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REPORT WILD PIGS! DON'T SHOOT THEM!

CALL KDFWR @ 800-858-1549

*KY Department of Fish and Wildlife
and USDA Wildlife Services offer **FREE**
TRAPPING services to KY landowners!*

A NEED FOR CONCERN...

Wild pigs are a highly destructive pest species that cause irreparable damage to Kentucky's wildlife and natural resources.

THE PROBLEM FOR WILDLIFE...

Wild pigs eat almost anything, robbing our native wildlife of food and often preying on native animals as well. Rooting and wallowing behaviors destroy forests, natural areas, and water quality.

THE PROBLEM FOR AGRICULTURE...

Wild Pigs damage agricultural crops causing major financial losses to KY farmers.

A DISEASE THREAT ...

Wild pigs are one the most active carriers of diseases. Up to 45 diseases and parasites are transmissible by wild pigs, some of which are deadly to humans, livestock, and pets. USDA has confirmed the presence of both Pseudorabies and Swine Brucellosis in KY.

REPRODUCTIVE POTENTIAL...

Wild Pigs have an astounding reproductive potential. Females are capable of producing two litters of 3-10 piglets per year. Sows can breed as young as 6 months. Females are social animals that live in groups called sounders.

REPORT, DON'T SHOOT! ...

Hunting is not an effective means of eradication! Shooting one or two pigs scatters the sounder, making trapping efforts more difficult. Trapping pigs catches the whole sounder at once.



Release of wild pigs is illegal!

Report the possession, sale, or release of wild pigs to
1-800-858-1549 or **1-800-25ALERT** (1-800-252-5378).