

Animal Use - Notice of Approval

Date: December 22, 2020
 Study ID: [AUP00003783](#)
 Study Title: Community-based aversive conditioning of urban coyotes
 Principal Investigator: [Colleen St Clair](#)
 Approval Expiry Date: Tuesday, December 21, 2021

	Project ID	Agency/Sponsor Name
Funding Source:	RES0034114	NSERC

Thank you for submitting the animal use application noted above to the Animal Care and Use Committee. Your application has been reviewed and approved by the Committee.

Note: a reminder to upload the provincial permit required by Alberta Fish and Wildlife via amendment once obtained.

Approved Animal Numbers:

Species	Total # Approved for current protocol year
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Coyote	40
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The Canadian Council on Animal Care (CCAC) requires annual renewal of ethics approval for research projects using animals, and a Full renewal in the 4th year. These renewals must be approved by the ACUC prior to the anniversary or expiration date of this approval. The University of Alberta's Animal Welfare Assurance Number is #A5070-01.

Any changes to this approved protocol must be submitted as an amendment online.

You will be sent electronic reminders to renew you ethics approval 90, 60, 45, and 30 days prior to the expiry date. To allow time for the review process, we recommend you submit your renewal **at least 2 months** prior to the expiry date of this approval. If you do not have a renewal under way before that date, the animal facility and RSO will be notified the study is due to expire, you **will not** be able to use animals, and you may be asked to submit a new animal use protocol.

All approved animal use protocols are subject to Post-Approval Monitoring (PAM). PAM is a vital part of a robust and effective animal care and use program and it takes many forms including researcher self-assessment, veterinary reports, facility consultation, tracking cage-level care and animal health, scheduled and unannounced lab visits, observation, and education. Post-approval monitoring is a shared responsibility of animal users, ACUCs, veterinarians and animal care staff and the Research Ethics Office. If you have any questions about PAM, please contact Donna Taylor, PAM Coordinator, at 780-492-6828 or donna.taylor@ualberta.ca.

Sincerely,

Doris Audet, PhD
 Chair: ACUC Biosciences

