

APPENDIX B: COYOTE BEHAVIOR CLASSIFICATION AND RECOMMENDED RESPONSE

COYOTE BEHAVIOR	TYPE OF INTERACTION	THREAT LEVEL	WHO TO CONTACT
Coyote is heard vocalizing, coyote tracks or scat are observed	Observation	Green	Citizen Service Center
Coyote is seen moving or resting in an area	Sighting	Green	Citizen Service Center
Coyote stalks (approaches or follows) a person that is with a pet	Encounter	Green	Pasadena Humane Society
Coyote is seen moving or resting in a sensitive location such as a playground or school	Sighting	Yellow	Pasadena Humane Society
Coyote appears sick or injured	Sighting	Yellow	Pasadena Humane Society
Coyote stalks (approaches or follows) a person that is without pet	Encounter	Yellow	Pasadena Humane Society
Coyote enters a yard without pets or people	Sighting	Yellow	Citizen Service Center
Coyote enters a yard with pets; no injury occurs	Encounter	Yellow	Citizen Service Center
Coyote enters yard and injures or kills pet; no people present	Pet Attack	Yellow	Pasadena Humane Society
Coyote injures or kills unattended pet	Pet Attack	Yellow	Pasadena Humane Society
Coyote enters yard or dwelling with people present	Encounter	Orange	Pasadena Humane Society
Coyote injures or kills attended pet	Pet Attack	Orange	Pasadena Humane Society
Coyote exhibits threatening or aggressive behavior (approaches and growls, bares teeth, nips without contact, lunges)	Encounter	Orange	Pasadena Humane Society
Coyote bites or injures a person	Attack	Red	Pasadena Police Department Pasadena Humane Society

REPORTING**Citizen Service Center**

Monitoring and data collection are critical components of an effective Urban Wildlife Management Plan, and the City of Pasadena Citizen Service Center (CSC) records and tracks coyote sightings and encounters. The website, downloadable application, and call center are designed to provide users access to submit complaints and concerns 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Information can be submitted using the online reporting system <https://www.cityofpasadena.net/citizen-service-center/submit-a-request/> or by calling (626) 744-7311.

Pasadena Humane Society

The Pasadena Humane Society (PHS) will respond to attacks and aggressive habituated coyote behavior. Contact PHS at (626) 792-7151.

Pasadena Police Department

In the event of an emergency call 9-1-1.