



DAMAGE AND NUISANCE ANIMAL CONTROL PERMIT

Issued under the authority of Act 451, P.A. 1994, as amended.
Failure to comply with the provisions of this permit may result in criminal prosecution.

DNR USE ONLY
Permit for:

- Damage Concerns
- Safety Concerns

PERMITTEE INFORMATION

Name of Permittee City of Ann Arbor - David Borneman	LED District 9	WLD Region SELP	Date 12/23/2015
Address 301 E. Huron, P.O. Box 8647	County Washtenaw	Section-Town-Range	
City, State, ZIP Code Ann Arbor, MI 48107	Telephone Number 734-994-4834	E-mail Address	
Type and Extent of Damage or Safety Issue Damage to horticulture, biological diversity in natural areas, resident concerns about deer/vehicle collisions	Estimated Number and Wildlife Species Causing Damage This permit provides for actions outlined in the 2015 Ann Arbor Deer Management Plan. Unknown number of deer		

CONTROL PERMIT

Under authority of Section 324.40114(4), Act 451, PA. 1994, and orders established thereunder, permission is hereby granted for following conditions:

Method Permitted: Trapping Shooting Other: See Attachment 1

Species: Beaver Muskrat Deer Birds (Verify USFWS Permit) Other: _____

Location: Above Location Specific Location: City of Ann Arbor Wards 1 and 2

Kill Tag #'s (deer only): 163900 - 163999

Disposal Instructions: Attachment 2

Duration of Permit

From: January 2, 2016

To: March 1, 2016

Signature (DNR Wildlife Division Supervisor Issuing Permit)

Date

Signature (DNR Law Enforcement Division Supervisor Issuing Permit)

Date

NOTICE TO PERMITTEE

The State of Michigan is not liable for damage caused by wildlife. The State of Michigan does not have the legal authority to enforce protection to landowners from damage caused by wildlife. Permits shall expire on or before December 31 of the year issued. Permits may not be in effect on lands or waters open to hunting and/or trapping for game animals during their respective seasons. Under the conditions set forth in this permit, the permittee is authorized to engage individuals and nuisance animal control companies to effectively control damage caused by wildlife. The cost of all control measures undertaken shall be the responsibility of the permittee.

Control of damage caused by protected migratory birds requires acquisition of a federal permit, issued by the US Fish and Wildlife Service. If issued, the federal US Fish and Wildlife Service permit will become your state authorization. A copy will be provided to the State by the US Fish and Wildlife Service. Actions taken outside of the authority granted by this permit, or violations of the terms and conditions of this permit may result in criminal prosecution.

Permittee hereby releases, waives, discharges, and covenants not to sue the State of Michigan, its departments, officers, employees, and agents, from any and all liability to Permittee, its officers, employees, and agents, for all losses, injury, death or damage, and any claims or demands thereto, on account of injury to person or property, or resulting in death of Permittee, its officers, employees or agents, in reference to the activities authorized by this permit. Permittee hereby covenants and agrees to indemnify and save harmless, the State of Michigan, its departments, officers, employees and agents, from any and all claims and demands, for all loss, injury, death or damage, that any person or entity may have or make, in any manner, arising out of any occurrence related to (1) issuance of this permit; (2) the activities authorized by this permit; and (3) the use or occupancy of the premises which are the subject of this permit by the permittee, its employees, contractors, or its authorized representatives. I understand that I am required by law to complete the FINAL REPORT portion of this permit upon completion of all control activities or expiration of this permit, whichever occurs first, and submit to the address specified on the Final Report (page 2).

By signing, I agree to the instructions and terms and conditions as stated.

David Borneman

Permittee Signature

12-23-15

Date



RICK SNYDER
GOVERNOR

STATE OF MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
LANSING



KEITH CREAGH
DIRECTOR

Attachment 1

Addendum to City of Ann Arbor Wildlife Damage Control Permit

- Permittee is **David Borneman, Deputy Manager of Volunteerism and Natural Area Preservation**, representing the **City of Ann Arbor**.
- This sanction is valid only if a resolution is obtained to waive any local ordinances on firearm use within permit area.
- Authorized shooters:
As the City of Ann Arbor has indicated that they have contracted with the United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Wildlife Services (USDA-APHIS), authorized shooters must be employed by USDA-APHIS and meet all sharpshooter qualifications and safety requirements imposed by that federal agency.
- All shooters and staff on site during cull activities must have personal picture identification and a copy of the damage control permit on their persons at all times.
- Shooting may not be conducted within 150 yards of an occupied building, dwelling, house, residence, or cabin, without obtaining the written permission of the owner, renter, or occupant of the property.
- All vehicles used by authorized shooters and personnel on site during cull activities must be marked (visible identification on side of vehicle).
- Permittee is authorized to take up to **one hundred (100)** deer. The focus of this effort is to reduce the population by taking primarily antlerless deer. Antlered deer may be taken.
- Shooters must use centerfire rifles or shotguns with slugs.
- The use of sound suppression is allowed in accordance with a federally issued permit; evidence of that permit must be carried on the sharpshooters' persons at all times and must be provided upon request by DNR and law enforcement personnel.
- Shooting from a platform and/or a blind is allowed.
- Shooting from a vehicle is allowed.
- Shooting is allowed between the hours of **4:00 PM (1600 hours) to 7:00 AM (0700 hours)**; use of artificial lights and night vision optics is allowed during night hours (½ hour after sunset to ½ hour before sunrise).
- Local law enforcement (**Washtenaw County Central Dispatch**) and DNR Law Enforcement (via the Report All Poaching Hotline at 800-292-7800) must be notified of cull activity times and dates.
- The use of bait at designated shooting locations is permitted (bait material may be of any food type; the volume of bait at any shooting site cannot exceed two [2] gallons, bait must be spread across a 10' x 10' area). All bait must be removed when culling activities cease and bait shall not be present on site outside the permit period.
- All deer taken must be tagged using the provided DNR Deer Damage Permit Tags. Once the tag is attached to the deer, the postcard portion must be mailed to DNR Wildlife Biologist Kristin Bissell, Waterloo Wildlife Office, 13578 Seymour Road, Grass Lake, MI 49240. These postcard portions may be combined and mailed together in an envelope on a weekly basis, for convenience. See *Attachment 2* for instructions regarding these tags.
- **One hundred (100)** Deer Damage Permit Tags will be issued. Kill tag numbers issued are: **163900 - 163999**.

- Heads of all deer killed must be submitted to the DNR for Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) testing. All deer heads must be tagged with a CWD tag. Instructions for tagging and making arrangements to drop off deer heads are specified in *Attachment 2*.
- All deer must be donated to a charitable organization and used for human consumption (consult with Kristin Bissell if there is question as to whether a whole deer carcass should be submitted for disease testing).
- Permittee will provide a weekly report of shooting activities to DNR Wildlife Biologist, Kristin Bissell, via fax, (517) 522-3315, or e-mail, bissellk@michigan.gov.
- Permittee will submit the Damage and Nuisance Animal Control Permit Final Report to DNR Wildlife Biologist, Kristin Bissell, within seven (7) business days of completion of shooting activities.
- Permittee will provide, within ten (10) business days of completion of shooting activities, all postcard portions of used Deer Damage Permit Tags and all leftover unused Deer Damage Permit Tags to DNR Wildlife Biologist, Kristin Bissell.

I have read this permit addendum and agree to the terms and conditions as stated.



Permittee Signature

12-23-15
Date