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**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE  
WILDLIFE SERVICES**

**WILDLIFE SERVICES  
ASSISTANCE REQUEST**

**REQUEST DISPOSITION**

1. DISPOSITION	
2A. SEND OR PROVIDE	2B. DATE SENT OR PROVIDED
3A. REQUESTER NAME	3D. DIRECTIONS TO PROPERTY <i>(if needed)</i>
3B. REQUESTER ADDRESS	
3C. REQUESTER TELEPHONE NUMBER	
4A. PROPERTY LOCATION <i>(county or city)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> 4B. PAR <input type="checkbox"/> 4C. URB <input type="checkbox"/> 4D. RUR <input type="checkbox"/> 4E. ADDITIONAL FORM
5A. DATE RECORDED	5B. TIME SPENT ON PROJECT
5C. PROJECT TYPE	
6A. DEPREDATING SPECIES	6B. NO. OF LEAFLETS
6C. NO. OF PARTICIPANTS	

**DAMAGE DATA**

7A. RESOURCE TYPE 1	7B. NO. OF INCIDENTS OR QTY OF RESOURCE	7C. DAMAGE TYPE	7D. DOLLAR VALUE	7E. <input type="checkbox"/> REPORTED	7F. <input type="checkbox"/> VERIFIED	7G. <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
8A. RESOURCE TYPE 2	8B. NO. OF INCIDENTS OR QTY OF RESOURCE	8C. DAMAGE TYPE	8D. DOLLAR VALUE	8E. <input type="checkbox"/> REPORTED	8F. <input type="checkbox"/> VERIFIED	8G. <input type="checkbox"/> N/A

**DEPREDATION PERMITS**

9. FEDERAL	<input type="checkbox"/> 9A. NEW	<input type="checkbox"/> 9B. RENEWAL	<input type="checkbox"/> 9C. RECOMMENDED	<input type="checkbox"/> 9D. NOT RECOMMENDED
10. STATE	<input type="checkbox"/> 10A. RECOMMENDED	<input type="checkbox"/> 10B. ISSUED	<input type="checkbox"/> 10C. REFERRAL AGENCY	

**CHEMICAL CONTROL DATA**

11A. RESOURCE 1	11B. METHOD	11C. QUANTITY	11D. <input type="checkbox"/> DEMONSTRATED	11E. <input type="checkbox"/> DISTRIBUTED	11F. <input type="checkbox"/> SOLD
12A. RESOURCE 1	12B. METHOD	12C. QUANTITY	12D. <input type="checkbox"/> DEMONSTRATED	12E. <input type="checkbox"/> DISTRIBUTED	12F. <input type="checkbox"/> SOLD

13. DEPREDATING SPECIES QUANTITY

**EQUIPMENT DATA**

14A(1). METHOD 1	14A(2). QUANTITY	14A(3). <input type="checkbox"/> DISTRIBUTED	14A(4). <input type="checkbox"/> LOANED	14A(5). <input type="checkbox"/> SOLD
14B(1). METHOD 2	14B(2). QUANTITY	14B(3). <input type="checkbox"/> DISTRIBUTED	14B(4). <input type="checkbox"/> LOANED	14B(5). <input type="checkbox"/> SOLD
14C(1). METHOD 3	14C(2). QUANTITY	14C(3). <input type="checkbox"/> DISTRIBUTED	14C(4). <input type="checkbox"/> LOANED	14C(5). <input type="checkbox"/> SOLD

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

15A. RESOURCE 1	15B. METHOD	15C. <input type="checkbox"/> RECOMMENDED	15D. <input type="checkbox"/> CEM
16A. RESOURCE 1	16B. METHOD	16C. <input type="checkbox"/> RECOMMENDED	16D. <input type="checkbox"/> CEM
17A. RESOURCE 1	17B. METHOD	17C. <input type="checkbox"/> RECOMMENDED	17D. <input type="checkbox"/> CEM
18A. RESOURCE 2	18B. METHOD	18C. <input type="checkbox"/> RECOMMENDED	18D. <input type="checkbox"/> CEM
19A. RESOURCE 2	19B. METHOD	19C. <input type="checkbox"/> RECOMMENDED	19D. <input type="checkbox"/> CEM
20A. RESOURCE 2	20B. METHOD	20C. <input type="checkbox"/> RECOMMENDED	20D. <input type="checkbox"/> CEM

**COMMENTS**

21. COMMENTS

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22. WS EMPLOYEE

23. ENTERED IN DATABASE

## PRIVACY ACT NOTICE

5 U.S.C. 552a(e)(3) requires that each agency that maintains a system of records provide each individual from whom the agency solicits information with the following information.

