruitment and Retention
- ✓ A Comprehensive Study of Factors Related to Angler Access in the United States
- ✓ Increasing Freshwater Fishing Participation and Fishing License Sales in Washington State: A Marketing Plan for the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife
- ✓ Attitude, Preference, and Use Survey of New Jersey Freshwater Anglers
- ✓ Washington Freshwater Angler Survey
- ✓ Pennsylvania Trout Fishing Survey
- ✓ Oregon Licensed Angler Survey
- ✓ North Carolina Anglers' Participation in and Satisfaction With Trout Fishing and Opinions on Trout Regulations

- ✓ Anglers' Attitudes Toward and Opinions on a Monofilament Fishing Line Recycling Program
- ✓ California Residents' Attitudes Toward Coastal Commercial Fisheries
- ✓ South Carolina Saltwater Anglers' Participation in and Opinions on Saltwater Fisheries Management
- ✓ Washington State Sport Fishers Dedicated Funds Survey
- ✓ Iowa Angler Survey

### **Boating**

- ✓ "Wear It California!" and "Wear It Tennessee!" Life Jacket Campaign Assessments
- ✓ Comprehensive Review of Boating Education Programs Nationwide With Recommendations for Improvements
- ✓ Analysis of Factors Associated with Boating Fatalities in the United States
- ✓ An Assessment of the Needs of Recreational Boaters in Washington State
- ✓ Delaware Boaters' Participation in and Attitudes Toward Boating, Boating Activities, and Boater Safety Education
- ✓ Lake Tahoe Boater Survey
- ✓ Survey of Boaters Regarding Boating and Fishing in the Midwest
- ✓ Factors Associated with Canoe and Kayak Fatalities

### **Land Management**

- ✓ North Carolina Landowners' Opinions on and Attitudes Toward Deer Management
- ✓ Sportsmen's Knowledge of, Opinions on, and Attitudes Toward Energy Development on Public Lands
- ✓ Landowners' Opinions on the Pennsylvania Public Access Program
- ✓ Wyoming Range Hunters' Attitudes Toward Mule Deer Management in the Wyoming Range
- ✓ Landowners' Opinions on, Attitudes Toward, and Satisfaction With a Cooperative Forest Management Program

### **Outreach / Education / Communications / Marketing**

- ✓ Measuring the Impact of a Science Center on Its Community (in partnership with Oregon State University)

- ✓ Georgia Residents' Participation in and Opinions on Recycling
- ✓ Georgia Residents' Opinions on Litter and Anti-Littering Programs in Georgia
- ✓ Local Litter Attitude Survey Development Guide for Keep America Beautiful
- ✓ An Inventory and Needs Assessment for Green Infrastructure and Biodiversity Education Programs in Delaware
- ✓ Fish and Wildlife Law Enforcement's Motorized Vehicle Purchasing Practices, Considerations, and Motivations
- ✓ Assessing the Training Needs of the Arizona Game and Fish Department
- ✓ Survey of Hunters About Their Use of Optics Equipment

### **Park Users**

- ✓ Evergreen Park and Recreation District (Colorado): Community Survey on Outdoor Recreation Opportunities, Programs, and Services
- ✓ Washington State Residents' Attitudes Toward and Use of State Parks
- ✓ Washington State Parks Users Survey
- ✓ Public Perception of and Value Regarding the Parks and Recreation Profession in Missouri

### **Outdoor Recreation**

- ✓ New Hampshire Residents' Opinions on and Participation in Outdoor Recreation
- ✓ A Study of Ohio River Contact Recreational Use, Characteristics of Contact Recreational Use, and Site-Specific Fish Consumption Rates
- ✓ A Recreation Study for the Truckee Meadows Region Along the Truckee River in Northwest Nevada
- ✓ Outdoor Recreation in Michigan
- ✓ Outdoor Recreation in Delaware: Survey and Report for the State Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP)
- ✓ Orange County (California) Residents' Participation in Outdoor Recreation and Their Recreational Needs
- ✓ Attitudes Toward and Opinions on Converting Railways to Recreational Trails in Concord, Massachusetts

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