

# Citizen Resolution # 130722

(For Hearing Officer completion)



## Ban the Use of Dogs on Wild Animals

In order to train dogs to pursue bears, coyotes, racoons, or wolves, dogs are trained to be trackers. Each year armed hound hunters hunt mammals across Wisconsin to harvest this wildlife. Many people do not find this to be an acceptable activity. Trespass concerns have been raised by citizens of Wisconsin. Some bear hunters set baits from April 15 until the hunting season for training of dogs. In some areas of the state, coyote harvesting is allowed year-round including with the use of dogs – night or day. Since deer and mice, prey of many carnivorous mammals, can carry lyme disease, and chronic wasting disease, these carnivorous mammals would help manage these populations

### Do you support the Conservation Congress working with the DNR to Ban the Use of Dogs on Wild Mammals?

Additional Information provided by author:

"This is the time to finally put an end to fox hunting and end this appalling savagery which continues to blight the UK countryside." 2002 Scotland banned chasing wild mammals with dogs. England/Wales - 2004. <https://www.bbc.com/news/uk-59420935>  
<https://www.wisdc.org/follow-the-money/46-influence-peddler/5792-influence-peddler-of-the-month-wisconsin-bear-hunters-association>. [https://wisconsinexaminer.com/2022/02/22/conflicts-between-bear-hunters-and-property-owners-in-northwoods-lead-to-fears-of-cowboy-war/?fbclid=IwAR3RCSG8WVPJPhguS8C6Xp9fs18sLsOo9mN\\_\\_sn2EmmHVemvX](https://wisconsinexaminer.com/2022/02/22/conflicts-between-bear-hunters-and-property-owners-in-northwoods-lead-to-fears-of-cowboy-war/?fbclid=IwAR3RCSG8WVPJPhguS8C6Xp9fs18sLsOo9mN__sn2EmmHVemvX)  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fiG5EfU-IGY>

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