### AUTHORITY FOR REQUESTING INFORMATION

7 U.S.C. 8351 to 8353, and 16 U.S.C. 667, authorizes officers, agents, and employees of the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS), Wildlife Services (WS) to conduct a program of wildlife services and to enter into agreements with States, local jurisdictions, individuals, and public and private agencies, organizations, and institutions for the purpose of conducting such services.

### NATURE OF YOUR DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION

Disclosure of information solicited by USDA, APHIS, Wildlife Services is voluntary.

### PRINCIPLE PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE INFORMATION IS SOLICITED

Information is solicited from you for the purpose of executing and implementing agreements for control of wildlife damage.

### ROUTINE USES WHICH MAY BE MADE OF THE INFORMATION

- (1) To cooperative Federal, State, Tribal, and local government officials, employees, or contractors and other parties as necessary to carry out the program; and other parties engaged to assist in administering the program. Such contractors and other parties will be bound by the nondisclosure provisions of the Privacy Act. This routine use assists the agency in carrying out the program, and thus is compatible with the purpose for which the records are created and maintained;
- (2) To the appropriate agency, whether Federal, State, local, Tribal, or foreign, charged with responsibility of investigating or prosecuting a violation of law or of enforcing, implementing, or complying with a statute, rule, regulation, or order issued pursuant thereto, of any record within this system when information available indicates a violation or potential violation of law, whether civil, criminal, or regulatory in nature, and either arising by general statute or particular program statute, or by rule, regulation, or court order issued pursuant thereto;
- (3) To the Department of Justice when the agency, or any component thereof, or any employee of the agency in his or her official capacity, or any employee of the agency in his or her individual capacity where the Department of Justice has agreed to represent the employee, or the United States, in litigation, where the agency determines that litigation is likely to affect the agency or any of its components, is a party to litigation or has an interest in such litigation, and the use of such records by the Department of Justice is deemed by the agency to be relevant and necessary to the litigation; provided, however, that in each case, the agency determines that disclosure of the records to the Department of Justice is a use of the information contained in the records that is compatible with the purpose for which the records were collected;
- (4) For use in a proceeding before a court or adjudicative body before which the agency is authorized to appear, when the agency, or any component thereof, or any employee of the agency in his or her official capacity, or any employee of the agency in his or her individual capacity where the agency has agreed to represent the employee, or the United States, where the agency determines that litigation is likely to affect the agency or any of its components, is a party to litigation or has an interest in such litigation, and the agency determines that use of such records is relevant and necessary to the litigation; provided, however, that in each case, the agency determines that disclosure of the records to the court is a use of the information contained in the records that is compatible with the purpose for which the records were collected;
- (5) To appropriate agencies, entities, and persons when the agency suspects or has confirmed that the security or confidentiality of information in the system of records has been compromised; the agency has determined that as a result of the suspected or confirmed compromise, there is a risk of harm to economic or property interests, a risk of identity theft or fraud, or a risk of harm to the security of integrity of this system or other systems or programs (whether maintained by the agency or another agency or entity) that rely upon the compromised information; and the disclosure made to such agencies, entities, and persons is reasonably necessary to assist in connection with the agency's efforts to respond to the suspected or confirmed compromise and prevent, minimize, or remedy such harm;
- (6) To USDA contractors, partner agency employee or contractors, or private industry employed to identify patterns, trends, or anomalies indicative of fraud, waste, or abuse;
- (7) To land management agencies, such as the Bureau of Land Management and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, relating to wildlife damage on grazing allotments;
- (8) To consumer reporting agencies in accordance with 31 U.S.C. 3711(e);
- (9) To Federal, State, Tribal, and local regulatory agencies and their employees and contractors who collaborate with Wildlife Services in implementation of, or agencies that regulate, wildlife management projects or programs, or who have an interest in, or regulate, animal or public health, or national security;
- (10) To Federal or State Government-level representatives of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, in compliance with the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) mandate in 7 U.S.C. 136(f, and i thru l), of the location on a cooperator's property where certain regulated pesticide devices are deployed or regulated pesticides are applied; and
- (11) To the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) or to the General Services Administration for records management inspections conducted under 44 U.S.C. 2904 and 2906.

### EFFECTS OF FAILURE TO FURNISH INFORMATION

Failure to provide the solicited information will not subject you to penalties or adverse consequences.

