



Inspection Report

BLANDFORD NATURE CENTER

1715 HILLBURN AVE NW
GRAND RAPIDS, MI 49504

Customer ID: **44592**

Certificate: **34-C-0295**

Site: 001

BLANDFORD NATURE CENTER

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 22-DEC-2021

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Facilities, general.

The facility recently acquired 2 young bobcats. On Friday December 17, 2021 the female bobcat escaped from the outside/exhibit portion of its primary enclosure.

The indoor and outdoor housing facilities shall be structurally sound and shall be maintained in good repair to protect the animals from injury and to contain the animals.

Primary enclosures for wild animals must be structurally sound and maintained in good repair to prevent escape from the enclosure. Primary enclosures must contain the animals to prevent injury or death. The bobcat was livetrapped off grounds on December 19, 2021. The bobcats are currently being housed in the inside/sheltered portion of their enclosure.

To be corrected January 22, 2022.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with a facility representative.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
44592	34-C-0295	001	BLANDFORD NATURE CENTER	22-DEC-2021

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000001	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT
000002	<i>Glaucomys volans</i>	SOUTHERN FLYING SQUIRREL
000001	<i>Didelphis virginiana</i>	VIRGINIA OPOSSUM
000001	<i>Erethizon dorsatum</i>	NORTH AMERICAN PORCUPINE
000002	<i>Lynx rufus</i>	BOBCAT
000007	Total	