Lasting Impressions

Goal: To re-emphasize that the purpose of the workshop is to give the participants a broader understanding of hunters and hunting, which will help them be better managers of wildlife and other natural resources. To provide an overview or summary of the workshop. Address any essential elements or "drift away" from the CLfT objectives. Provide the participants with take home messages.

Why This Is Important for a Natural Resource Professional

The participants need to recognize that what they have experienced during the workshop, however enjoyable or disagreeable, are aspects of dealing with the hunting community and the issues, passions, and perspectives that hunters have. As resource managers they will deal with a truly diverse public. It is in their best interest and that of resource management to understand the bases—intellectual, visceral, emotional, etc.— of the hunting community when making determinations that will affect not only that constituency, but also the resources in question.