

PETA AGAIN FALSELY CLAIMS OSWALD'S BEAR RANCH ABUSES BEARS!?

Oswald's Bear Ranch is certified by the USDA and the Zoological Association of America. We are also supported by the Michigan Governor and Legislature through Act 8 of 2013 "Michigan Large Carnivore Act" in our effort to provide education and conservation for bears.

On 16 April 2018 Oswald's Bear Ranch received mail from PETA representatives accusing the abuse of bears. These are the same false claims that were proven false by USDA inspectors (100%) last year two days after PETA claims were filed with the government and media outlets.

Oswald's Bear Ranch has provided educational contact with bears since opening in 1984. The rescue facility has received bears from several municipal gov't agencies over the years and now has 40 bears hibernating on the 240 acres ranch. This educational activity was halted in 2012 by the DNR when a complaint was filed alleging damage to the bears from this feeding & petting interaction. We're thankful that the Governor and Legislators personally experienced this family friendly educational contact and common sense prevailed.

Last year Oswald's Bear Ranch was contacted by an animal shelter official who was questioning why PETA representatives were requesting that staff attend the cub interaction in Oswald's Bear Ranch to secretly video anything that could be used in a negative manner. Knowing that the animal rights groups were preparing to attack us we continued to invite all guest to personally visit and experience this wonderful and unique public contact so as to combat their lies with guest's first hand knowledge.

All bears in our care are examined daily by professionally trained staff and doctor of veterinary medicine as needed.

Background on this issue can be seen here, Youtube video:
<http://www.uppermichiganssource.com/content/news/PETA-accuses-Oswalds-Bear-Ranch-of-animal-abuse-451020133.html>. 100% Exoneration (No violations)

Animal extremist such as PETA use outdated, biased and unscientific information to pursue their radical agenda. These outlets expose their scheme: HuffingtonPost/PETA, PETAKillsAnimals.com and <http://protecttheharvest.com> , HumaneWatch.org