



**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF WATERFORD
NUISANCE GEESE
RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, there is an increasing need for different techniques to resolve goose problems, and

WHEREAS, nest destruction and egg removal are effective tools to control site-specific nuisance geese, and

WHEREAS, it is sometimes necessary to gather and remove geese to control populations, as well as re-location or possible euthanization, and

WHEREAS, the Michigan Department of Natural Resources has set forth guidelines for obtaining permits that allow removal and destruction of goose eggs and for goose round-ups to control goose populations, and

WHEREAS, lake associations, private residents and business owners, subdivisions and property owners may submit appropriate paperwork to the DNR Wildlife Division and are responsible for adhering to the requirements under that permit,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Waterford Township approves Egg Destruction and Round Up Permits for nuisance geese for five years (2026-2030), including but not limited to, Angelus, Cass, Clam, Crescent, Eagle, Elizabeth, Geneva, Huntoon, Loon, Lotus, Maceday, Morgan, Oakland, Otter, Pleasant, Pontiac, Schoolhouse, Scott, Silver, Sylvan, Van Norman on the Lakes, Watkins, Williams, and Woodhull Lakes. Further, that the applicant must apply annually through the DNR Goose Program.

Yeas:

Nays:

Absent:

I certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Honorable Charter Township of Waterford Board of Trustees on February 9, 2026.

Kim Markee, Township Clerk