

RESOLUTION 2011-032

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE APPROVAL AND EXECUTION OF A CONTRACT WITH NORTH SHORE GOOSE CONTROL FOR THE 2011 VHAC GOOSE MANAGEMENT SERVICES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$6,125

WHEREAS, the President and Board of Trustees desire to maintain the Village's infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, the work to be completed within this contract includes Goose Management Services at the Vernon Hills Athletic Complex (VHAC); and

WHEREAS, proposals were received by the Vernon Hills Public Works Department for 2011 VHAC Goose Management Services; and

WHEREAS, North Shore Goose Control of Lincolnshire, Illinois, submitted the lowest qualified proposal in the amount of \$6,125; and

WHEREAS, \$7,500 was budgeted in the VHAC Bldg & Grounds Mtnc Svc account #0115110 520600; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE VILLAGE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF VERNON HILLS, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS:

THAT the Village Manager is authorized to execute a contract and to make payments to North Shore Goose Control of Lincolnshire, IL for the 2011 VHAC GOOSE MANAGEMENT SERVICES in the amount not to exceed \$6,125.

I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 15th day of March 2011.

Adopted by roll call vote as follows:

AYES: 5 – Schultz, Schwartz, Koch, Hebda, Marquardt

NAYS: 0 - None

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: 1 - Williams



Roger L. Byrne, Village President

PASSED: 3/15/2011

APPROVED: 3/15/2011

ATTEST: 3/16/2011



Michael Wilson, Village Clerk



Proposal North Shore Goose Control

Robert Jost / Owner/Operator
1-847-913-5855
Lincolnshire, Illinois

Date: 01/04/11
Business Name: Village of Vernon Hills
Contact name: Tom Brettman
Phone: 1-847-918-3591
Address: 490 Greenleaf Drive
City, State, Zip: Vernon Hills Il, 60061

Dear Mr. Tom Brettman,
It is a pleasure to present this proposal to Vernon Hills Village from North Shore Goose Control for the Vernon Hills Athletic Complex 41 acre site located on N. Fairway drive in Vernon Hills. Please do not hesitate to call me with any questions that you may have.

SERVICES / FULLY INSURED

North Shore Goose will monitor the goose population at the Vernon Hills Athletic Complex. Service will start March 15th 2011 making 2 visits per day, 7 days a week through June 30th 2011. Service will restart on July 15th 2011 through November 30th 2011.

We will use the aid of trained canines named Holly the Border Collie and Sky the Labrador to chase the geese off the property.

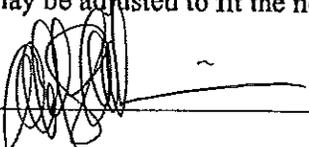
IN ADDITION

We will also provide egg addling if needed at no cost.
(Permit would be required)

FEE STRUCTURE AND COMPENSATION

Payment is due the 10th of each month in the amount of \$175.00 per week.

This proposal may be adjusted to fit the needs of the Vernon Hills Sport Complex.

Signature  Michael S. Allison
Village Manager

Date of acceptance of agreement 3/16/11



Dog Service for Goose Management Proposal

Date: August 25, 2010 WGC/MBM Job Name: VHPW-Nike Flds.
Contact: Tom Brettmann
Job Name: Vernon Hills Athletic Complex
Job Address: 145 N. Lakeview Parkway (307 South Nike Way)
Job City/State: Vernon Hills, IL 60061

We hereby submit specifications and proposals to: Vernon Hills Public Works, 490 Greenleaf, Vernon Hills, IL 60061; Attention: Tom Brettmann; Phone: 847-918-3591, Fax: 847-367-3728.

Wild Goose Chase, Inc. will provide Border Collie and Handler to move wild Canada geese from the location listed above. Site inspections shall be performed, weather permitting, by Wild Goose Chase, Inc. personnel for goose control. We shall be allowed access of multiple visits as needed, to the property for the duration of the service contract; excluding major holidays. Wild Goose Chase, Inc. shall provide written reports at the end of each month listing site specific activity and observations.

