

Native Prairie Speaker Series

Title: Waterton Lakes National Park: return of the northern leopard frog

Speaker: Kimberly Pearson, Ecosystem Scientist, Conservation and Restoration Project Manager, Waterton Lakes National Park

Presentation Summary:

Waterton Lakes National Park has been working with partners to restore self-sustaining populations of northern leopard frogs. This species at risk plays important roles in the ecosystem, but had not been recorded in the park since 1980. Hear about the successes of this restoration effort to date and the 2017 Kenow Wildfire's impacts on the frogs.

Biography:

Kimberly Pearson is an Ecosystem Scientist, Conservation and Restoration Project Manager with Parks Canada in Waterton Lakes National Park. She has worked on various amphibian and other conservation efforts in the Waterton Region over the past twenty years.

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