

## City of Rochester Hills AGENDA SUMMARY NON-FINANCIAL ITEMS

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Legislative File No: 2021-0229

TO: Mayor and City Council Members

FROM: Leanne Scott, City Clerk

**DATE:** June 11, 2021

**SUBJECT:** Canada Goose Nest Destruction/Roundup Request

## **REQUEST:**

The Clerk's Office has received correspondence from the Heatherwood Village Homeowners Association (HOA) requesting that City Council consider passing a resolution requesting the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (MDNR) allow them to conduct a program of Canada Goose Nest Destruction and Canada Goose Roundup for a period of five (5) years.

## **BACKGROUND:**

In March 2018, the Heatherwood Village Homeowners Association requested that City Council pass a resolution requesting the MDNR allow them to conduct a program of Canada Goose Nest Destruction for a period of five (5) years; from 2018 to 2023. City Council passed that resolution on March 26, 2018. At that time, the HOA did not pursue requesting a permit for Canada Goose Roundup. Due to the fact that the Heatherwood Village Homeowner Association is now requesting that City Council consider passing a resolution for the Canada Goose Roundup, they have expressed that they would like to keep both permits on the same five (5) year cycle and as such, are requesting that Council consider this resolution for both the Goose Nest Destruction as well as the Goose Roundup.

After speaking with a representative from the USDA Wildlife Services, I have been assured that if Council approves this request, the five (5) year permit for both the Canada Goose Nest Destruction and the Canada Goose Roundup will be effective 2021 through 2026.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

City Council pass a resolution requesting the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (MDNR) allow the Heatherwood Village Homeowners Association conduct a program of Canada Goose Nest Destruction and Canada Goose Roundup for a period of five (5) years.

APPROVALS:	SIGNATURE	DATE
Department Review		
Department Director		
Mayor		
Deputy Clerk		

Contract Reviewed by City Attorney ☐ Yes ☒ N/A