



# Captive Wildlife Report

FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
3377 EAST U.S. HIGHWAY 90  
LAKE CITY, FL 32055

Report Date / Time <b>6/29/2021 2:55:51 PM</b>	Report Number <b>ISR095951 (01)</b>	Report Case/CAD Number <b>FWNC21OFF004995 / FWNC21CAD008352</b>	Reporting Officer Rank / ID <b>INVESTIGAT / WN616</b>	Reporting Officer Name <b>J. BARBER</b>
Originating Agency ORI <b>FL0108000</b>	Reported to Agency Date <b>6/29/2021 12:28:04 PM</b>	Occur Date Range <b>06/29/2021 12:28:04 -</b>	Jurisdiction <b>Private Property</b>	Status: Clearance:
Offense Description <b>S65W WILDLIFE EXHIBITS</b>				

## LOCATION(S)

County <b>CLAY</b>	Location Type <b>WILDLIFE FACILITY</b>	Location Description <b>Single Vision</b>						
Street Number <b>8185</b>	Street <b>FOREST HILLS RD</b>	Apt/Lot/Bldg	City <b>MELROSE</b>	State <b>FL</b>	Zip Code <b>32666</b>	Phone Number	Ext.	

## INVESTIGATION

Was Body Camera Used?	<b>Yes</b>
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## Person: LICENSEE

First Name <b>CARL</b>	Middle Name <b>BENJAMIN</b>	Last Name <b>BOVARD</b>	Suffix	Race <b>WHITE</b>	Sex <b>MALE</b>	Height <b>6'00"</b>	Weight	Hair	Eyes
MNI # <b>FWC16MNI449638</b>	SSN	Date of Birth <b>03/27/1971</b>	Age <b>50</b>	ID Type <b>E</b>	Drivers License or other ID <b>B163122711070</b>	State <b>FL</b>	OCA / Agency ID		
Place of Birth:									
Addresses • RESIDENCE / 8185 FOREST HILLS RD, MELROSE, FL 32666 /									

## Business: CW EXHIBITOR

Business Name <b>SINGLE VISION</b>	MBI # <b>FWC17MBI000342</b>	Phone Number 1 <b>904-377-7993</b>	Ext 1	Phone Number 2	Ext 2	
County <b>CLAY</b>	Street Number <b>8185</b>	Address <b>FOREST HILLS ROAD</b>	Apt/Lot/Bldg	City <b>MELROSE</b>	State <b>FL</b>	Zip Code <b>32666</b>
Other Information						

## Narrative: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Narrative Date/Time <b>6/30/2021 8:08:53 AM</b>	Narrative Synopsis <b>ESB/ESC</b>		
Reporting Officer <b>J. BARBER</b>	Officer Rank <b>INVESTIGAT</b>	Officer ID No <b>WN616</b>	Officer Org/Unit <b>FWNCINC REGIONIDUAL</b>
Officer Signature 	Officer Agency <b>FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION</b>		

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On 6/29/2021 at approximately 1230 hours, I, Investigator J. Barber of the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) along with Inv. C. Bean (FWC) conducted a routine ESB and ESC inspection at Single Vision in Clay County, FL. The facility is located at 8185 Forest Hills Rd. in Melrose, 32666. The licensee, Carl Bovard (ESB App ID:14526), accompanied us for the inspection.

During the ESB inspection, the following was found:

- Acquisition paperwork for a Jaguar did not have the transferee's FWC license # (same at time of last inspection). Bovard mistook the USDA permit number for the FWC license number and wrote it in the wrong location. The seller was contacted while we were still at the facility for the needed information.
- An enclosure being used for (2) tigers recently suffered tree damage. A small section between the bottom and top panels approximately 1' long was bent causing a 4"- 5" gap between the panels, Bovard was advised to re-secure them with hog rings.


During the ESC inspection, the following was noted:

- An enclosure housing (2) common otters that did not have a pool meeting the requirements during the last inspection now does.

