

State of Wisconsin  
 Department of Natural Resources  
 Captive Wildlife Program LE/8  
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## Wolf-Dog- Additional Requirements for Captive Wild Animal Farm License

**Notice:** Pursuant to s. 169.15(5), Wis. Stats., this form is required to be submitted along with form 9400-577, Captive Wild Animal Farm License Application, when applying for a license to have wolf-dog hybrids on a captive wild animal farm. The Department of Natural Resources (DNR) has additional standards, limitations, and requirements for captive wild animal farm licenses and for captive wild animal farms, including fencing of the farms. Personal information collected may be used for participation in surveys, eligibility for approvals, law enforcement and other secondary purposes and may be provided to requesters to the extent required by Wisconsin's Public Records laws (ss. 19.31-19.39, Wis. Stats.)

All sections must be completed.

<b>Applicant Name</b> (as entered on form 9400-577, Captive Wild Animal Farm License Application)	Date of Application
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### 1. Perimeter Fence Requirement

In most cases, an outdoor housing facility for harmful wild animals shall be enclosed by a secondary perimeter fence that is at least 8 feet high and at least 3 feet from the primary enclosure. Wolf-dog hybrids are exempted from this perimeter fence requirement.

### 2. Written Assurance Requirement

Initial Application - Initial captive wild animal farm applications **must** be accompanied by written assurance that the application is in compliance with local ordinances and zoning regulations on possession of captive wild animals.

Is the written assurance enclosed?  Yes  No Attach assurance to this application.

### 3. Environment Enrichment Requirement

The physical environment in the primary enclosure for captive wild animals shall be enriched by providing means of expressing species typical activities. Examples of environmental enrichment include providing perches, climbing apparatus, foraging or task oriented feeding methods.

### 4. Confinement Area

<b>Indoor Housing</b>	<b>Covered Top Pens</b>	<b>Open Top Pens</b>
Wolf-dog hybrid will be kept as a pet sharing housing space which is intended for human occupancy.	Wolf-dog hybrid pens with a covered top shall be a minimum of 300 square feet. No more than 2 wolves or wolf-dog hybrids may be held in a 300 square foot pen. At least 100 additional square feet is required for each additional wolf or wolf-dog hybrid. The pen height shall be a minimum of 6 feet.	Wolf-dog hybrid pens with open tops shall be a minimum of 1000 square feet. The walls shall be a minimum of 8 feet in height with an additional 3 feet at the top slanted in at a 30 degree to 45 degree angle.

Wolf-Dog Hybrids will be housed by:  Indoor Housing  Covered Top Pens  Open Top Pen

### 5. Exhibition

Facilities that Exhibit: Harmful wild animals may only be exhibited at the location authorized on the license. Exhibition of a harmful wild animal at an alternate location requires special written approval from the DNR. Pens must be surrounded on all sides where the public may approach them by substantial guard rails not less than 3 feet in height. Guard rails must be well supported, fully enclosed with not greater than 6 inch square fencing, and shall be at least 3 feet from the pens.

Do you exhibit?	Height of Guard Rails	Distance Guard Rail to Enclosure
<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Feet	Feet

### 6. Diagram

Draw Primary Enclosure, include dimensions in feet. Attach description of structure, additional diagram, or plat photo if needed.

### 7. Proof

Provide proof that each wolf-dog hybrid shall be both  
 a) neutered by six months of age and;  
 b) tattooed, microchipped, or otherwise permanently marked with information identifying the owner .

### Leave Blank – DNR Use Only

This license is subject to all conditions listed above and the following special restrictions:

Approved? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	If not approved indicate reason.		
Enclosure Inspected By	DNR Conservation Warden Name (Print)	Signature	Date