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Subject: Wildlife Services MIS Reports

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Animal and
Plant Health
Inspection
Service

To: County Commissioners and Club Presidents

Wildlife Services

The Cooperative Texas Wildlife Services program provides direct wildlife damage management services to landowners and local communities throughout Texas and we pride ourselves on high quality service. In the traditional sheep and goat raising areas in Texas, we also cooperate with the Texas Sheep and Goat Predator Management Board to administer contract helicopter services where and when predation damage is imminent. We have always included the results of "Commodity Board" flying in the Wildlife Services Management Information System (MIS) reports we provide to County Commissions and funding partners.

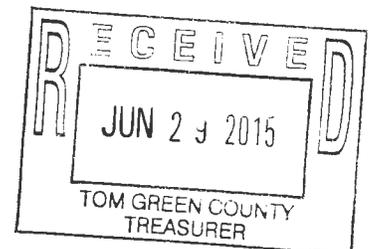
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In March, WS Headquarters directed the Texas program to stop recording those results in the MIS, based on some preliminary discussions with the USDA Office of Inspector General. While we immediately stopped putting the information into the MIS, not providing full reports to our partners seems to leave a part of the story untold. We have not mailed reports to affected counties since March while we awaited a final report from the OIG. To date, we still do not have the final report.

I believe that full and transparent reporting is essential to our partners and the public and we have developed alternative reports to document Commodity Board helicopter flying in your county. Please note that Commodity Board flying will be included as a separate spreadsheet attached to your MIS County report until we can work through this issue. I apologize for the delay in providing these reports to you and I remain available to answer any questions you may have. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at the number above.

Thank you for your continued support.

Michael J. Bodenchuk
State Director



Sequential Summary, running:

County: TOM GREEN

Land Involved In This Summary

Land Type	Uom	Total	Person-day-visits
COUNTY OR CITY LAND	ACRE	1	1
PRIVATE LAND	ACRE	154,678	449
	Total	154,679	

Agreement/Property Summary

Total Agreements/Properties Worked: 46/46

Total Person-day-visits: 450

Agreement Common Name	Time	Person-day-visits
a & b weishuhn ranch	3 : 40	2
angelo st. univ. farm	13 : 20	5
barron ranch	65 : 30	28
berry ranch	11 : 00	5
book ranch	0 : 10	0
byrd ranch	4 : 00	1
c & s farms	1 : 00	1
cave springs ranch	53 : 20	18
crows nest ranch	57 : 30	14
d+	5 : 30	5
demere ranch	54 : 30	24
duncan ranch	26 : 10	12
glass ranch	10 : 45	3
half circle diamond	3 : 00	2
halfmann ranch	114 : 30	38
hanks	29 : 40	13
heinze ranch	88 : 40	28
hudson ranch	36 : 00	13
j.w.	57 : 40	31
jones ranch	1 : 30	2
kent ranch	69 : 28	20
keystone ranch	2 : 00	0
kyle ranch	20 : 00	7
l & d ranch	5 : 10	2
lacy	0 : 30	1
lee farm	15 : 30	9

lee ranch	10 : 00	3
lee ranch 277 n	6 : 24	4
martin ranch	6 : 30	4
mayo farm	19 : 40	12
mccrea ranch	19 : 10	10
pickett ranch	3 : 00	2
puckett ranch	31 : 30	18
quillen ranch	14 : 46	7
red creek ranch	81 : 20	30
reed stewart ranch	11 : 00	6
runnion ranch	17 : 15	7
sisco ranch -t. green	28 : 30	18
socha ranch	5 : 00	1
texas a & m agrilife research	11 : 30	11
thomas livestock	2 : 00	1
tom green	12 : 11	1
turner - t star ranch	10 : 30	3
turner ranch	4 : 00	2
upton h.q.	54 : 52	22
wright ranch	6 : 30	4

