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ORDINANCE NO. 002-2002 PROHIBITING RELEASE INTO THE WILD OF CERTAIN GENERA

WHEREAS, The Livestock Industry is vital to the Catron County economy; and,

WHEREAS, predators are drastically destructive of livestock and deleterious to the livestock industry,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE COUNTY OF CATRON:

Section 1: Within the boundaries of Catron County, no person shall release into the wild any animal of the genera Canis, Ursus, Felis or Panthera.

Section 2: Conviction of violation of this Ordinance shall carry a fine of \$300 or imprisonment of 90 days or both.

Section 3: This Ordinance shall be recorded in the book kept for that purpose and shall be authenticated by the signature of the County Clerk and shall take effect in accordance with law.

Section 4: Catron County Ordinance No. 002-92 is hereby repealed and superceded.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 17th day of May, 2002.

ATTEST:

Sharon Armijo, County Clerk

Carl Livingston, Chairman

Auggie Shellhorn, Member

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