



# **Manhattan Beach Coyote Survey Report**

prepared for

City of Manhattan Beach

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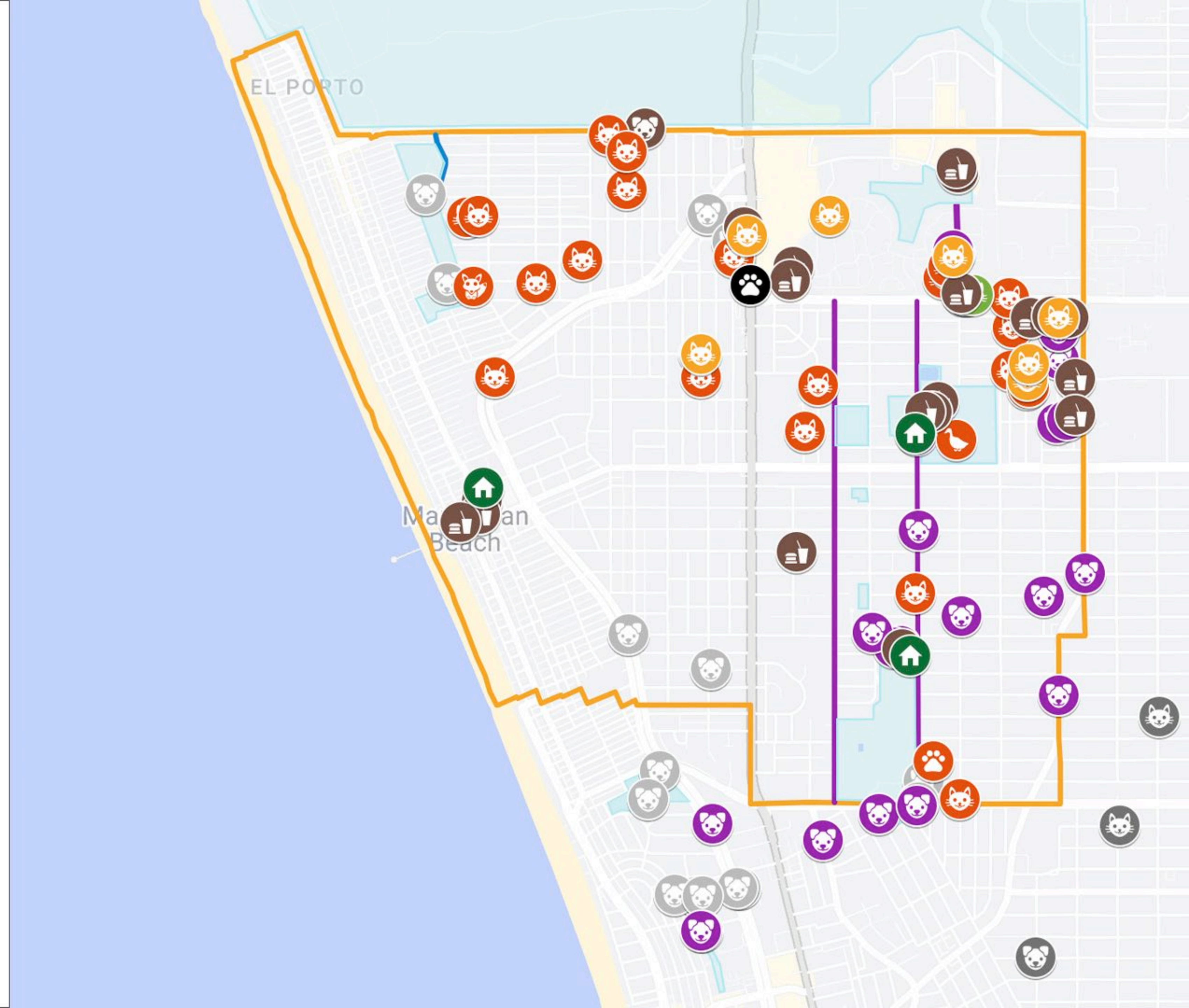
Humane Wildlife Control Inc.



