

Public Administration Committee

From: Horace Keswick
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To: Public Administration Committee

Dear Ms Mesiti

As a WA resident, I am fully in favour of the recreational hunting of all introduced animals.

Hunting is simply to control pests or provide food that has been a part of many other cultures since their introduction, it is not only accepted but still heavily relied upon in a lot of areas.

I support recreational shooting as a management of introduced species. It is backed up as an effective method by scientific evidence when used in conjunction to other control methods. Most importantly trained conservation volunteer shooters are a cost effective resource who provide their time, equipment, ammunition and resources without charge thus freeing up much needed funds that can be used elsewhere.

Most Australians enjoy the outdoors and nature, there are hundreds of thousands who regularly fish and hunt. So please allow this cost effective proposal to succeed.

Thank you for considering my submission.

Regards

Horace Keswick