

## Public Administration Committee

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**From:** Alison John  
**Sent:** Friday, 21 March 2014 12:18 PM  
**To:** Public Administration Committee  
**Subject:** No to shooting animals in WA

Dear Ms Mesiti,

I am STRONGLY opposed to the proposition of legalizing the shooting of wild animals such as pigs, deer, foxes, rabbits and goats etc for 'recreation'. I hope you are already aware that there is no credible evidence that this will even reduce populations of these introduced species in any effective way, so all you will be doing is causing an unnecessarily early and terrifying death for these animals (who are in this landscape through no fault of their own) as well endangering the native wildlife. I expect you to represent my interests in this matter, as that is your job, to serve public interest. You may not care for the welfare of animals all over Australia, but many people do and you have been instated to represent those many.

Sincerely,

Alison John