Deer Management Meeting w/ City of Ann Arbor & WC4EB

Date: October 5, 2016

Location: City Hall, Larcom, 1st Floor South Conference Room

In Attendance:

Tom Crawford City of Ann Arbor
Derek Delacourt City of Ann Arbor
Steven Schantz City of Ann Arbor

Bernie Banet WC4EB
Maurita Holland (telephone) WC4EB
Kurt Sonen WC4EB
Chris Graham WC4EB

Meeting Purpose

To continue open communication between the City and WC4EB.

Meeting Summary

City provided WC4EB with an update on the deer management plan to date.

City provided an update regarding the City's data and objectives plans.

City provided an update on communications from MDEQ.

City provided an update on communications from White Buffalo.

City provided an update regarding communications with the USDA.

City provided an update on a "draft" deer-vehicle crash map.

WC4EB requested that White Buffalo provide GPS tracking of sterilized deer as part of the non-lethal program.

WC4EB requested clarification from White Buffalo on total numbers of deer collared. Are all sterilized deer collared, is the proposed number in White Buffalo's 1:20 for deer collared accurate?

City provided a high-level overview regarding;

- Council sessions
- Council work sessions
- City Code Changes for Firearms and Park Rules

WC4EB recommended the City ask the MDNR if the research permit is one or up to five years.

WC4EB requested an answer on what the outcome of the deer management program is to be after 5-years.