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## COYOTE SCIENCE

- Packs contain an alpha pair “King” and “Queen”
- Coyotes are 100% monogamous
- A helper or two
- Pups of the year
- Subordinate females behaviorally sterile
- Pups start to disperse at about 7 mos.
- They may be solitary or “transients”

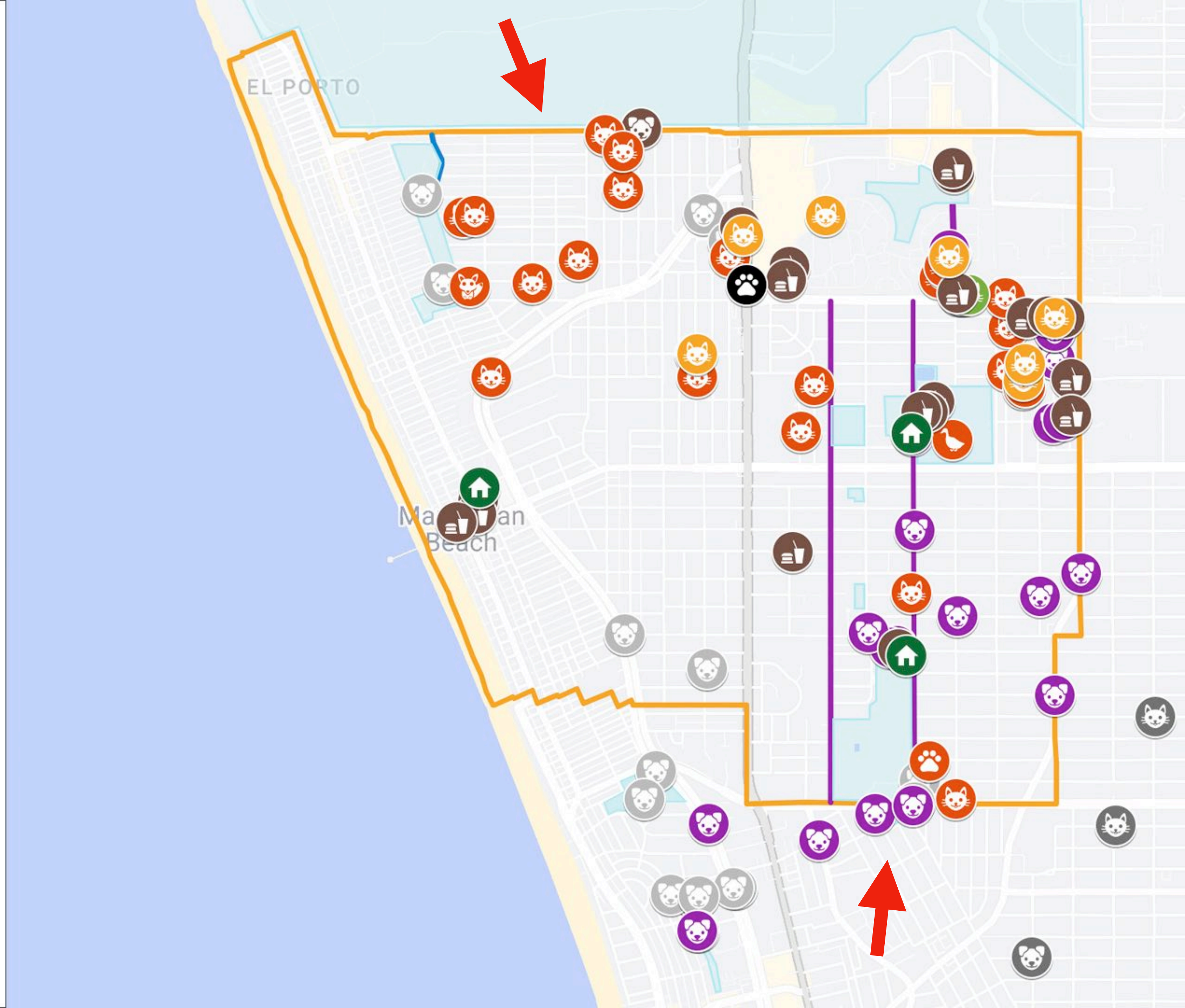




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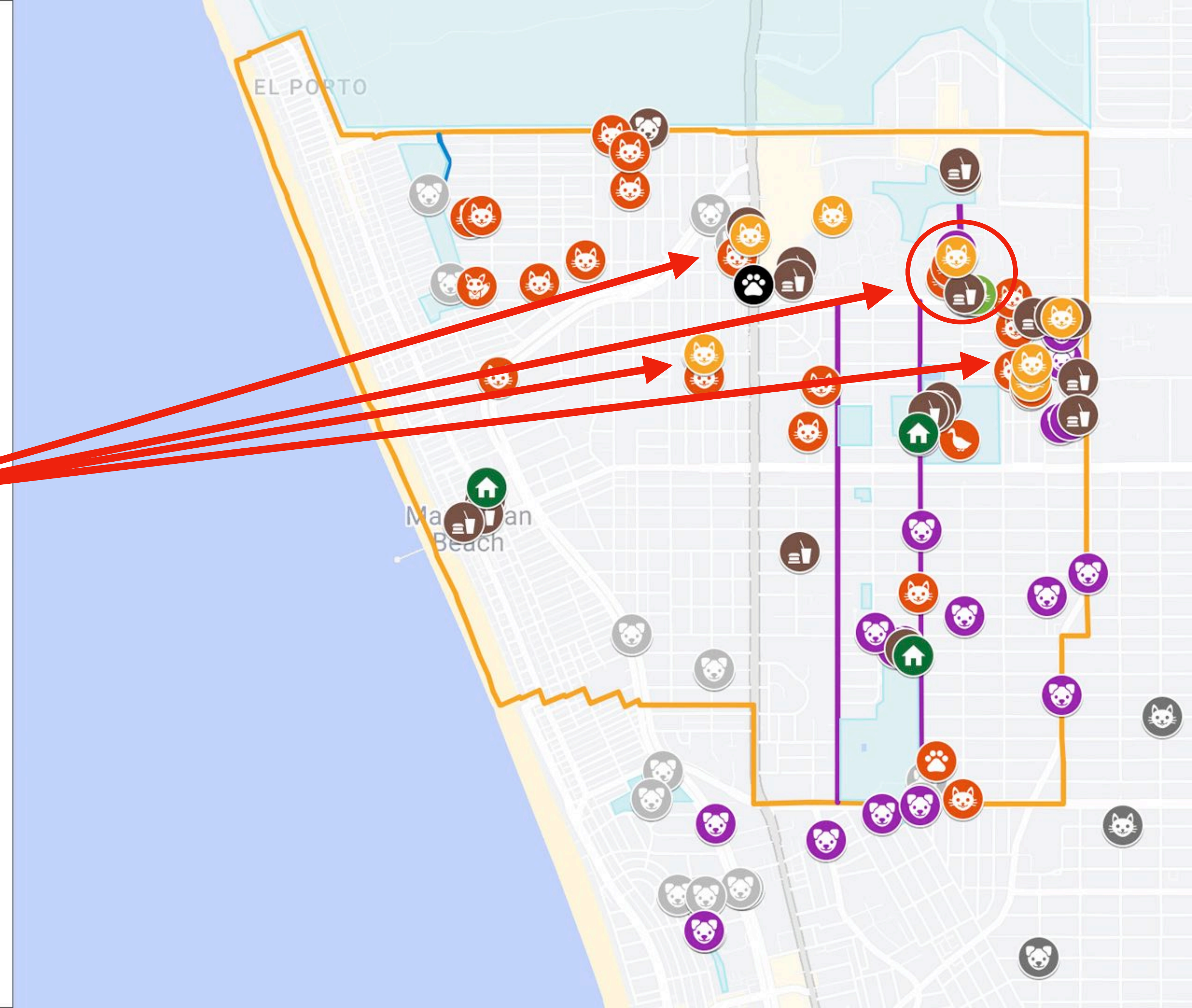








