



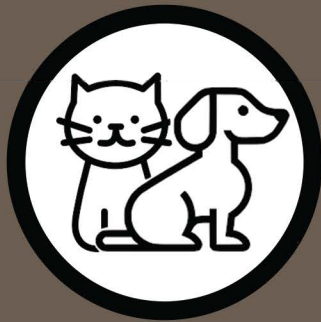
Coyote Mating Season is Upon Us

Coyote breeding season is from mid-January to mid-March, and they become more active during this time.

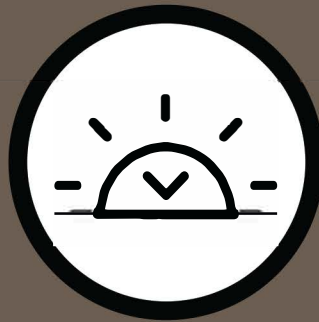
To prevent conflicts with coyotes, residents are encouraged to stay alert and follow these actionable tips:



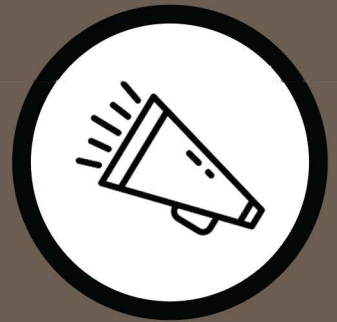
Remove food sources from yard (bird seed on ground, pet food, compost, garbage outside of bin).



Keep dogs on leashes at all times. Keep cats safe inside your home, especially from dusk through dawn.



Accompany dogs in yard dusk through dawn, even with an electric fence.



Deter coyotes from entering yard with hazing techniques (yelling, clapping, whistling, throwing objects near them)

Coyotes are an important part of Avon Lake's landscape. Keep your distance and enjoy the wildlife viewing experience. Did you know that coyotes ...

- are native to North America?
- typically are shy in nature?
- have a wide variety in their diet?
- use many forms of communication?
- mate for life?
- live in major cities?

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