Contract Period and Terms:

Spring Nesting 2011	Fall Migration 2011	Spring Nesting 2012	Fall Migration 2012
3/14/2011 - 5/22/2011	8/1/2011 - 11/27/2011	3/12/2012 - 5/20/2012	7/30/2012 - 11/25/2012

We propose hereby to furnish services complete in accordance with above specifications for the sum of: **\$250.00 Two Hundred Fifty Dollars and No Cents per week**

All work to be completed in a workmanlike manner according to standard practices. Any alteration or deviation from above specifications involving extra costs will be executed only upon written orders, and will become an extra charge over and above the estimate.

The aforementioned service will be billed at the beginning of contract period and the first of each month thereafter or arrangements can be made for a quarterly billing cycle. Payment is due upon receipt of invoice. A service charge of 1 1/2% per month (18%) per year will be added to all balances not paid within thirty (30) days of invoice.

Purchaser agrees to pay any expenses incurred by Wild Goose Chase, Inc. in collecting amounts due: including court costs, attorney's fees, and any other costs of collection including just compensation for time spent in pursuit of delinquent accounts by those representing Wild Goose Chase be it the owner or an officer of the company.

Note: This proposal may be withdrawn if not accepted within 15 days.

Susan Hagberg
Wild Goose Chase, Inc.
By: Susan Hagberg
Its: President

Patrick M Halloran
Wild Goose Chase, Inc.
By: Patrick Halloran
Its: Field Op./Account Manager

Acceptance of Proposal - The above prices, specifications and conditions are satisfactory and are hereby accepted. You are authorized to do the work as specified. Payment will be made as outlined above.

Date of Acceptance: 4/7/11

VEDAGB MGR
Authorized Signature (Title)

Another
Wild Goose Chase



August 1, 2010

RE: VHPW-Nike Flds.
Attn: Tom Brettmann
Vernon Hills Public Works
490 Greenleaf
Vernon Hills, IL 60061

RE: VHPW-Nike Flds.

Dear Tom,

Wild Goose Chase is proud to provide you with the following review of accomplishments achieved for Spring 2010. This recap is unique and sets us apart from other service providers. This is a comprehensive management tool of record keeping which gives us the opportunity to provide a program designed specifically for your property and the conditions that are present. This record keeping helps us evaluate progress and improve the management and application of our services on your property thus utilizing your resources in the most cost effective way, especially in this challenging economy.

This year's extended winter season did not affect the start of the nesting season and the molting period (a.k.a. the flightless period) remains on track with most geese able to fly by the middle of August. The constant challenge to this property is the large expanse of grass.

The services we have selected specific to your location are:

- **Border Collie Service:** Border collie patrols discourage geese from utilizing your property and becoming a nuisance. They are critical for sustained management of the problems associated with geese. We began goose patrol services on March 15 2010 and provided them through May 23 2010. Goose activity was most often seen in the following areas: on the fields. Our goose management program is in place through the 2010 season.
- **Egg Depredation Service:** Egg depredation services are available for properties that experience nesting challenges in spring, which result in unwanted "resident" geese. Egg-depredation services are not recommended at this time.
- **Flight Control Service:** Flight Control® Plus, a sprayed application, provides additional coverage to deter geese from grazing on specific turf areas when Border collies are not on site. A Flight Control® application is not necessary at this time.

Your specific site results can be affected by other neighboring sites who do not manage their goose related issues. Cooperative efforts with neighboring properties are highly recommended and can lower your overall costs. In addition; we would be happy to set up a meeting to demonstrate the difference that Wild Goose Chase makes, with any of your business associates that also may be experiencing nuisance goose problems.

It has been our great pleasure to provide goose control services at your property. We know that you are working on your budget for next year, so we are attaching the service proposal(s) not only for 2011, but also for the 2012 season. We feel that by looking ahead, and maintaining our 2010 service fees through the year 2012, that we may all "better weather this economic storm". We look forward to continuing our work at VHPW-Nike Flds. and remain open and flexible in order to accommodate your property(s) unique needs.

Sincerely,

Pat Halloran
Account Manager