Employee Summary - Total includes converted Hobbs

	FIELD WORK	AERIAL	OUTREACH	admin LEAVE	ADMIN	TOTAL
	hrs : mins	hobbs	hrs : mins	hrs : mins	hrs : mins	hrs : mins
Berry, Daniel	2 : 00					2 : 00
Bodenchuk, Michael			4 : 00			4 : 00
Haves, Kenneth	135 : 30					135 : 30
Mesenbrink, Brian	0 : 01					0 : 01
Sedden, Martv	2 : 00					2 : 00
Smith, Monty	920 : 00		21 : 30			941 : 30
Steen, Douglas		12.5	8 : 10			20 : 40
Total	1,059 : 31	12.5	33 : 40	0 : 00	0 : 00	1,105 : 41

Take Summary

Target Intentional

	Killed Euthanized	Transfer Custody	Relocated	Removed Destroyed	Freed Released	Dispersed	Surveyed	Immobilized	Collared
Coyotes									
helicopter	10								
m-44 cyanide capsule	10								

<u>snare, neck</u>	<u>33</u>								
Total	53								
<u>Dogs, Feral, Free-Ranging And Hybrids</u>									
<u>snare, neck</u>	<u>3</u>								
Total	3								
<u>Foxes, Gray</u>									
<u>calling device, electronic</u>	<u>1</u>								
<u>m-44 cyanide capsule</u>	<u>16</u>								
<u>snare, neck</u>	<u>6</u>								
<u>traps, foothold</u>	<u>1</u>								
Total	24								
<u>Foxes, Red</u>									
<u>firearms</u>	<u>1</u>								
<u>m-44 cyanide capsule</u>	<u>2</u>								
<u>snare, neck</u>	<u>3</u>								
<u>traps, foothold</u>	<u>1</u>								
Total	7								
<u>Raccoons</u>									
<u>snare, neck</u>	<u>8</u>								
<u>traps, cage</u>	<u>1</u>								
<u>traps, foothold</u>	<u>3</u>								
Total	12								
<u>Skunks, Striped</u>									
<u>traps, foothold</u>	<u>3</u>								
Total	3								
<u>Squirrels, Fox</u>									
<u>traps, cage</u>	<u>1</u>								
Total	1								
<u>Swine, Feral</u>									
<u>snare, neck</u>	<u>4</u>								
Total	4								
<u>Vultures, Black</u>									
<u>firearms</u>	<u>3</u>								
Total	3								
Bottom Line Total	110								

Target Un-Intentional

	Killed Euthanized	Transfer Custody	Relocated	Removed Destroyed	Freed Released	Dispersed	Surveyed	Immobilized	Collared
<u>Raccoons</u>									
m-44 cyanide capsule	1								
Total	1								
<u>Skunks, Striped</u>									
m-44 cyanide capsule	1								
Total	1								
Bottom Line Total	2								

Non-Target Un-Intentional

	Killed Euthanized	Transfer Custody	Relocated	Removed Destroyed	Freed Released	Dispersed	Surveyed	Immobilized	Collared
<u>Badgers</u>									
snare, neck	1								
trap, foothold	1								
Total	2								
<u>Deer, White-Tailed (Wild)</u>									
snare, neck	1								
Total	1								
<u>Peccaries, Collared (Javelina)</u>									
snare, neck	1								
Total	1								
<u>Porcupines</u>									
snare, neck	3								
Total	3								
<u>Woodrats, White-Throated</u>									
m-44 cyanide capsule	1								
Total	1								
Bottom Line Total	8								