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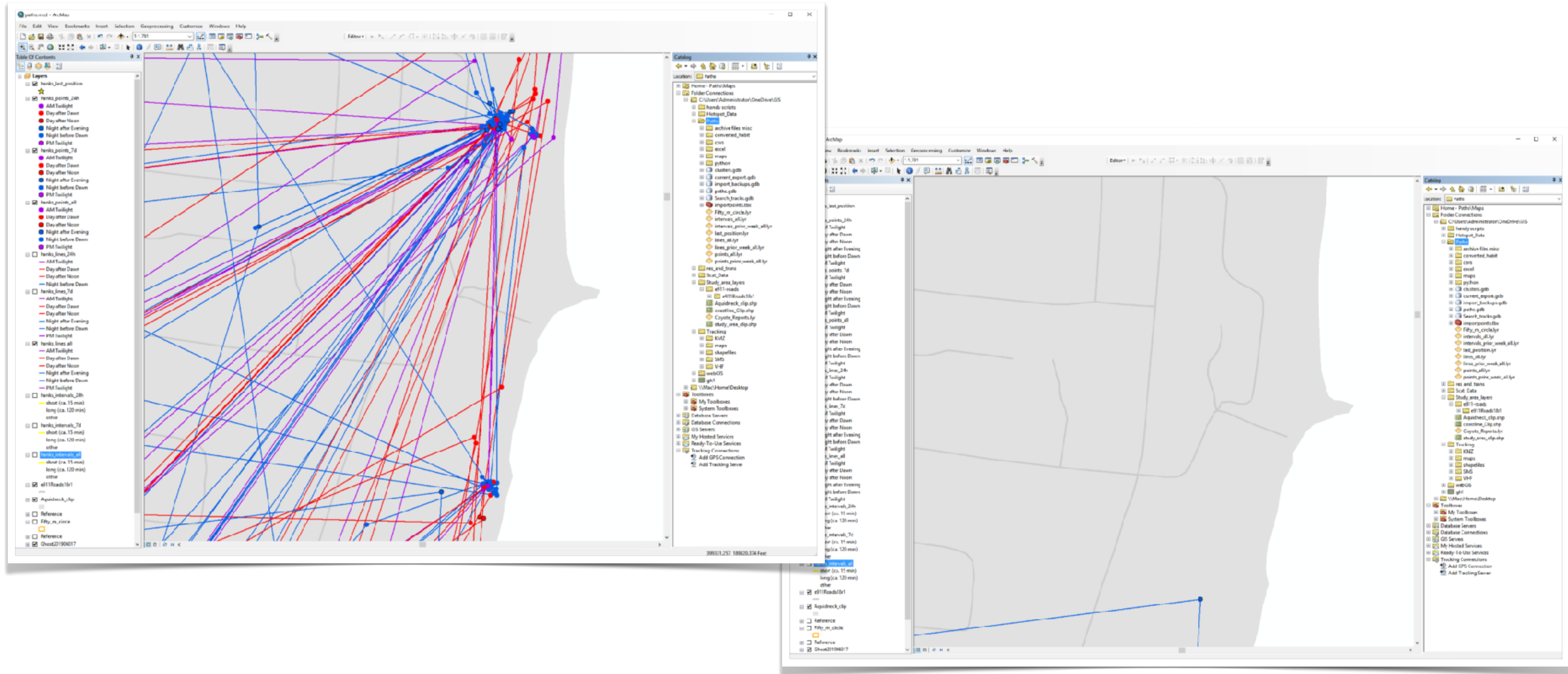
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# Rhode Island: Narragansett Bay Coyote Study

