

Officer Jeff Summit
Detachment 9

A native of Washington State, Officer Jeff Summit, 34, was raised in a family that enjoyed fishing and hunting. As a young boy, he found a poached deer, and its senseless and illegal killing impacted him greatly. Witnessing this incident and other illegal activities sparked Officer Summit's passion for protecting wildlife, so he pursued a career with the Washington Department of Fish & Wildlife (WDFW), where he could make a difference.

Officer Summit strongly opposes poaching because of its disastrous impact on the environment. He always is thinking of ways to be one step ahead of lawbreakers. Officer Summit faces constant and unpredictable danger in the field but is willing to risk it all to protect the wild.