

This is to inform you that the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW) will be providing a **Wildlife Control Operator course** on **August 26, 2016**. The class will be held at the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife Region One Office in **Spokane** (2315 North Discovery Place, Spokane Valley, Washington 99216) from 10:00 am to approximately 2:30 pm in the main conference room on the first floor.

This class is only for those who are **already in possession** of their Washington State Trappers Certification. Please provide proof of certification upon the day of training. Every person performing WCO outlined activities for compensation must first obtain a Washington Trappers Certification by passing the Trapper Test. Study materials for the Trapper Test can be found at [Trapper Test Materials](#).

All class participants must also provide documentation showing a minimum of two years' experience that demonstrates the knowledge and ability to control wildlife species causing conflict or property damage. **This documentation must be sent to specialtrapping@dfw.wa.gov as soon as possible after registering online and no later than 11:45 pm on August 21, 2016 in order to remain on the class roster.** Please visit the following link for more information on what information can be used to document experience: [WCO Requirements](#).

If you would like to attend, please provide your information by **clicking the link below** and filling in the included questions. **All reservation requests must be received by 11:45 pm on August 21, 2016.**

[Wildlife Control Operator Class Spokane](#)

You will be asked to include your name, current address, current phone number, email, and Trapper Certification number. For businesses with multiple employees, please enroll each person individually. This information will be used to enter you into the database and for verification purposes. Once approved, you will receive a confirmation email.

Each attendee will be required to pay the enrollment fee of fifty dollars (\$50) for certification training/education prior to class attendance. **Payment must be made on the day of training via check only. Please arrive at least 15 minutes early to pay the fee before class.** Once a person completes WCO certification training, he or she must apply for the certificate in order to charge a fee and harass, kill, trap, release, or dispatch animals causing damage to private property.

For more information, please visit the WDFW website at http://wdfw.wa.gov/living/nuisance/how_to_become_wco.html

Directions to the Spokane Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife office:

From the North:

1. Follow **US-395** South
2. Take the exit toward **North Parksmith Dr.**
3. Turn **right** onto **North Parksmith Dr.**
4. Continue onto **East Stoneman Rd.**

5. Turn **right** onto North Argonne Rd.
6. Turn **left** onto **East Trent Ave.**
7. Turn **right** onto **North Pines Rd.**
8. Turn **left** onto **Mirabeau Pkwy.**
9. Turn **right** onto **East Mansfield Ave.**
10. Take the 1st **right** onto **North Discovery Pl.**
11. Destination will be on the left

From the East:

1. Merge onto **I-90 West** toward **Post Falls/Spokane**
2. Take **exit 291A** for **Evergreen Rd.** toward Spokane/Valley Mall
3. Turn **right** onto **North Evergreen Rd.**
4. Turn **left** onto **East Indiana Ave.**
5. Take the 1st **right** onto **Mirabeau Pkwy.**
6. Take the 1st **left** onto **East Mansfield Ave.**
7. Take the 1st **right** onto **North Discovery Pl.**
8. Destination will be on the left

From the West:

1. Merge onto **I-90 East**
2. Take **exit 289** for **WA-27/Pines Rd.**
3. Turn **left** onto **North Pines Rd.**
4. Take the 1st **right** onto **East Indiana Ave.**
5. Turn **left** onto **Mirabeau Pkwy.**
6. Take the 1st **left** onto **East Mansfield Ave.**
7. Take the 1st **right** onto **North Discovery Pl.**
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Thank you

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Wildlife Conflict Section