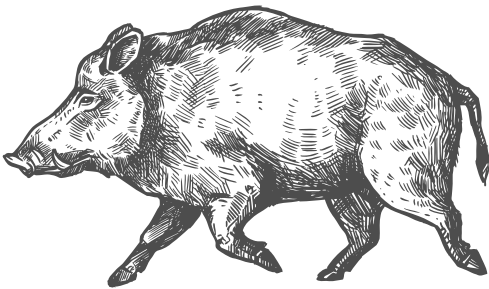


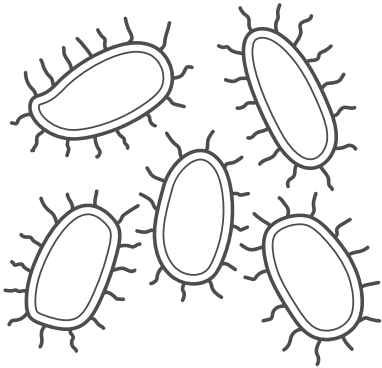
FERAL HOGS DAMAGE OUR LAND & WATERSHED

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Riparian Destruction

Feral hogs tear up streambanks and creekside vegetation by rooting, wallowing, and trampling delicate habitats. This leads to erosion, loss of wildlife habitat, poor water retention during dry periods, and increased sediment in our creeks and rivers.



Water Contamination

Feral hog feces often wash into streams, ponds, and tanks carrying *E. coli*, parasites, and other harmful bacteria. This pollution threatens the health of our wildlife, livestock, and even people.

What You Can Do

- Report hog sightings to your local officials
- Work with neighbors to monitor land for activity
- Safely trap or harvest hogs (lawfully)
- Spread awareness. These aren't just a nuisance; they're a public health and environmental issue

Bounty Program Available



To encourage community involvement, Lee County offers a bounty for legally harvested feral hogs. Lee County will offer \$5 per pair of feral hog ears. For all the details scan the QR code or call (979) 542-3178.

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