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Comments: Please reconsider your decision to slaughter prairie dog. The Toronto Zoo has worked tirelessly to bring back the black footed ferret with some success. Total success depends on the prairie dog population. The ferrets were on the endangered species list for some time and they need all of the help we can give them.

Obliterating prairie dogs is not the answer. Can we not please learn to co-exist with wildlife. Habitat loss is the greatest enemy to wildlife next to the two legged predator called man.

Please, please rethink your strategy.