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Nest Predator Study

WHEREAS, nest predation is thought to be a major factor in the reproductive success of the bobwhite Quail; and

WHEREAS, there has not been a comprehensive study in Missouri that identifies the specific type of nest predation and its effects; and

WHEREAS, predator control may be a critical factor in the nest success of the bobwhite quail and subsequent population increase; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED that the Conservation Federation of Missouri assembled at the Capitol Plaza Hotel, Jefferson City, MO, this 22nd day of March, 2015, request that the Missouri Department of Conservation perform a study to determine the effects of nest predation on quail populations and the effects of a predator control program on nesting success.