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<u>Caught on Camera: Opossums, bunnies, coyotes and deer using land</u> bridge June 22, 2021, Texas, WOAI San Antonio

...A study of wildlife crossings by the University of Natural Resources Conservation at the University of Massachusetts, Amherst, recommends crossings be a minimum of 50 meters wide (164 feet) at the base and as little as 8 meters (26 feet) at the center to encourage wildlife to use it. Hardberger Park's Land Bridge is larger ...

Crossing to safety: How driver attention and innovative design can help protect wildlife January 10, 2021 Texas, Click2Houston

... innovative yet low-tech measure to minimize nighttime deer collisions is a rear-facing light bar mounted on the front of a vehicle. Illuminating the grill area presents a more visible looming object, reducing the "frozen in the headlights" behavior of deer.

Researchers report the use of light bars reduces the likelihood of hitting a deer from 35 percent to 10 percent...

Why did the wildlife cross the land bridge? December 26, 2020 Texas, The Journal Gazette

... "The 150-foot long land bridge is the first in the world designed for safe passage for both people and wildlife," ... spans the Wurzbach Parkway in San Antonio...

San Antonio unveils new wildlife land bridge December 16, 2020 Texas, Inhabitat ... We've had some accidents between cars and deer especially ... The newly built Robert L.B. Tobin Land Bridge now connects two sections of a San Antonio park that were previously separated by a highway...

<u>97A wildlife fence helps reduce vehicle/animal collisions</u> September 23, 2020 Texas, Quad City Herald

... Parts of 97A between Chelan and Wenatchee have been the scene of scores of animal/vehicle accidents over the years and led to a cooperative effort between public/private group to install miles of wildlife fencing along portions of the road's west side to help keep mule deer and bighorns away from the highway...