

Animal Control Policy

The City of Niles will provide animal care service in an efficient manner while protecting the health, safety and welfare of residents.

To request the removal of a dead animal, roadkill, or animal carcass from public roadways or the public right-of-way (within city limits, only), contact the Mayor's Office at (330) 544-9000 ext. 1101 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Large dead animals more than ten (10) pounds, roadkill, or animal carcasses shall be picked up by the local sanitation company (Republic Services) in conjunction with City of Niles operations.

City of Niles machinery used for the removal of large dead animals, roadkill, or animal carcasses shall not intrude onto private property and must remain on the public roadway.

It is the responsibility of the property owner to move large dead animals or animal carcasses on private property into the right-of-way and within reach of city machinery for removal.

Small dead animals, or animal carcasses less than ten (10) pounds may be disposed of by the local sanitation company (Republic Services).

The City of Niles does not remove live or dead wildlife, snakes, or bats on private property or in within the city right-of way. Property owners must contact a local trapper or the Ohio Department of Natural resources (ODNR).

Helpful Information From The City of Niles Street Department