

## United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

SWELCH INS-0000831694

#### **Inspection Report**

SHALOM WILDLIFE SANCTUARY LLC 1901 SHALOM DRIVE WEST BEND, WI 53090 Customer ID: 325088

Certificate: 35-C-0362

Site: 001

SHALOM WILDLIFE SANCTUARY

LLC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 01-DEC-2022

#### 2.131(e) Critical

#### Handling of animals.

On the morning of 11/19/2022, two tiger cubs (Khan and Nina, DOB Aug 2022) were found dead in the enclosure. The licensee said early that morning up to 6" of heavy slush/snow had fallen and covered the entire enclosure and pond, making it difficult to distinguish the pond's borders in the landscape. The licensee reported all four cubs and tiger mother were observed to be fine early that morning, but shortly after observed abnormal behavior from the mother and he went over to the den and found a dead cub, possibly moved there by the mother. Once the mother tiger was secured, he went down to the pond and removed a cub from the water, but it was also deceased. He said he called the AV and that over the phone the AV presumably thought hypothermic shock that led to drowning was the cause of death. The climatic conditions that morning were likely a role in the tiger cubs' death. If climatic conditions create a threat to an animal's well-being, appropriate action must be taken to alleviate the impact of those conditions, such as preventing access to water features that can become unsafe in winter.

The facility reported this incident to the USDA on 11/20/2022 and took immediate corrective action for the mother and remaining 2 cubs by preventing their access to the pond.

Correction: Ensure corrective actions are maintained to protect animals from unsafe conditions created by weather conditions.

Prepared By: SCOTT WELCH \_\_\_\_\_ Date:

Title: VETERINARY MEDICAL

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## **Species Inspected**

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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000002	Procyon lotor	RACCOON
000001	Camelus dromedarius	DROMEDARY CAMEL
000013	Cervus elaphus	RED DEER
000020	Cervus elaphus canadensis	ELK
000011	Ovis dalli	DALL SHEEP WHITE SHEEP
000002	Ursus arctos syriacus	SYRIAN BROWN BEAR
000035	Capra hircus	DOMESTIC GOAT
000003	Boselaphus tragocamelus	NILGAI
800000	Lemur catta	RING-TAILED LEMUR
000006	Panthera tigris	TIGER
000001	Sus scrofa domestica	DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG
000001	Ovis aries aries	SHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS
000002	Mustela vison	AMERICAN MINK
000005	Canis latrans	COYOTE
000004	Vulpes lagopus	ARCTIC FOX
000002	Vulpes vulpes	RED FOX (INCLUDES SILVER FOX & CROSS FOX)
000004	Canis lupus	GRAY WOLF / GREY WOLF / TIMBER WOLF
000002	Puma concolor	PUMA / MOUNTAIN LION / COUGAR
000003	Lynx rufus	BOBCAT
000001	Erethizon dorsatum	NORTH AMERICAN PORCUPINE
000011	Cervus nippon	SIKA DEER
000018	Dama dama	FALLOW DEER
000070	Odocoileus virginianus	WHITE-TAILED DEER
000003	Equus quagga	BURCHELL'S / GRANT'S / CHAPMAN'S / PLAINS ZEBRA
000003	Ammotragus lervia	BARBARY SHEEP
000006	Bison bison	AMERICAN BISON
000006	Lama glama	LLAMA
000006	Lama pacos	ALPACA
000002	Taxidea taxus	AMERICAN BADGER
000002	Martes pennanti	FISHER
000002		AMERICAN BLACK BEAR
000004	Osphranter rufus	RED KANGAROO
000002	Didelphis virginiana	VIRGINIA OPOSSUM
000009	Cynomys Iudovicianus	BLACK-TAILED PRAIRIE DOG
000001	Bos taurus	CATTLE / COW / OX / WATUSI
000003	Mephitis mephitis	STRIPED SKUNK
000002	Lynx lynx	NORTHERN/EURASIAN LYNX
000007	Ovis aries gmelini	ARMENIAN MOUFLON
000003	Bubalus bubalis	ASIATIC WATER BUFFALO
000002	Bos primigenuis indicus	ZEBU
000001	Oryctolagus cuniculus	DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT



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