Feral Hog Management Case Studies in DFW

City of Arlington
- Capturing hogs since 2010
- Caught by Animal Services Department
- Trapped and sent to the food processor
  - The city gets money from the meat, uses it to pay for traps
- City of Arlington Wildlife Reporting site: http://www.arlington-tx.gov/animals/urban-wildlife-maps-reporting/

City of Corsicana
- Encourages citizens to set out traps

City of Dallas
- Trapped by the Parks and Rec Department
- 15-18 traps, locations kept secret to reduce human interference
- No shooting allowed in city limits
- Sent to processing plant

City of Denton
- Allows box traps and snares

Town of Flower Mound
- Refers citizens to Texas Wildlife Services for assistance
- Animal Services for the city does not have training to handle or capture

City of Forney
- Allow hunters to shot them on site
- Dog hunting is allowed
- Hunting restrictions are lax
- Source: https://www.shakerattleandtroll.com/g/Feral-Hogs/Forney-Texas-TX/

City of Fort Worth
- Euthanized on site,
- the meat is not harvested, it is left on-site
City of Irving
- Traps the hogs
- Hogs taken to Frontier Meats
- Target area was the Trinity River

Lavon Lake Watershed Partnership
- The Lavon Lake Watershed Protection Plan outlines several strategies to manage feral hogs
- The Partnership will work with AgriLife’s Texas Wildlife Services and Lone Star Healthy Streams Program to provide technical assistance to landowners
- The WPP also suggests building a feral hog reporting website, and landowner survey, and ongoing educational events

City of Southlake
- Landowners and municipality can set out traps – deemed by Department of Public Safety to be the safe and appropriate method of control
- Animals are removed and euthanized
- Source: https://www.cityofsouthlake.com/2099/Feral-Hogs

Wise County
- Annual hog hunting contest from Feb 6 to Mar 6
- Hogs can come from anywhere in TX
- Prize money for the largest hog harvested
- http://thehuntinggame.com/wchogcontest/