Damage Summary**Loss Reported**

Resource	Species	Damage	WTs (Occurs)	Proj Starts	Loss	Value
AGRICULTURE						
Livestock						
cattle (calves)	coyotes	damage threat	4	4	4 in	\$0
goats, meat (kids)	coyotes	damage threat	4	4	4 in	\$0
goats, meat (kids)	coyotes	predation	3	0	8 ea	\$882
goats, meat (kids)	foxes, red	damage threat	2	2	2 in	\$0
goats, z-(other adults)	coyotes	damage threat	1	1	1 in	\$0
goats, z-(other adults)	dogs, feral, free-ranging and hybrids	damage threat	2	2	2 in	\$0
goats, z-(other adults)	dogs, feral, free-ranging and hybrids	predation	2	0	5 ea	\$1,000
goats, z-(other kids)	coyotes	damage threat	6	6	6 in	\$0
goats, z-(other kids)	coyotes	predation	3	1	5 ea	\$972
sheep (adult)	coyotes	damage threat	3	3	3 in	\$0
sheep (adult)	vultures, black	damage threat	1	1	1 in	\$0
sheep (lambs)	bobcats	damage threat	1	1	1 in	\$0
sheep (lambs)	coyotes	damage threat	30	30	30 in	\$0
sheep (lambs)	coyotes	predation	7	1	10 ea	\$1,202
sheep (lambs)	dogs, feral, free-ranging and hybrids	predation	1	1	14 ea	\$1,740
sheep (lambs)	foxes, gray	predation	1	0	1 ea	\$124
sheep (lambs)	foxes, red	damage threat	2	2	2 in	\$0
sheep (lambs)	swine, feral	damage threat	1	1	1 in	\$0
sheep (lambs)	vultures, black	damage threat	2	2	2 in	\$0
sheep (lambs)	vultures, black	predation	1	1	9 ea	\$1,119
Livestock Sub Total			77	63	52 ea 59 in	\$7,039
AGRICULTURE Sub Total			77	63	52 ea 59 in	\$7,039
HEALTH AND SAFETY						
Human Health And Safety						
hlth/sfty, human	cats, feral/free ranging	nuisance	20	20	20 in	\$0

z-(general)						
hlth/sfty, human	opossums, virginia	nuisance	2	7	7 in	\$0
z-(general)						
hlth/sfty, human	raccoons	nuisance	5	5	5 in	\$0
z-(general)						
hlth/sfty, human	skunks, striped	nuisance	4	4	4 in	\$0
z-(general)						
hlth/sfty, human	squirrels, fox	nuisance	1	1	1 in	\$0
z-(general)						
Human Health And Safety Sub Total			37	37	37 in	\$0
HEALTH AND SAFETY Sub Total			37	37	37 in	\$0
NOREF						
Other						
no resrc	multiple species	no conflict	1	1	1 in	\$0
Other Sub Total			1	1	1 in	\$0
NOREF Sub Total			1	1	1 in	\$0
PROPERTY						
Other Property						
property (general)	squirrels, fox	damage threat	1	1	1 in	\$0
Other Property Sub Total			1	1	1 in	\$0
PROPERTY Sub Total			1	1	1 in	\$0
Total			116	102	52 ea 98 in	\$7,039

Loss Verified

Resource	Species	Damage	WTs (Occurs)	Proj Starts	Loss	Value
AGRICULTURE						
Livestock						
goats, meat (kids)	coyotes	predation	1	0	1 ea	\$110
goats, z-(other adults)	dogs, feral, free-ranging and hybrids	predation	2	1	6 ea	\$2,190
sheep (adult)	coyotes	predation	1	0	1 ea	\$81
sheep (adult)	vultures, black	predation	2	0	2 ea	\$163
sheep (lambs)	coyotes	predation	16	3	25 ea	\$3,480
sheep (lambs)	dogs, feral, free-ranging and hybrids	predation	1	0	2 ea	\$249
sheep (lambs)	vultures, black	predation	3	1	6 ea	\$746
Livestock Sub Total			26	5	43 ea	\$7,019
AGRICULTURE Sub Total			26	5	43 ea	\$7,019
Total			26	5	43 ea	\$7,019

Distinct Species/Resource Conflict Counts by Form Type

Total distinct TA Species/Resource conflicts: 18

Total distinct DC (all non TA) Species/Resource conflicts: 25

Samples Summary

Species/Disease	Sample Type	Samples
foxes. gray Total Sampled 8		
plague	nobuto	2
rabies	tissue	8
Total Samples		10
raccoons Total Sampled 1		
plague	nobuto	1
rabies	tissue	1
Total Samples		2
swine. feral Total Sampled 10		
classical swine fever	blood/serum	10
pseudorabies	blood/serum	10
swine brucellosis	blood/serum	10
swine influenza	blood/serum	10
Total Samples		40
Total Bottom Line		52

