



# Impacts of Mesocarnivores on Feral Swine Management



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**Most nest predation was attributed to mesocarnivores—raccoons, striped skunks, and Virginia opossums—but American crows and Feral Swine are predators, too.**



**Feral swine have decreased mortality and greater reproductive output when more resources are available**







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**Probability of nest being  
depredated is >30%  
when feeders/bait  
stations are within 1 km**



# Managing local predator populations during nesting season has been proven to increase brood success







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