

POSSUMS

Possums are protected in Australia and there are extremely strict guidelines in places regarding what can and cannot be done. Brush tail possums and ring tail possums are protected in Tasmania, you can only trap possums if you have a permit from NRE Tas.

Why it's important that professionals remove possums?

If caught with a possum in a trap/cage you can be fined 10's of thousands of dollars; this is where Scorpion Pest Management can be of assistance as we are fully licensed to remove troublesome possums.

The process of trapping:

First, we will fully inspect the property and provide you with the best option or options along with a quotation. If you require trapping, we will set the traps at the beginning of the week to obtain the best outcome as there are restrictions; we are unable to have traps set over weekends, they are required to be checked every 24 hours where we will return to monitor. (methods will differ depending on the type of wildlife)

Any Questions!
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WE ARE COMMITTED TO TAKING CARE OF THE TASMANIAN NATIVE & PROTECTED WILDLIFE AND ALL ANIMALS SURROUNDING YOUR HOME OR BUSINESS INCLUDING, WALLABY'S, POSSUMS, DEER, AND RABBITS.

In Australia, natural wildlife is protected by laws and regulations. Although the legal structure varies by state and territory, most native animals cannot be harmed, captured, or kept without the appropriate permits.

Scorpion has or can obtain the necessary permits to trap/remove or control Tasmanian wildlife. Such as:

Possums
Wallaby's
Kangaroos
Ducks
Birds
Rabbits
Feral Cats

Physical control methods can include; Install appropriate fencing to keep wildlife out of specific areas- it should be high, secure, and challenging to climb over or dig under.

Use physical barriers to restrict entrances to buildings and structures, such as hardware cloth, wire mesh, or chimney caps.

Trim branches away from the building structure to keep animals like possums from getting into attics and roofs.

Change the habitat to make it less appealing to wildlife. Removing food sources such as fallen fruit or pet food bowls, for example, can deter possums and other scavengers.