## Instructions for Completing WS Form 30, Wildlife Services Assistance Request

This form is used to collect information about a person who has requested assistance from WS about wildlife damage. This information will usually be collected by telephone from requesters who call a WS office seeking assistance. The information captured includes the location of the problem, name of caller, phone number and data about the nature of the damage and the species involved. It also collects information about what recommendations might be provided for resolving the damage. If the number of items to be reported exceeds the capacity of this form, a new form should be filled out for those additional items. Example: The form is designed to capture information about one species (Item 6a). If the requester reports damage from two separate species, a form should be filled out for each.

The WS employee filling out this form is instructed to refer to the MIS Help Files for further information about entries.

1. Keep short notes on this line about what stage of the process you are in with the customer. Example: an entry such as "called, left message on voice mail" could mean you called the customer back but he/she was not available and you left a message on the voice mail. Messages to yourself about commitments to loan equipment or distribute supplies could be entered here also.

2a-b. After discussing the problem with the customer, you may have agreed to send a wildlife damage management leaflet, or some material to the person, or you may have agreed to provide a damage control device, tool, or supply. This line is to be used to instruct the WS employee (or to remind yourself) to send or provide such items to the requester and to post the date that it was sent or provided.

3a-c. Enter the name, address, phone number of the requester.

3d. If a trip to the requesters property to look at the problem is planned, you may need additional directions beyond the address. They are entered here. Example: if the requester lives at one site and the wildlife damage is occurring at another, you may need directions or an address for that property.

4a. Enter the county or city where the requester lives or where the property receiving damage is located.

4b. (= Participant): Mark this box if you are helping a fellow employee with this project or if you want to record that the project is not yet completed. When this project is completed DO NOT mark this bubble on the last form you turn in for it.

4c-d. If this project is in an urban environment mark "URB." If in a rural environment, mark "RUR." Refer to your MIS Field Handbook for definitions of these two environments.

4e. Mark this block if this is an additional form to capture more information about a requester than you could enter on the original form. Refer to your MIS Field Handbook for guidance on what information is to be entered into an "Additional Form."

5a. Enter the date you recorded this information.

5b. Enter the time spent on the project (optional).

5c. Enter the project type.

6a. Enter the depredating species involved in the damage.

6b. Enter the number of leaflets sent to the requester.

6c. Enter the number of requester participants involved in this project.

7a. Enter the resource type affected by the reported wildlife damage.

7b. Enter the number of incidents of damage or the quantity of the resource affected by the damage.

7c. Enter the damage type for this project.

7d. Record the dollar value of loss to the requester from the reported damage.

7e-g. Mark the appropriate block to indicate whether the dollar value of loss was "reported" by the requester, "verified" by the WS employee, or "not available" from any source.

8a. This line is to be used to record a second resource type affected (if applicable).

8b-g. Refer to instructions for # 7b-g.

9a-b. If a federal permit is discussed as a means to address the damage problem, record whether the permit is to be a "NEW" permit or "RENEWAL" of an existing one.

9c-d. Notate whether the permit was recommended or not recommended by marking the appropriate box.

10a-b. If a state permit is recommended by WS, mark item a; if a state permit is issued by the appropriate state agency representative mark the "ISSUED" box.

10c. If this is a personal consultation or a Written/telephone consultation, record the agency who referred the call to you OR the agency you referred the call to (optional; check with your state director).

11-12a-f. Record chemical control information in these lines. Item 11 is for entries about chemical control associated with Resource #1 (Item 7a) and item 12 is for entries about chemical control associated with Resource #2 (Item 8a). Record each resource in a, any chemical method provided to the requester in b, the quantity in c, whether you demonstrated the method (d), loaned (e) or sold (f) it to the requester.

13. (Optional) Record the numbers of individuals of the depredating species which you listed in 6a.

14a-c. Use these lines to record information about any equipment related to this project. In "a" record the equipment by method name (example cage trap, leghold, conibear, neck snare, gas exploder, pyrotechnics), in "b" record the quantity provided, in "c", "d", or "e" mark the appropriate box to indicate whether you distributed, loaned or sold the equipment to the requester. You have space to record information about 3 pieces of equipment in this item.

15-20. Enter recommendations made in these lines. Record which resource the recommendation was made for in item "a." Record the method or component recommended by WS or already used by the requester in item "b." Record by marking the appropriate block whether the method you recorded in "b" was recommended (item c:) or employed by the requester (item d).

21. Record any comments about this project you may have.

22. Print your name in this line.

23. When you have entered this information into the MIS database, mark this block.