TA/Outreach by Species Summary

Species	1=consultation, personal, 2=consultation, written/telephone, 3=consultation, hotline, 4=instructional session, 5=radio/tv personal appearance, 6=radio/tv public service announcement, 7=newspaper/periodical article, 8=exhibit, 9=bait distribution program, 10=information transfer, ws, 11=info. transfer, gen. wildlife management, 12=site visit, 13=web hits													Total	Parties	Leaflets	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13				
cats. feral/free ranging		20													20	20	
covotes	9	34								2					45	108	
dogs. feral. free-ranging and hybrids	6	4													10	10	
foxes. red	1	4													5	6	
multiple species				1											1	30	
opossums. virginia	1	6													7	7	7
raccoons	1	4													5	5	5
skunks. striped		4													4	4	4
squirrels. fox		1													1	1	1
swine. feral										1					1	10	

vultures. black	2	1												3	3		
Total	20	78	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	102	204	17

*1 distinct instructional sessions (which can contain more than one species or no species indicated).

TA/Outreach by Employee Summary

	1=consultation, personal, 2=consultation, written/telephone, 3=consultation, hotline, 4=instructional session, 5=radio/tv personal appearance, 6=radio/tv public service announcement, 7=newspaper/periodical article, 8=exhibit, 9=bait distribution program, 10=information transfer, ws, 11=info. transfer, gen. wildlife management, 12=site visit, 13=web hits															
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	Total	Parties	Leaflets
<u>Bodenchuk, Michael</u>										2				2	20	
<u>Smith, Monty</u>	18	43												61	61	
<u>Steen, Douglas</u>	2	35		1										38	67	17
Total	20	78	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	101	148	17

Chemicals Summary

CHEMICALS: EPA-REGULATED

Component	Reg. Num.	Use Type	Qty	Uom	WTs
m-44 cyanide capsule	56228-15	fired	54	ea	43

CHEMICALS: EXPLOSIVE

no EXPLOSIVE chemical data.

CHEMICALS: I/E DRUGS

no I/E DRUGS chemical data.

CHEMICALS: NON-REGULATED

no NON-REGULATED PRDCT chemical data.

BIOLOGICS

no BIOLOGICS chemical data.

Equipment Loaned/Distributed/Sold Summary

Use Type	Category	Component	Reg. Num.	Qty	Uom	WTs
loaned	capture device	traps, cage		39	ea	37

Conflict Project Start Button Summary

Resource	Species	Proj Start Button	WTs (Occurs)
cattle (calves)	coyotes	4	16
goats, meat (kids)	coyotes	4	61
goats, meat (kids)	foxes, red	2	25
goats, z-(other adults)	coyotes	1	1
goats, z-(other adults)	dogs, feral, free-ranging and hybrids	3	12
goats, z-(other kids)	coyotes	7	48
goats, z-(other kids)	foxes, gray	0	14
goats, z-(other kids)	foxes, red	0	6
hlth/sfty, human z-(general)	cats, feral/free ranging	20	20
hlth/sfty, human z-(general)	foxes, gray	0	2
hlth/sfty, human z-(general)	opossums, virginia	7	7
hlth/sfty, human z-(general)	raccoons	5	5
hlth/sfty, human z-(general)	skunks, striped	4	10
hlth/sfty, human z-(general)	squirrels, fox	1	1
hlth/sfty, human z-(general)	swine, feral	0	1
no resrc	multiple species	1	1
property (general)	squirrels, fox	1	11
sheep (adult)	coyotes	3	12
sheep (adult)	vultures, black	1	5
sheep (lambs)	bobcats	1	18
sheep (lambs)	coyotes	34	366
sheep (lambs)	dogs, feral, free-ranging and hybrids	1	23
sheep (lambs)	foxes, gray	0	108
sheep (lambs)	foxes, red	2	43
sheep (lambs)	raccoons	0	51
sheep (lambs)	swine, feral	1	24
sheep (lambs)	vultures, black	4	25

COMMODITY AIRCRAFT HOURS
MARCH - APRIL 2015

Employee	Ranch	County	Contractor	Hours	Coyotes	Bobcats	FeralSwine	RedFox
M. Smith	Halfmann	Tom Green	Lange	2				
	Red Creek			1				
	Lee 277			1.4	2			
M. Smith	Halfmann	Tom Green	Lange	1				
	Kyle			1.3	1			1
	JW			1				
Total				7.7	3			1