

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

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**Legislative File No:** 2008-0470

**TO:** Mayor and City Council Members

**FROM:** Greg Hooper, City Council President

**DATE:** September 10, 2008

**SUBJECT:** AN ORDINANCE TO ADD ARTICLE III, DEER MANAGEMENT, TO CHAPTER 14,

ANIMALS, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF ROCHESTER HILLS, OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN, TO PROHIBIT DEER FEEDING; REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES, AND PRESCRIBE A PENALTY FOR

**VIOLATIONS** 

## **REQUEST:**

Request that City Council accept the first reading to add an Ordinance to Article II, Deer Management, to Chapter 14, Animals, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Rochester Hills, Oakland County, Michigan, to prohibit deer feeding, repeal conflicting ordinances, and prescribe a penalty for violations.

## **BACKGROUND:**

At their meeting on July 21, 2008 City Council requested the Administration to draft individual implementation plans for the six suggestions for managing the deer population within the City that had been discussed. The Administration submitted a Proposed Deer Management Implementation Plan to City Council on September 3<sup>rd</sup>. This Ordinance addresses one of those suggestions.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Recommend that City Council accept the first reading to add an Ordinance to Article II, Deer Management, to Chapter 14, Animals, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Rochester Hills, Oakland County, Michigan, to prohibit deer feeding, repeal conflicting ordinances, and prescribe a penalty for violations.

APPROVALS:	SIGNATURE	DATE
<b>Department Review</b>		
<b>Department Director</b>		
Mayor		
City Council Liaison		