



**Amherst County Board of Supervisors
County Ordinance No. 2021-0013**

AN ORDINANCE, NO. 2021-0013

Amending and reenacting the Amherst County Code by amending Chapter 3, Animals, Article III, Hunting and Fishing, Section 3-76, Hunting near Highways.

Approved as to form and legality by the Amherst County Attorney

**FIRST READING: Board of Supervisors, December 7, 2021
PUBLIC HEARING: Board of Supervisors, December 21, 2021**

THE COUNTY OF AMHERST HEREBY ORDAINS:

§ 1. That Section 3-76 of the Code of Amherst County, 1987, as amended, is amended, reenacted, and recodified as follows:

Sec. 3-76. Hunting near highways.

- (a) It shall be unlawful to hunt or attempt to hunt with a firearm, muzzleloader, arrowgun, or archery tackle any game bird or game animal while the hunting or attempting to hunt is in or across or within the right-of-way of any primary or secondary highway in Amherst County, Virginia.
- (b) The term "hunt" or "attempt to hunt" as used in this section shall not include the necessary crossing of such highways for the bona fide purpose of going into or leaving a lawful hunting area.

§ 2. That this ordinance shall be in force and effect upon adoption.

Adopted this 21st day of December 2021.



Jennifer R. Moore, Chair
Amherst County Board of Supervisors

Member

Vote

Jennifer R. Moore, Chair.....	<u>AYE</u>
David W. Pugh, Jr., Vice-Chair.....	<u>ABSENT</u>
Tom Martin.	<u>AYE</u>
L. J. "Jimmy" Ayers, III	<u>AYE</u>
Claudia D. Tucker	<u>AYE</u>

ATTEST:



Dean C. Rodgers, Clerk
Amherst County Board of Supervisors