

Bosque County Feral Hog Abatement

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****Starting July 1, 2025, the Tail Collection will move to the first Tuesday of each month from 4pm to 6pm, at the County Courthouse****

Steps to Start:

- Step One: Fill out an Application and W9 (completed annually). Click [HERE](#) to download. Turn this into the County Judge's Office located on the 1st floor of Courthouse in Meridian or bring to the Class.
- Step Two: Attend Educational Component. This One-Hour class will be held at the Bosque County Extension Office (104 S Fuller in Meridian), Cost is \$10. Only need to attend one time.
 - Classes will occur at Noon on October 11, 2024; April 11, 2025; October 10, 2025, at the Extension Office.
- Step Three: Hunt, Bosque County Feral Hogs!
- Step Four: [Hog Damage and Control Survey](#).
- Step Five: Turn in Feral Hog Tails at Bosque County Courthouse on the first Tuesday of month from 4pm to 6pm, until bounty money is gone.

Pertinent information:

- All pig tails surrendered must be captured in Bosque County.
- **Bounty is \$10/tail.** (as approved in Commissioner's Court 9-18-2023)
- You must be legal to hunt in Texas to participate, this includes a Hunter's Education Class.
- You must attend the Feral Hog educational program offered by Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service to be eligible to collect the bounty.
- The bounty will not be paid to commercial buying stations.
- For the health and safety of our participants and volunteers, we will only accept feral hog tails in a sealed, transparent plastic bag with a maximum of 10 tails to the bag.
- Tails must be frozen.

- Completed and notarized applications may be submitted to Bosque County Judge's Office, located on the 1st floor of Courthouse.

W9 – Annual Paperwork – needs updated annually
Hog Damage and Control Survey. Please complete the following for property owned or managed. Information provided will be used exclusively for data collection and analysis.