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### Cable Restraints on Private Land

On private lands a land owner now can hunt or trap certain species (coyote, fox, raccoon, squirrels, opossum, woodchuck, and etc.) on their own land year round.

Where as there is no social or any biological reason why a landowner should not be able to use cable restraints on their own land year round.

Where as cable restraints are much easier to set on trails and travel corridors than leg hold traps.

Where as this would provide more opportunity to use cable restraints.

Where as cable restraints could be used then on private lands by the land owners especially during the months of October, November, and December when pelts are prime, not rubbed, and still worth a few dollars.

Where as in some areas of the state coyotes and fox and other species are very plentiful if not over abundant and this would give land owners another tool to control these animals.

There fore be it resolved that here in Price County on April 12<sup>th</sup> 2010 we ask the DNR to allow the use of cable restraints on private lands by the land owners year round.

#### QUESTION;

Would you approve of the ability to allow private land owners to use cable restraints year round on lands owned by them for the species they now can hunt or trap year round?

YES

NO

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