

City of Rochester Hills AGENDA SUMMARY NON-FINANCIAL ITEMS

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TO: Mayor and City Council Members

FROM: Michael Hartner, Ext. 2552

DATE: September 16, 2009

SUBJECT: Report and Presentation by Deer Management Advisory Committee

REQUEST:

Jim Kubicina, Chairperson of the Deer Management Advisory Committee, would like to submit their report and make a PowerPoint presentation to City Council summarizing the committee's recommendations for deer management for 2010 with the aim of decreasing the number of deer/vehicle crashes in our community.

BACKGROUND:

The Deer Management Advisory Committee (DMAC) was established in February 2009 by City Council to review the 2008-2009 Deer Management Implementation Plan and to make recommendations for a 2010 Deer Management Plan. The DMAC has been meeting biweekly since April 7, 2009, to review the current plan, get input from various wildlife specialists, research a number of options, and hear the thoughts, views, and opinions of our citizens and the general public. The committee has reached a consensus, summarized their recommendations in the attached "Deer Management Advisory Committee Report – September 28, 2009," and would like to present these recommendations to City Council for their consideration.

RECOMMENDATION

The Deer Management Advisory Committee requests that City Council review these recommendations and consider their implementation for 2010.

APPROVALS:	SIGNATURE	DATE
Department Review		
Department Director		
Mayor		
City Council Liaison		