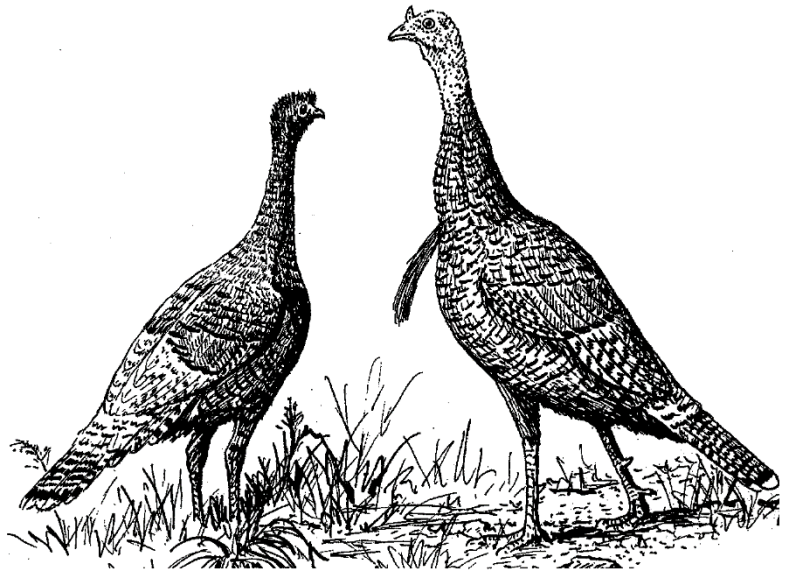


NEIGHBORHOOD NOTICE

The Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife responded to multiple complaints this year from your neighbors in NW Dallas with property damage caused by turkeys.

TIPS TO AVOID TURKEY DAMAGE

- Don't feed turkeys
- Keep bird feeder areas clean and remove feeders in the spring (plenty of natural foods are available for songbirds)
- Remove fallen fruit and nuts from your property
- Don't scatter or deposit birdseed and/or cracked corn with the intent of attracting or feeding wild animals
- Share these tips with your neighbors – a community effort will be more effective in preventing conflicts with turkeys



If you are experiencing turkey disturbance or damage, a hazing permit can be obtained from ODFW free of charge. It is illegal to harass wildlife without a permit. Common hazing methods include chasing, spraying with a garden hose, using motion-activated sprinklers, mylar streamers or scarecrows, bright lights and noise.

AVOID A \$1250 FINE

According to Dallas city ordinance order 1698, “no person shall feed or keep in captivity within the city a carnivorous wild animal or wild bird”. “Feed” means to place or allowed to be placed, in a manner, food or other attractants with the intent of attracting or feeding wild animals. Violation of this ordinance constitutes a class C misdemeanor. **Thank you for being a responsible neighbor and keeping turkeys wild.**

For more information, call ODFW at (541) 757-4186 or follow the QR to our website

To make a report about the feeding of turkeys, call the Dallas city code services at (503) 831-3562

