

United States
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Agriculture

Animal and
Plant Health
Inspection
Service

Wildlife Services
2803 Jolly Road
Suite 100
Okemos, MI 48864

21 May 2019

Dear Applicant:

Enclosed is your approved permit to participate in the Roundup (Capture) and Holding of Canada Geese. This permit authorizes the roundup and temporary holding of flightless adults and goslings at the site listed on the permit from June 3, 2019 to July 3, 2019 ONLY.

This authorization is granted as a provision of the Federal Fish and Wildlife Permit, MB024044-3, issued to the Michigan Department of Natural Resources by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

You MUST provide a copy of this permit to the contractor you listed on your application form. The contractor is responsible to transport the birds as directed by DNR staff.

If you are rounding up the birds yourself, you must keep a copy of this permit with you at all times you are engaged in roundup activities and holding birds, until the birds are picked up and transported by a licensed contractor. You are not allowed to round up birds until the day geese are picked up by the contractor. This authorization does not allow for the handling or transporting of birds.

Also, please be informed of the DNR's intent to implement provisions stated in the 2019 Canada Goose Roundup (Capture) and Hold Permit. There is potential for the geese to be killed due to an increase of sites participating in the Goose Roundup program and limited relocation sites available. Efforts will be made to process these geese for soup kitchens.

We do not plan on mailing Round Up applications again in 2020. You are required to contact us if you wish to participate. The DNR continues to encourage landowners to increase their tolerance for Canada geese on their property and to use alternative methods to address Canada goose conflicts.

Enclosed is a Canada Goose Translocation/Roundup Report. This report should be used by your contractor and submitted to DNR staff at the release site. Along with the report is the Canada Goose Roundup/Capturing Procedures. Please read through the information before starting to roundup the birds. If you have any questions, please contact me at the number below.

Sincerely,

Jake Nave
USDA – Wildlife Services
517-318-3475



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Michigan Department of Natural Resources - Wildlife Division

**APPLICATION AND PERMIT TO
ROUND UP (CAPTURE) AND HOLD CANADA GEES**

*Required under the authority of the Wildlife Conservation Order,
Chapter V, Sections 5.51, 5.15a, and 5.51b, and 5.110.*

PAID

A Permit is required to Round Up (Capture) and Hold Canada Geese. This form is the application and permit to Round Up (Capture) and Hold Canada Geese. After being approved and signed by the Director's authorized representative, it becomes a valid permit. Permit eligibility requirements and additional information is on the back of this form.

Applicant DAVID G. VERBEKE	Property Contact DAVID G. VERBEKE	Telephone 810 - [REDACTED]
Mailing Address [REDACTED]	Property Address RUNYAN LAKE	
	City, State, ZIP Fenton, MI 48430	
	Name of Site (lake, park, etc.) **One site per application** RUNYAN LAKE	
	Township TYRONE	County LIVINGSTON
	Nearest Crossroad US 23 + White Lake Rd	
Name of Licensed Contractor rounding up, capturing and transporting birds GOOSE BUSTER Chris Compton 1-800-521-8777		
* LAKE ASSOCIATION, LAKE AND/OR SITE WITH MULTIPLE PROPERTY OWNERS (NON-REFUNDABLE PERMIT FEE \$200.00 and must have government resolution or petition)		
COMMERCIAL/BUSINESS (NON-REFUNDABLE PERMIT FEE: \$200.00)		
SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENCE (NON-REFUNDABLE PERMIT FEE: \$100.00)		
SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENCE: \$100.00 Non-Refundable (i.e. a residence that owns a pond)		
ALL OTHERS: \$200.00 Non-Refundable (includes all lake associations, businesses, apartments, condos, parks, golf courses etc.)		

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MAY 21.

I have read, understand, and will comply with the terms and conditions of the permit. I assure the Michigan DNR that all lakefront landowners have been notified of the goose program and understand that geese removed from this site may be killed. I have provided a copy of the petition/government resolution to the Michigan DNR, and at least seventy percent of the lakefront owners have signed the petition authorizing Canada goose round up (capture) and holding. I understand this permit does not authorize trespass and that the permit fee is non-refundable.

David Verbeke
Applicant Signature

April 27th / 19
Date

Make check or money order payable to the "State of Michigan" and mail with completed and signed application:
USDA APHIS Wildlife Services
2803 Jolly Road, Suite 100
Okemos, MI 48864



APPROVED

Director's Authorized Representative Signature of Approval [Signature]				
Issue Date 05/09/19	Expiration Date 07/04/19	Permit Number RU-131	Law Enforcement District 8	Wildlife Region SE