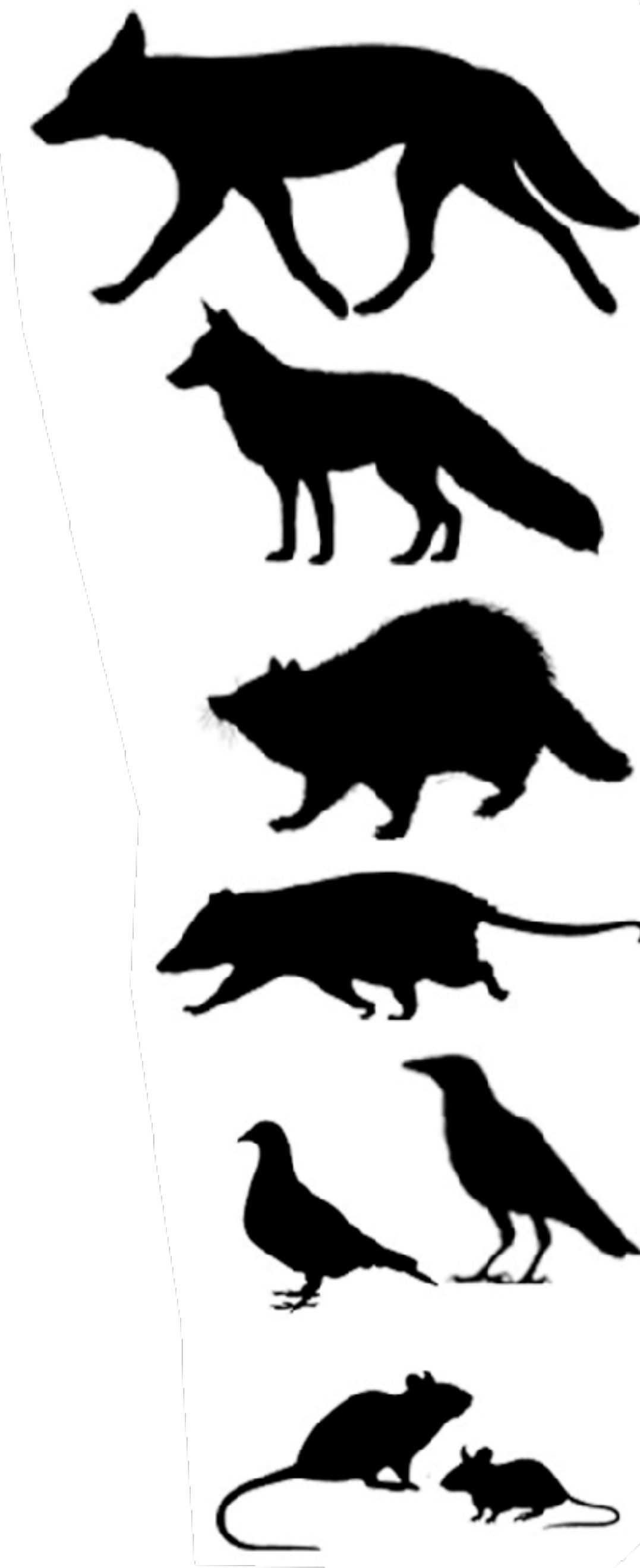
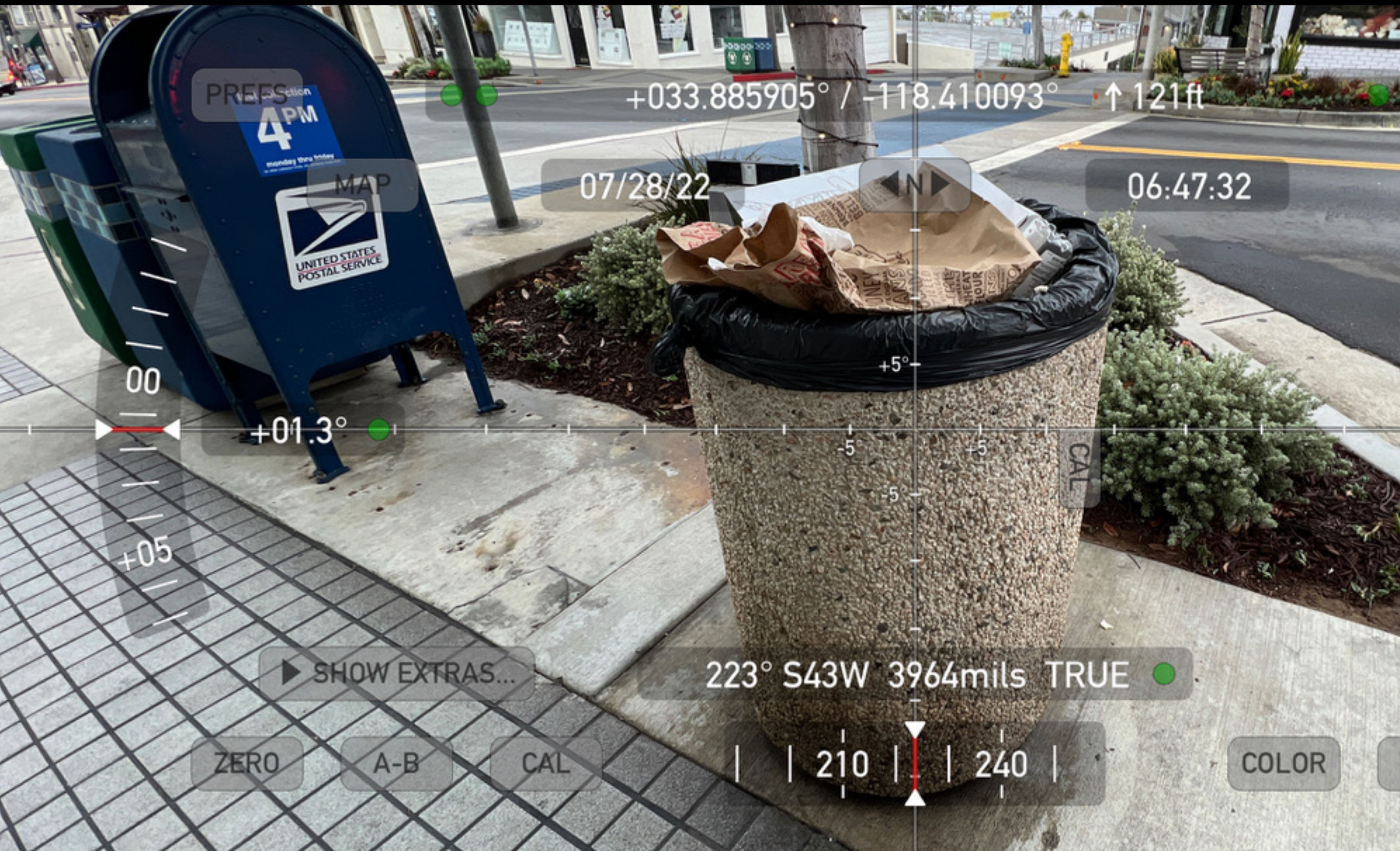
Neighborhood coyote traffic drops dramatically after food subsidies removed.



