### **Skunks – Removal and Assistance Program**

### – FAQ

#### Will the City pay the contractor directly?

A. No. Homeowners are responsible for paying their trapping invoice and, upon receipt of the paid invoice will be reimbursed by the City. The City will not make a direct payment to the contractor.

#### Can I trap on my neighbor's property?

A. No. All private property rights continue to be respected. A homeowner can only authorize trapping on their own property.

# If I am aware of a den of skunks that may be located on my neighbor's property, will the City notify my neighbor?

A. We encourage homeowners to communicate with their neighbors directly. If you have concerns regarding a neighboring property, you may contact the Community Development Department about those concerns. The City may contact the property owner depending on the circumstances.

### What happens if an animal other than a skunk gets trapped?

A. The City will reimburse only for skunk removal.

## Will any other expense such as property inspection, repairs or setting of traps be reimbursed by the City?

A. No. The City is only reimbursing homeowners the actual expense to remove a skunk, up to \$75 per skunk. No other expense will be reimbursed by the City.

### Can I be paid for any skunks trapped outside of the City?

A. No. Only City of Cuyahoga Falls homeowners will be reimbursed for skunks trapped on their property within the City.

Is there a limit on the number of trapped skunks that I can be reimbursed for?

A. No, there is no limit.