



## Inspection Report

Wolves Woods & Wildlife  
10132 235th St West  
Lakeville, MN 55044

Customer ID: **41564**  
Certificate: **41-C-0215**  
Site: 001

WOLVES WOODS & WILDLIFE

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: 29-AUG-2017

### 2.40(b)(2)

#### ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE (DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS).

An arctic fox had an area behind its right ear that was missing some hair and was slightly raised and crusted. This was something that the facility reports that it wasn't aware of prior to inspection. The crusted area looks like a scab and could be due to numerous causes. A close up evaluation of this area is needed by the facility and attending veterinarian and the attending veterinarian's prescribed treatment plan must be followed.

A wolf "Tatonka" was seen to have an open wound on the area over her right triceps with a scabbed wound by her right elbow behind the open wound. The licensee said that in the past couple weeks she was bit by another wolf and that they were putting topical Vitaderm on it. The attending veterinarian's last documented visit to the facility was to prescribe fly medication for wolves and evaluate some pigs on 8/2/17. The facility did not have written instructions from the veterinarian to apply Vitaderm or topical medications. During inspection, the topical Vitaderm on hand was expired and didn't appear to have been used. Another topical product the facility said they use on the wound was also expired and a third topical spray was shown to us that the licensee said is applied to the wound (no expiration date was found on the spray). The facility must have the attending veterinarian evaluate Tatonka's wounds and follow the veterinarian's prescribed treatment plan and ensure expired medications are not used and are properly disposed of.

Untreated veterinary care problems in animals can cause them prolonged discomfort and if not treated conditions could worsen. Ensure that animals with veterinary care problems are seen by the veterinarian and treated as prescribed.

Correct by 9/1/17

### 2.75(b)(1)(iv)

#### RECORDS: DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS.

Two wolves were sold or given away to another individual, but the name and address of that individual was not documented. Not properly keeping disposition records does not allow for proper tracking of the animals by an APHIS official. All disposition records must be kept for one year after the animal leaves the facility. Correct from this

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day forward.

### 3.127(a)

#### **FACILITIES, OUTDOOR.**

One wolf was separated from the pack for health observations but its didn't have adequate shelter. The shelter was a shade cloth over half of the enclosure. The wolf's only shade available was in a completely muddy area under the shade cloth. Lack of a dry area out of direct sunlight could cause an animal unnecessary stress. The shelter also would not adequately protect the wolf from the inclement weather such as wind or rain. Natural or artificial shelter must be available to protect the animal from inclement weather.

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This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

End of report.

#### **Additional Inspectors**

Welch Scott, Veterinary Medical Officer

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## Species Inspected

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41564	41-C-0215	001	WOLVES WOODS & WILDLIFE	29-AUG-17

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000004	<i>Bos taurus</i>	CATTLE / COW / OX / WATUSI
000051	<i>Canis lupus</i>	GRAY WOLF / GREY WOLF / TIMBER WOLF
000018	<i>Capra hircus</i>	DOMESTIC GOAT
000002	<i>Cynomys ludovicianus</i>	BLACK-TAILED PRAIRIE DOG
000002	<i>Erethizon dorsatum</i>	NORTH AMERICAN PORCUPINE
000001	<i>Lynx canadensis</i>	CANADIAN LYNX
000004	<i>Lynx rufus</i>	BOBCAT
000001	<i>Martes pennanti</i>	FISHER
000003	<i>Mephitis mephitis</i>	STRIPED SKUNK
000017	<i>Odocoileus virginianus</i>	WHITE-TAILED DEER
000005	<i>Ovis aries aries</i>	SHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS
000007	<i>Procyon lotor</i>	RACCOON
000005	<i>Puma concolor</i>	PUMA / MOUNTAIN LION / COUGAR
000014	<i>Sus scrofa domestica</i>	DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG
000004	<i>Vulpes lagopus</i>	ARCTIC FOX
000010	<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	RED FOX (INCLUDES SILVER FOX & CROSS FOX)
<b>000148</b>	<b>Total</b>	