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SUBJECT Moose calf mortality

NOTES No formal write-up of the recent moose calf mortality studies has been completed. Jack indicated that 2 and possibly 3 calves were drowned (out of  $\approx$  44 mortalities) in the river or its tributaries. 1 in mainstem, 1 in Tsusena and 1 questionable drowning in Watana creek. (Not known if other factors eg. chased by predator entered into the accident). The ages of the 2 confirmed drownings were about 6 days for one calf and 2 weeks for the other.