



Rossmoor Wildlife Watch

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January 18 – February 20, 2017 Coyote Reporting Summary

Summary:

There were seven reports submitted during the reporting period, although one was from December. One report was for remains, and there were five separate coyote reports. The two reports from 2/18 are likely the same coyote given the location and time. Increased activity earlier than normal may be due to the heavy rains and the flood control gates being open. The rains are also likely to create an abundance of rabbits and other coyote favorites. I would not be surprised if we have a very busy “coyote reporting season” starting early and extending into the late summer.

Date	Time	Location	Description
12/18 (reported 1/27/17)	6:30 a.m.	Chaucer side of 3151 Bradbury Road	We found the fur and remnants of our pet cat on Chaucer side of 3151 Bradbury Road It was hard to report the loss of our pet. It was my 13-year-old daughters pet. We have now lost a puppy to coyote attack in our own backyard...And now our cat that was 2 years old. There are at least 5 neighbors that I know of that has lost a pet to a coyote. Something needs to be done!!! And Soon!!
1/25	11:00 p.m.	Bradbury Road & Weatherby, then up Weatherby	The coyote was the size of a German Shepherd. It saw me turn north onto Weatherby and started running ahead of my car. It looked back at me a few times, but stayed just ahead of me. As we approached Hedwig/Orangewood, it turned off on a side street and disappeared.
1/30	5:30 a.m.	Weaver school yard	my son was running and saw one in the playground.

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2/9	1:30 p.m.	On Copa de Oro between Silver Fox and Bellwood	The coyote came from Silver Fox at a run and continued on Copa de Oro heading in the direction of Foster. This is my first sighting of a coyote so I cannot say what size it was but I will guess that it was about 60 lbs based on the size and weight of my dog. A kind gentleman stopped me while I was walking my little dog to let me know that a coyote was running down Christy toward Copa de Oro. I didn't see the coyote myself but saw a photo on Nextdoor of the same animal at Hillrose and Christy taken minutes before I was warned.
2/9	2:15 p.m.	Tigertail and Christy	
2/18	5:10 p.m.	going south on Martha Ann Dr. @ Woodstock	A healthy looking adult size running south in front of my home, on the sidewalk.
2/18	5:40 p.m.	Martha Ann and Druid	Large size coyote, brindle colored, walking north on Martha Ann toward Salmon.

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