



ANIMAL ADVISOR

HINTS FOR SUBURBAN WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT

ALWAYS REMEMBER 75% OF THE WILDLIFE NUISANCE PROBLEMS CAN BE ELIMINATED IF WE DON'T PROVIDE FOOD AND LODGING OPPORTUNITIES.

<u>WILDLIFE</u>	<u>LODGING/FOOD OPPORTUNITIES</u>	<u>SOLUTION:</u>	<u>SOLUTIONS</u>
Bats	Prefer dwelling in attics, ceilings and walls. Can enter a 3/8 inch hole.	4, 10	1. Animal proof decks. 2. Treat lawn for grubs. 3. Eliminate access to food. 4. Check eaves, lovers, ridge vents, roof line joints for openings. 5. Cap all chimneys. 6. Control garbage availability. 7. Move bird feeders away from dwellings and control spillage. 8. Caulk all holes in foundations, around faucets and dryer vents. 9. All major universities recommend trapping as the only sure damage control measure. 10. Caulk and screen with ¼" mesh any possible entry points. 11. Eliminate groundhog / woodchuck from property. 12. Trim all trees away from structures.
Groundhog Wood Chuck (Same)	Prefers low decks, storage sheds, and detached garages. Food source: gardens and flower beds.	1, 11	
Mice	Live in walls, ceilings and attics, also in living quarters. Able to enter an opening the size of a pencil head.	4, 7, 8	
Moles	Main diet is earth worms in lawns. Digging causes lawn damage.	9	
Raccoons	Prefer living in attics, chimneys, under low decks. Food source: garbage, lawn grubs and pet food.	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 12	
Squirrels	Prefer lodging in walls, ceilings and attics. Food source: bird feeders.	4, 7, 12	
Skunks	Prefer low to ground decks and groundhog holes for lodging. Food source: pet food and lawn grubs.	1, 2, 3, 6, 11	

**REMEMBER, NEVER FEED WILDLIFE
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