

RESOLUTION 2017-006

A Resolution Regarding Feral Hog Control

WHEREAS there exists a threat to the citizens and property of the Town of Woodloch by feral hogs within the city limits and whereas there exists an ordinance prohibiting the discharge of firearms within the city limits, the Town Council has at its regularly scheduled meeting discussed, voted and resolved that a variance of said ordinance is granted as follows:


A person may apply with the city for a letter of permission, to be signed by the Mayor to set cage traps (claw traps are not allowed) within the city limits for the purpose of capturing and removing feral hogs. Any cages set in the city will be tagged for identification with the owner's name and phone number and must be removed after 60 days of the issuance of a permission letter. Any currently commissioned Montgomery County peace officer may apply to the City for a letter of authorization from the Mayor allowing them to discharge firearms within the city limits in order to eliminate feral hogs. Any pest control technician hired by the city may use traps or discharge firearms, if properly authorized by the State of Texas to carry a firearm, for the purpose of eliminating feral hogs.

All interested persons shall submit to the Mayor, along with their application, a current State of Texas firearm permit.

All permitted persons must abide by any and all rules and regulations as prescribed by the Town of Woodloch regarding types of traps, the checking of traps, and the disposal of trapped animals. Failure to abide by these rules and regulations will result in the immediate revocation of permits.

The Town of Woodloch accepts no responsibility or liability for the actions of the above described persons acting under this variance.

So enacted this the 11th day of April 2017.



Mayor



City Secretary

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