



# Save Our Geese

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Friends and Neighbors,

They're at it again. LOP is planning another slaughter of the geese anytime between today and January 29. Each licensed hunter can kill 30 geese per day. Rumor has it there are at least 10 hunters. Now do the math. If anyone thinks the WMST is going to stop at 80 dead geese, we don't.



*LOP 2020 - A total of 130 Canada Geese were killed. Most if not all were thrown in the garbage.*

This contrived, baseless hunt stems from the **falsehoods** of the **geese** contaminating Lake Wildwood. [March 2022 Sewage Spill @ Lake Wildwood](#) "There was another incident with water quality at the lake in 2018 involving *E. coli*. The cause of the *E. coli* was never officially determined, although many blamed geese or improperly maintained

*water ways."*

**This time they want your permission to discharge a firearm 150 yards or closer to YOUR house and/or outbuildings.**

How will your permission to allow hunting on your property impact your neighbor who chooses to NOT give permission? How will the sounds of shotgun blasts within the gates of LOP effect friends, children, or grandchildren? And how will shotgun blasts effect the community's pets?

Hunting in LOP is in violation of LOP CC&R Article VIII Section 7 and constitutes a NUISANCE upon the common areas of the community. It also violates Civil Code 5925 providing the Opposition with a vehicle to resolve conflicts like this.

**PLEASE, Don't sign the LOP Geese Depredation Program – Property Owner Release**

There are several HUMANE methods of deterrence and population control which have not been used, or regularly used, that can be implemented instead of slaughtering the geese. Many people chose LOP as their home because they enjoy the wildlife. Residents were never given the chance to vote on this highly CONTROVERSIAL issue.

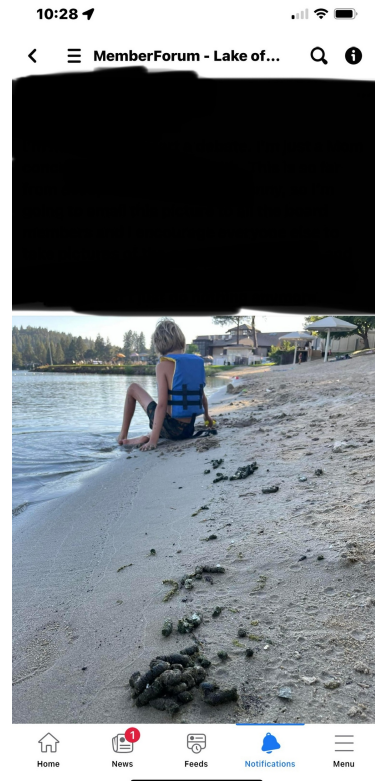
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## **Monthly dues keep increasing but... we're subjected to this?**

Has anyone wondered why our beaches and common areas look like this?

... the more goose poop left lying around, the easier it is to gain acceptance to hunting and killing the geese.

SHAME!!



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## SaveOurGeese - Our Position

### We Oppose

SaveOurGeese Coalition opposes the killing of live geese and discharging firearms within the LOP community.

### We Support

We are supportive of reducing the number of geese through a combination of nest depredation, [egg addling \(done humanely\)](#), hazing, [contraceptives](#), predator scarecrows, light/water motion detectors, fencing, etc.

### SOG is Willing to Help

We are willing to help form a committee of DEDICATED volunteers accountable to the members, who commit to ACTIVELY employing non-lethal means to reduce the geese population and waste.

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## E-newsletter Sign Up

Sign-up for the SaveOurGeese E-newsletter [HERE](#).



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*Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it's the only thing that ever has. – Margaret Mead.*

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