

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Council President Schutt and Members of Council  
**FROM:** Shane McAviney, Director of Parks and Recreation  
**DATE:** Friday, December 4, 2020  
**RE:** Ohio Geese Control – Parkview Recreational Area

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Over the past several years, Mayfield Village has used Ohio Geese Control to help manage the issue of geese in the Parkview Recreational Area. This includes the Soccer and Softball Fields, The Grove, and the Tennis and Bocce Court areas. We've seen a huge decrease in amount of geese in the area and issues that they bring. This method is also 100% humane as the dogs simply chase the geese out of the area.

It's our recommendation that we sign a full year contract for 2021 (Option 3) to cover all the season's and to make sure there's no lapse from the previous year's work. **The \$11,220.00 total is the same price we paid last year so there is no increase for 2021.**

cc: Mayor Brenda T. Bodnar  
Department Heads



## OHIO GEESE CONTROL, LLC

Client: Mayfield Village Parks & Recreation  
 Sean Supler, Park Manager

Date: November 13, 2020

Proposal: Geese Control for  
 Parkview Soccer Fields, Pond area, Amphitheater, Softball  
 fields, Bocce Courts, 3 Tennis Courts & New parking lot

### PROPOSAL DETAILS

Ohio Geese Control, LLC (OGC) will maintain a low number to zero geese environment at Mayfield Village Parks & Recreation for the 2021 season as part of a longer-term geese control solution.

Ensure the geese are never harmed in the process

- Ensure public safety by using only licensed and insured dogs.
- Ensure a healthier environment for the public.
- Provide a healthier turf as an added benefit of geese removal.

There may be a disruption to service due to Weather, Pandemics or any other unforeseen circumstances beyond our control. This will be communicated prior to the disruption.

Our services include:

1 to 3 visits a day, Monday through Friday. (weather permitting) - Timing will vary each day to maximize service - Trained border collies will be used to haze geese - A variety of tactics will also be employed
1 visit on Saturday <b>and</b> Sunday - This ensures a clean environment at the beginning of each work week
Night visits – as needed
Egg adding, counting and reporting
On-going geese management consultation
Monthly informative e-newsletters
-Our clients have expressed 100% satisfaction in the 15 years of our service

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 Goose  
 Management  
 Professionals



We have a staff of 50 employees that are certified in Canada geese management. They are knowledgeable, courteous and highly trained on dog handling and Canada geese behavior and safety.



## OGC SCHEDULE & FEES

### Option 1: Weekly Service Contract

Service time period: Weekly (\_\_\_\_# weeks)  
 Weekly Cost: \$295 per week  
 Total Service Term Cost: \$295 x # of weeks = \$\_\_\_\_\_

### Option 2: Seasonal Service Contract

February 1, 2021 – June 30, 2021  
 Service time period: 22 weeks  
 Weekly Cost: \$275.00 per week  
 Total Service Term Cost: \$6,050.00

### Option 3: 2021 Yearly Contract

February 1, 2021 – June 30, 2021  
 August 2, 2021 – December 31, 2021  
 Service time period: 44 weeks  
 Weekly Cost: \$255 per week  
 Total Service Term Cost: \$11,220.00

Ohio Geese Control will not be in service during the following holidays:

#### Holiday

New Year's Day

Easter

Memorial Day and Weekend

Labor Day and Weekend

Thanksgiving

Christmas, Dec 24-26

New Year's Eve

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Canada geese control services are recommended to begin in February when geese are beginning to migrate back to the area.

OGC will not be in service from July 1<sup>st</sup> through July 31<sup>st</sup> due to the molting season of the geese. Canada geese are unable to fly through their molting as they are rejuvenating fall migration feathers.



**OHIO GEESE CONTROL PROPOSAL**

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*Prices listed do not include sales tax, which will be added to your invoice based on the county that the services are rendered, unless a tax exempt form is provided.*

*Fees associated with third party billing, software feeds, and contractor site safety training are the responsibility of the client. OGC requires notification of relevant fees prior to signing of the contract.*

*\*There may be a fuel surcharge if gas prices exceed \$3.90*

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Terms: Services will be billed monthly, net 30 days.

**APPROVAL:**

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Signature

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Name

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Company

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Date

