



Inspection Report

Big Run Wolf Ranch
14857 Farrell Road
Lockport, IL 60441

Customer ID: **330217**
Certificate: **33-C-0447**
Site: 001
Big Run Wolf Ranch

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 04-APR-2025

2.131(c)(1) Critical

Handling of animals.

The licensee had a skunk named "Casper" that was taken to an event in September 2024. During the event, a child walked past the cones that were set up as a barrier and stuck her finger in the cage the skunk was kept in. The girl was bit on her finger by the skunk. The skunk had to be euthanized so it could be tested for rabies.

Not having an appropriate barrier in place to prevent a person from putting their fingers in the enclosure doesn't ensure the safety of the public and the animals.

Appropriate barriers need to be put in place so as to prevent any incidents where a member of the public could get bit from a regulated animal.

Correct starting on 4/4/25.

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

End of report.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000001	<i>Canis latrans</i>	COYOTE
000007	<i>Canis lupus</i>	GRAY WOLF / GREY WOLF / TIMBER WOLF
000001	<i>Puma concolor</i>	PUMA / MOUNTAIN LION / COUGAR
000001	<i>Panthera tigris</i>	TIGER
000001	<i>Erethizon dorsatum</i>	NORTH AMERICAN PORCUPINE
000001	<i>Ursus americanus</i>	NORTH AMERICAN BLACK BEAR
000001	<i>Lynx canadensis</i>	CANADIAN LYNX
000001	<i>Anser anser domesticus</i>	DOMESTIC GOOSE
000001	<i>Numida meleagris</i>	DOMESTIC GUINEAFOWL / HELMETED GUINEAFOWL / PEARL HEN
000002	<i>Meleagris gallopavo domesticus</i>	DOMESTIC TURKEY
000002	<i>Gallus gallus domesticus</i>	DOMESTIC CHICKEN (INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS / TURKIN / COCK / HEN / ROOSTER)
000001	<i>Sus scrofa domestica</i>	DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG
000000	<i>Mephitis mephitis</i>	STRIPED SKUNK
000020	Total	