

# BE COYOTE AWARE

Coyotes are a native species well adapted to urban ecosystems. It's not unusual to see them in urban areas, even during the daytime.

## Keep your distance.

## Be big. Be loud!

- Make the coyote feel uncomfortable.
- Scare coyotes away with loud noise, clapping, etc.
- Make yourself appear large and back away slowly.
- Never turn your back or run away.
- Bring a whistle or stick with you on walks.

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If you have additional questions, call  
**BSD Public Safety** at  
**503-356-4444**

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