Skunk and Beaver Removal and Assistance Program

The Village of Third Lake is partnering with homeowners to reduce the overall Skunk and Beaver population within the Village. The Program is designed to provide financial reimbursement to homeowners who choose to work with licensed wildlife control companies to remove skunks and Beavers from their properties. The Village has budgeted \$1,000 for this activity during the period May 1, 2020 through April 30, 2021.

The Program will operate as follows: Skunk/Beaver Abatement Reimbursement Form

- 1. Homeowners <u>must</u> enter into a contract for services from a licensed Nuisance Wildlife Control Operator. The names of companies can be found on the IL DNR webpage. The contract must include the placement and monitoring of traps and the cost of skunk or beaver removal from individual residential properties.
- 2. Any costs in the contract related to inspection of the property, trap set-up and monitoring, home repairs needed to mitigate dens, etc. will be the responsibility of the homeowner.
- 3. If a trap is set by the Operator and captures a Skunk or Beaver, the Village of Third Lake will reimburse the homeowner for 50 percent of the cost of removal, up to a maximum of \$75 for each Skunk or Beaver trapped or the removal price quoted in the contract, whichever is less.
- 4. The Village will not reimburse residents for the costs of trapping any other wildlife. Homeowners are encouraged to talk with their chosen Operator to clarify how they will be billed for this activity.
- 5. To request reimbursement, the following information must be submitted to the Village Hall:
 - * A completed reimbursement request form from the homeowner; and,
 - * A copy of the contract between the homeowner and the Nuisance Wildlife Control Operator; and,
 - * A copy of the receipt documenting the date of the Skunk or Beaver removal and the cost for each Skunk or Beaver
- 6. The Village will process the requested reimbursement. Homeowners should expect to receive their reimbursement within 30 days of receipt of all documentation.
- 7. The Village will also reimburse homeowners who, in the past several months, have removed Skunks or Beavers. Homeowners can request reimbursement for Skunks or

Beavers removed after May 1, 2020. The documentation required for reimbursement as set forth in Item #6 will apply.

- 8. The Village will operate the respective removal program on public properties.
- 9. The Program will end April 30, 2021.

Questions on this Program? Contact the Village Hall.

For a list of trapping services please see: http:web.extension.illinios.edu/wildlife/solutions remove.cfm



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Skunk and Beaver Abatement Reimbursement Request

To assist residents with skunk and beaver abatement, the Village of Third Lake will reimburse the homeowner for 50 percent of the cost of removal up to a maximum of \$75.00 per skunk and/or beaver through April 30, 2020. <u>Removal costs for all other animals will not be reimbursed</u>.

Homeowner Information:

Name:			_
Address:			_
Phone:			
Email:			_
Nuisance Wildlife C Company Nam	Control Operator Information: e:		
Address:			-
Date(s) of Skur	nk and/or Beaver Removal:		_
Total Skunks	and/or Beavers Removed:		_
Supporting Documen	tation:		
Copy of the c Operator	ontract between the homeowner and L	Licensed Nuisance V	Wildlife Control

Receipt(s) documenting date(s), number and costs of skunks and/or beavers removed

I hereby acknowledge and affirm that the attached information is correct.

Homeowner Signature

Date

Printed Name