Co-Existing with Coyotes

With a few simple actions, we can help reduce conflicts between people, pets, and coyotes.

Coyotes are well adapted to living in cities. They are naturally wary but if they become too comfortable with people, they may act aggressively.

Learn more and report coyote sightings here

If you see a coyote

- Be Big, Brave, and Loud!
- Stand tall with arms overhead
- Yell "Go away coyote!"
- Stand your ground and never run

Never feed coyotes

- Fed coyotes can become aggressive
- Seal garbage and compost securely
- Remove ripe garden veggies and fruit
- Store pet food and feed pets indoors

Pet Safety

- Keep cats indoors, especially at night
- Leash dogs and supervise closely
- Never let dogs interact with coyotes
- Pick up small dogs if coyotes approach

Report your sightings

Your reports help us track coyote behaviour. Report online or call 604-257-6908 ext. 104. Report aggressive coyotes to the Ministry of Environment at 1-877-952-7277