

## **Timothy Casey (Secretary to the Board)**

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Dear Commissioner Aguilar,

Please work with your colleagues to release Rocky, the coyote, from his inhumane and miserable existence at River Trail Nature Center as soon as possible and allow him to go to the Wild Animal Sanctuary in Colorado.

This will cost nothing to taxpayers. This sanctuary has more than 10,000 acres and is run by rehabilitation and veterinary experts.

I urge you to respect the motto of the Forest Preserves of Cook County to let Rocky feel free. A small cage is inhumane, and Rocky deserves companionship. Coyotes live in family groups and they CAN slowly be

introduced to other coyotes (wildlife experts know how to do this successfully), fresh water, room to roam, a way to get away from the public and not to be treated as an 'educational' exhibit.

All visitors are learning is the cruelty River Trail Nature Center uses to treat 'ambassador animals'.

I will not visit, lodge, dine, shop or spend my money in Northbrook, IL until Rocky is sent to the sanctuary.

Thank you - please do the right thing.

Kind Regards,

Dr. Pydisetty