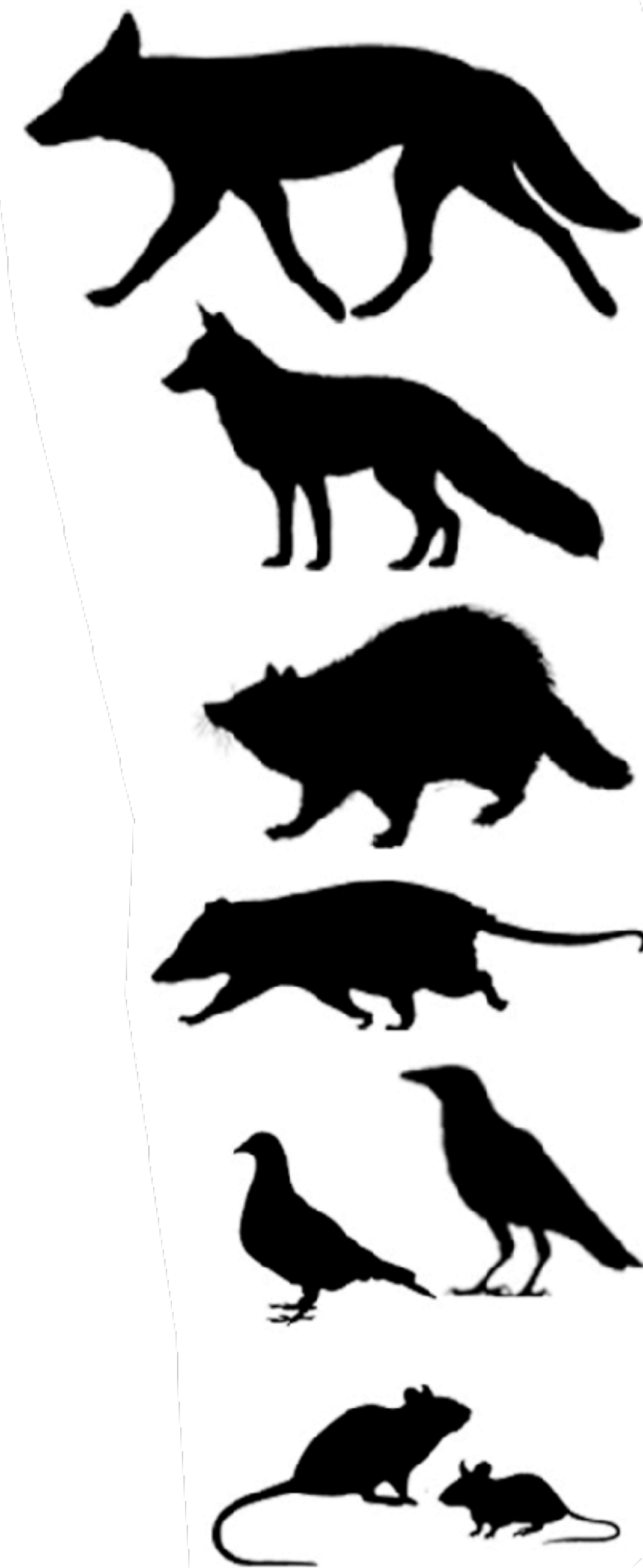




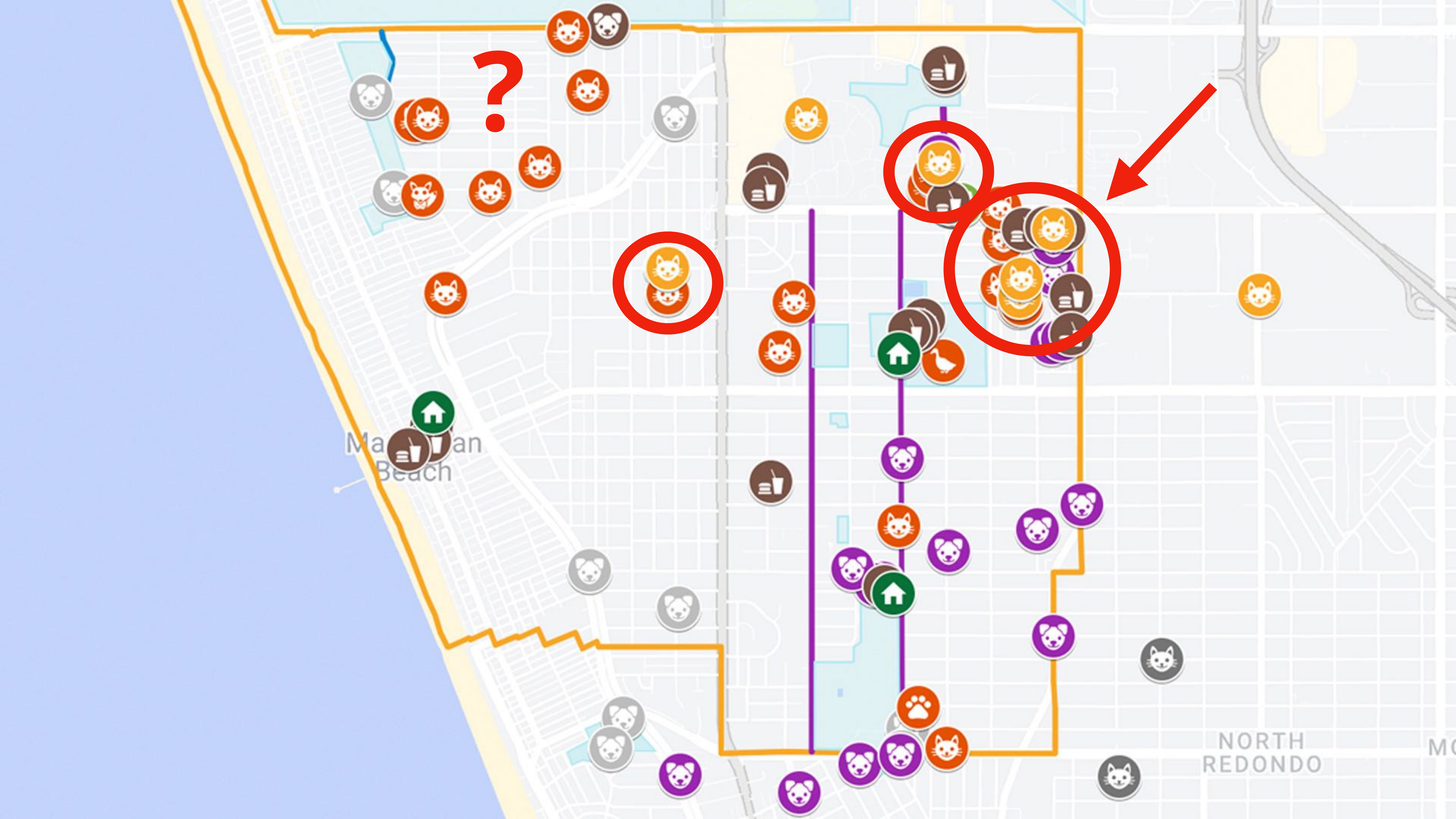














Warmth

Reliable shelter

Human companionship

Regular vaccinations

Grooming

Control of parasites

Health checks

Dental disease

Respiratory illnesses

Transmission issues

Predation on and by

