Resolution 520620

Expand the Use of Cable Restraints

Whereas, you may not set, place or operate cable restraints for any species other than fox, coyote and bobcat.

Whereas, you may not set out or place a cable restraint, whether set or sprung, on public or private land, except during the following dates: December 1st thru January 31st for bobcat and December 1st – February 15th for coyote and fox.

Whereas, you may not use cable restraints for removal of nuisance wildlife except for coyote and fox during the dates listed above.

Whereas, one trapping on his or her’s own land should be allowed to set, place or operate cable restraints for other species such as Fisher, Otter, Beaver, Mink, Muskrat, Raccoon, Opossum, Skunk, Weasel, Rabbit, Snowshoe Hare and Woodchucks.

BE IT RESOLVED, the Conservation Congress at its annual meeting held in Racine County on April 13, 2020, recommends that the Conservation Congress work with the DNR to allow a person to set, place or operate cable restraints for Fisher, Otter, Beaver, Mink, Muskrat, Raccoon, Opossum, Skunk, Weasel, Rabbit, Snowshoe Hare and Woodchucks on his or her’s own land.

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