Mr. Bovard was verbally warned on the issues with the understanding they needed to be corrected immediately.

The above was captured on our state issued body cameras.

**Narrative: IBE DETAILS NARRATIVE**

Narrative Date/Time <b>6/30/2021 9:02:36 AM</b>		Narrative Synopsis <b>ARCTIC FOX ESCAPE</b>		
Reporting Officer <b>J. BARBER</b>	Officer Rank <b>INVESTIGAT</b>	Officer ID No <b>WN616</b>	Officer Org/Unit <b>FWNC\NC REGION\DUVAL</b>	
Officer Signature 		Officer Agency <b>FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION</b>		

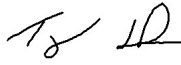
On 6/25/2021, Carl Bovard reported an escape of a class 3 "grey" arctic fox to me by telephone. Due to there being no public safety concerns, I told him I would gather the information at his upcoming class 1 inspection. On 6/29/2021, I, along with Inv. C. Bean conducted the follow up at Single Vision in Clay County, FL.

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During the follow up, the following was noted:

- Carl stated the fox is still at large, but he occasionally gets reports of sightings.
  - He advised he is still actively trying to catch the fox by setting traps in locations near the sightings.
  - The fox has been vaccinated for rabies.
  - The enclosure the fox escaped from suffered damage caused by erosion during a heavy rainstorm.
  - The enclosure has the required dig barrier "apron" but a pole on the door frame separated once the dirt support washed away.
  - The enclosure was repaired immediately due to there being a second fox in the enclosure.
- Mr. Bovard was issued a written warning for the escape of the animal.  
Nothing further at this time.

**Officer: Approving Supervisor (Supplement 01)**

Officer Name <b>HARRISON, TYLER</b>	Officer Rank <b>LIEUTENANT</b>	Officer ID No <b>WN187</b>	Officer Agency <b>FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION</b>
Approval Date / Time <b>6/30/2021 9:21:24 AM</b>	Officer Signature 		

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**Picture**

Picture Date Time <b>6/28/2021 2:45:05 PM</b>	Picture Height <b>800</b>	Picture Width <b>600</b>	Picture Size <b>503 KB</b>	Resized <b>False</b>
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Description  
**Enclosure "grey" arctic fox escaped from**



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**Picture**

Picture Date Time <b>6/28/2021 2:45:08 PM</b>	Picture Height <b>1440</b>	Picture Width <b>1080</b>	Picture Size <b>924 KB</b>	Resized <b>True</b>
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Description  
**Picture of fox - taken by member of the public and posted on social media**



Sup #	Officer Name Rank / ID #	Involvement On Report / Reporting Role	Officer Agency Org/Unit
01	<b>J. BARBER INVESTIGAT WN616</b>	<b>INVESTIGATOR / REPORTING OFFICER</b>	<b>FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION FWNCINC REGION\DUVAL</b>
01	<b>BEAN, CLINTON A INVESTIGAT WM944</b>	<b>INVESTIGATOR</b>	<b>FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION FWNCINC REGION\COLUMBIA INVEST</b>
01	<b>HARRISON, TYLER LIEUTENANT WN187</b>	<b>APPROVING SUPERVISOR</b>	<b>FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION FNNWNW REGION\LEON HEADQUARTERS</b>

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The undersigned certifies and swears that he/she has just and reasonable grounds to believe that the above named Defendant, committed violation(s), of law, on the below date(s) and time(s), as listed in the narratives associated with this report:

**Officer: Reporting Officer (Supplement01)**

Officer Name <b>J. BARBER</b>	Office Rank <b>INVESTIGAT</b>	Officer ID No <b>WN616</b>	Sworn and subscribed before me, the undersigned authority This the _____ day of _____, DEPUTY OF THE COURT, NOTARY OR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER
Officer Agency <b>FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION</b>			
Officer Signature 