Spread of toxoplasmosis





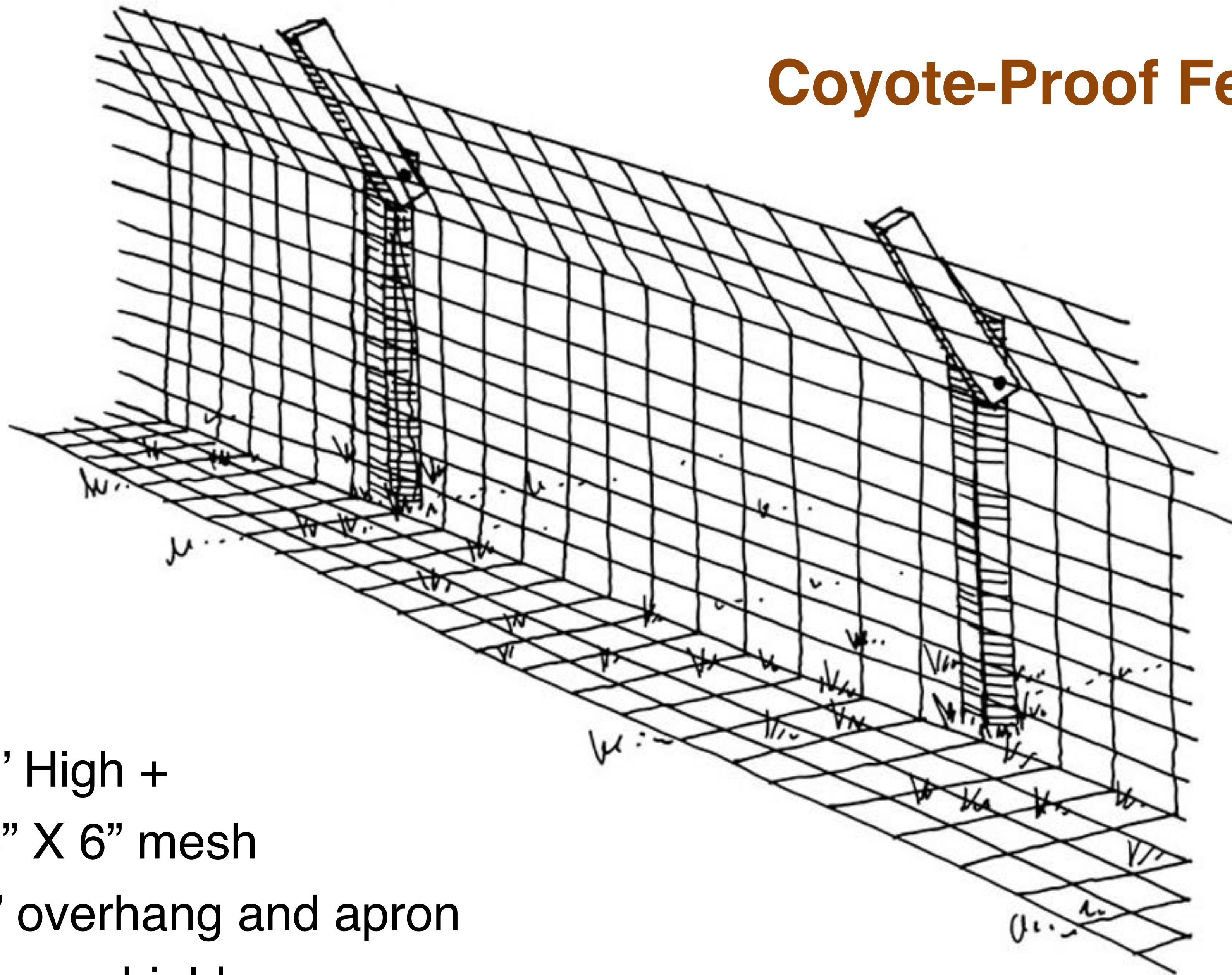








# Coyote-Proof Fencing



- 5.5' High +
- < 4" X 6" mesh
- 15" overhang and apron
- Corner shields



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## RECOMMENDATIONS

- Wildlife-proof trash receptacles
- Prevent overflowing trash

- Reduce rodent harborage
- Prohibit feeding of wildlife

- Adopt a feral cat management plan
- Improve handling of stray cats

- Dedicated Canid Response Unit
- Education, education, education

- Adopt a canid response plan
- Conditional trapping strategy (in full compliance with all applicable laws)







