



# OAKLAND COUNTY SENIOR RESOURCE DIRECTORY

## Pests & Nuisance Animals

### **Oakland County Animal Control and Pet Adoption**

**Animal bite** investigations, dogs and livestock running at large, cruelty complaints, dog licensing, kennel inspection.

248-391-4102

[www.oakgov.com/petadoption](http://www.oakgov.com/petadoption)

### **Dead stray animals**

Avoid barehanded contact with dead birds and other animals. Use gloves or double plastic bags for small animals and place in the trash.

### **Birds**

Use gloves, double bag in plastic bags and place in the trash.

### **Domesticated Animals**

Contact Oakland County Animal Control

248-391-4102

[www.oakgov.com/petadoption](http://www.oakgov.com/petadoption)

### **Deer**

If found in the road report to **Oakland County Road Commission**

877-858-4804

[www.rcocweb.org](http://www.rcocweb.org)

If found on private property, the homeowner is responsible for removal. You may need to hire a private contractor for removal and disposal. Refer to the telephone directory for resources.

### **Wild Animal**

Use gloves, double bag in plastic bags and place in the trash.

### **Living stray animals**

If you find a baby animal, do not disturb it. Mothers will typically leave babies so they can look for food and will usually come back to get them. If you know the baby has been abandoned in a location for more than one day and is crying a lot, you can contact the DNR at <http://www.michigan.gov/dnr> for information on what to do. Service Center: 313-396-6890.



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## **Bats, Raccoons, Possums or other wildlife in your home**

Call a local critter control or pest control company. Animal control can only handle domesticated animals and cannot remove wild animals from your home.

## **Coyotes, Injured Deer, in your yard**

Contact the DNR at 800-292-7800 if you are having a problem with a wild animal on your property. Do not leave small pets outside unattended. They can entice coyotes to come into your yard which puts your pet in danger. Troy Police Department recommends that citizens experiencing problems with coyotes contact a licensed nuisance company. Typical cost associated with this service ranges from \$300 to \$750. The following companies are licensed and in the area:

Critters Be Gone: Mark Evans, 248-722-2058	Goreman’s Wildlife Removal: Benjamin Foreman, 248-894-1944
ACT Live Trapping: Jeff Stonerock, 248-475-4550	Animal Control Specialist: Trent Masterson, 248-431-8712

Landowners wishing to remove coyotes from their property may obtain services from the listed companies or any other licensed nuisance animal control company. A list of additional licensed nuisance control companies can be found at [www.michigan.gov/wildlife](http://www.michigan.gov/wildlife)

If a coyote presents an immediate danger, the resident should contact their local Police Department by calling 911.

## **Pests**

### **Bedbugs Pamphlets and Fact sheets**

MSU Pesticide Safety Education Program Questions and Answers about Bedbugs. [www.ipm.msu.edu/pesticide\\_education\\_safety/resources/home\\_and\\_garden](http://www.ipm.msu.edu/pesticide_education_safety/resources/home_and_garden)

Michigan Department of Community Health Bedbug Management Flowchart [www.michigan.gov/documents/emergingdiseases/BBflowchart\\_286041\\_7.pdf](http://www.michigan.gov/documents/emergingdiseases/BBflowchart_286041_7.pdf)

Michigan Department of Community Health Don't Let Bedbugs Bite [www.michigan.gov/documents/emergingdiseases/bed\\_bug\\_complete\\_web2\\_304873\\_7.pdf](http://www.michigan.gov/documents/emergingdiseases/bed_bug_complete_web2_304873_7.pdf)

Michigan Department of Community Health Bedbugs & Mattresses Fact sheet for Consumers [www.michigan.gov/documents/emergingdiseases/mattress\\_fact\\_sheet\\_275417\\_7.pdf](http://www.michigan.gov/documents/emergingdiseases/mattress_fact_sheet_275417_7.pdf)



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Michigan Department of Community Health  
How to Move and Leave Bedbugs Behind

[www.michigan.gov/documents/emergingdiseases/Moving\\_286040\\_7.pdf](http://www.michigan.gov/documents/emergingdiseases/Moving_286040_7.pdf)

Michigan Department of Community Health  
Bedbug Fact sheet

[www.michigan.gov/documents/MDCH\\_Bedbugs\\_Factsheet\\_165671\\_7.pdf](http://www.michigan.gov/documents/MDCH_Bedbugs_Factsheet_165671_7.pdf)

MSU Cooperative Extension  
Choosing A Pest Control Company

[www.ipm.msu.edu/pesticide\\_education\\_safety/resources/home\\_and\\_garden](http://www.ipm.msu.edu/pesticide_education_safety/resources/home_and_garden)

**Refer to the telephone directory for other pest control resources.**

### **Other nuisance or communicable illnesses**

**Lice, Lyme Disease, Rabies, Scabies, West Nile Virus**

Oakland County Nurse on Call  
800 848-5533

[www.oakgov.com/health](http://www.oakgov.com/health)