

Citizen Resolution # 680121

(For Hearing Officer completion)



Resolution to Extend Pheasant Hunting Season in Certain Counties

Whereas, a substantial amount of pheasant in Wisconsin are pen-raised birds from Poynette Game Farm and released into the wild. The funds to raise the pheasants are paid by Wisconsin sportsmen and women. A good number of these birds remain unharvested at the end of the season. Most counties in the state have little natural reproduction. An extended season in those counties would provide more hunting opportunities for hunters without harming the pheasant resource. Be it resolved, On April 12th, 2021 that the Conservation Congress at its annual meeting, would you support the Conservation Congress and other state wide groups work with the D.N.R. to extend the closing date of the pheasant hunting season to February 28th (coinciding with the close of rabbit season) in counties designated by the D.N.R. to have low levels of natural reproduction?

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