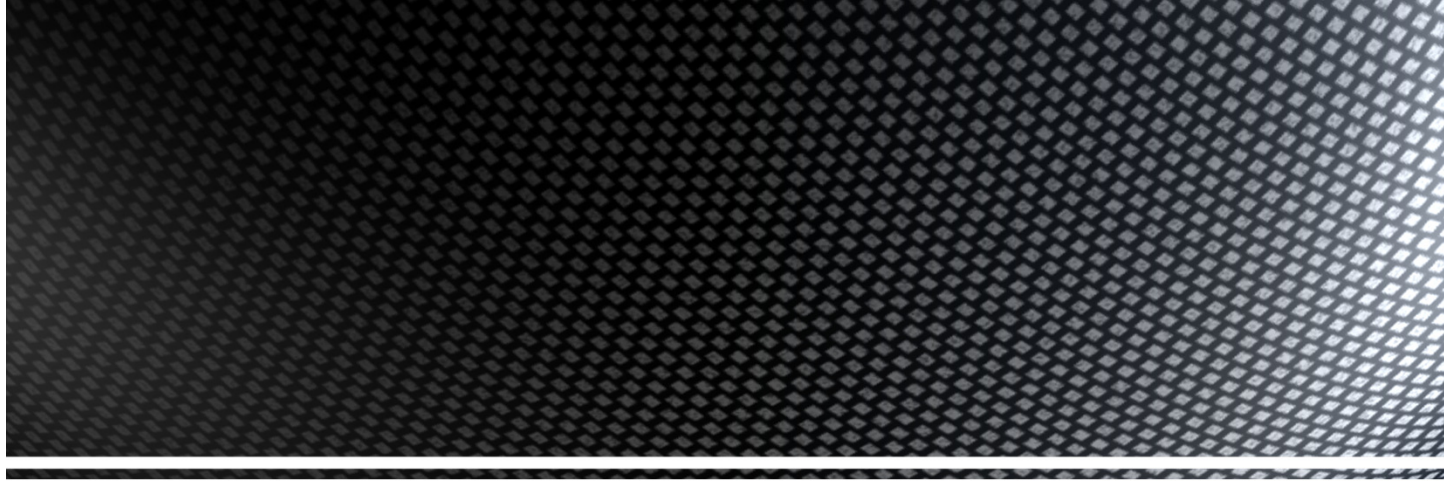


James City County
Urban Archery Program





Urban Archery Info

- Purpose: The objective of the urban archery season is to reduce human/deer conflicts in urban areas by concentrating archery-hunting pressure in urban/suburban areas. Archery deer hunting is an effective, quiet method for harvesting deer in urban settings.



Hunting in Urban Areas

- **Antlerless only during the Urban Archery Season:**
Reducing the numbers of does is the key to managing deer herd growth.
- **Land owner permission:** Participating in urban archery seasons is not just an opportunity, it's a responsibility.
- In all cases, officials from the city, county or town had to approve the locality's participation in the program.



Benefits

- Decrease the likelihood of ...
 - Vehicle accidents
 - Landscaping nuisance
- Control population of urban wildlife



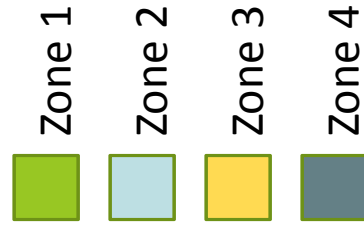
Proposal

- Develop an urban archery program with managed hunts.
- Prior to the hunt:
 - Archers pass a community-organized proficiency test.
 - Attend an orientation meeting.
 - Complete a liability waiver.
 - Hunt in an assigned specific zone, time, and date.
- Report results to the community leadership.

The Villages of Westminster



- Image of proposed area:
- Manage hunts by zones.



Managed Hunts: Hunt in an assigned specific zone, time, and date