

CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE
DEER MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

NAME Carol Donovan COUNCIL DISTRICT 2

DATE 2/23/09

ROCHESTER HILLS RESIDENT FOR 12 YEARS

OCCUPATION Currently stay at home mom, previously court coordinator and paralegal

INTERESTS/REASONS/QUALIFICATIONS

My biggest interest in serving on this committee is for the opportunity to bring our city back together again. I believe this bipartisan group can come together to create an amicable solution for everyone and will make Rochester Hills an example for all other cities.

WHAT IS YOUR OPINION REGARDING THE 2009 DEER MANAGEMENT POLICY?

I am against the deer culling. I believe non-lethal options can be more effective than bringing high powered weapons into a populated city environment.

WHAT SOLUTIONS/SUGGESTIONS DO YOU HAVE TO OFFER FOR THE 2010 DEER MANAGEMENT POLICY?

I believe the use of reflectors in the high incident areas is something that should be tried and believe this could be accomplished by raising funds or private donations without any cost to the city/taxpayers. I believe we need more effective deer crossing signs. I believe the city website could be used as an effective tool to educate the residents regarding the high incident areas and safe driving tips to avoid car to deer accidents. I also believe that brush removal along the roads in high incident areas could improve visibility and reaction time for drivers. I am currently researching other potentially viable options.

PERTINENT EDUCATION

My education in this matter is more from observation, literature and on-line information.

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

None

BOARDS/COMMISSIONS/COMMITTEES ON WHICH YOU HAVE SERVED (LIST MUNICIPALITIES AND DATES)

Rochester Community Schools PTA, various church committees.

ELECTIVE OFFICES THAT YOU HAVE HELD

None

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

I am a team player and am open to entertain all options for the deer management policy. I very much want to see a well thought out resolution to this situation. I am dedicated to helping create a comprehensive deer management program.

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