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Senolia Public Works Department

To Whom It May Concern:

It is my pleasure, along with my management staff at Animal Control Experts, L.L.C., to present this proposal to your community. We enjoy managing unique and challenging wildlife problems such as the ones present in Dekalb County.

Animal Control Experts, L.L.C. is an innovative solution to wildlife removal. We have a combined total of 4 decades in the field of wildlife removal, along with many years more of training, education, and experience. You can be confident that your nuisance wildlife control problem will be solved when you choose A.C.E. We are fully licensed, insured, and professionally trained to evaluate and implement distinctive services to solve any problem from bats to beavers. Specializing in the management of urban wildlife, is what we are experts in. We are the best in the industry!

The beaver is the largest North American rodent and can be found anywhere there is a body of water. They build dams to modify the environment more to their liking, or slow the flow of the water to create a pond. They are active for approximately 12 hours a night although it is not uncommon to see beaver during the daylight hours. They are monogamous, meaning they mate for life. If their mate gets killed or dies, they become hermits. After a **gestation period of about 128 days**, the female beaver generally gives birth to **3 to 4 kittens** between **March and June** and nurses them for **6 weeks to 3 months**. These kittens will stay with the parents for 2 years at which time they are forced to find their own home, which could be an **adjacent** body of water.

Given the biology of these rodents, **time is of the essence to rid the colony now before kittens are born as it is impossible to trap them when their only nourishment is milk.**

As requested, this is a proposal to remove beaver from the property Maramac Lakes/Howard Road. Enclosed are the objective and responsibility as well as schedule of fees in which the job entails.

1. OBJECTIVE

Multiple traps to be placed and signs posted so that public is aware of beaver trapping. Traps to remain in place until active colony is removed (approximately 2 -3 weeks). Traps to be checked daily, beaver caught removed and disposed of.

2. RESPONSIBILITES

ACE is to be responsible for beaver trapping signs and markers around trap placement. It is the responsibility of Senoia Public Works to get the "Written" permission from land owners whom own waterfront property to provide ACE access to properties as needed, as required by law.

3. SCHEDULE OF FEES

All work outlined, traps placed and checked daily: **\$1850.00**

Thank you again for allowing A.C. E. LLC to devise a plan to solve your nuisance wildlife problem. Our licenses and insurance certificates are available upon request. If there are any questions, please feel free to call me at any time.

Sincerely,

Lynn Hampton
Operations Manager
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