



COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

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NOTICE AND DESCRIPTION OF SHELLFISH AREA CONDEMNATION
NUMBER 016-024, DYMER CREEK

EFFECTIVE 15 FEBRUARY 2026

Pursuant to Title 28.2, Chapter 8, §§ 28.2-803 through 28.2-808, § 32.1-20, and § 2.2-4002, B.16 of the Code of Virginia.

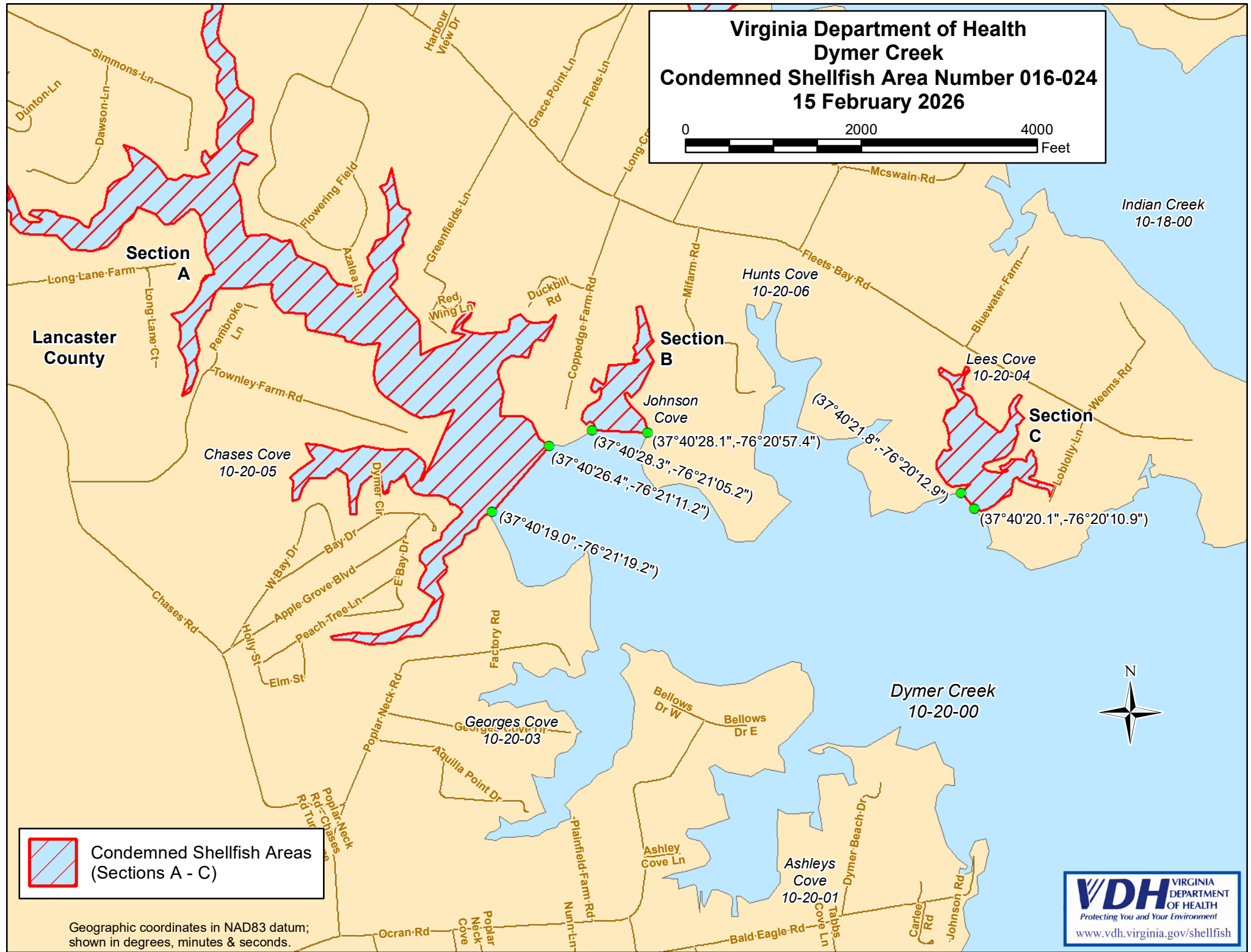
- 1. The "Notice and Description of Shellfish Area Condemnation Number 016-024, Dymer Creek," effective 15 December 2024, is cancelled effective 15 February 2026.
2. Condemned Shellfish Area Number 016-024, shown as Sections A through C, is hereby established, effective 15 February 2026. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to take shellfish from these areas for any purpose, except by permit granted by the Marine Resources Commission, as provided in § 28.2-810 of the Code of Virginia. The boundaries of these areas are shown on the map titled "Dymer Creek, Condemned Shellfish Area Number 016-024, 15 February 2026" which is part of this notice.
3. The Department of Health will receive, consider and respond to petitions by any interested person at any time with respect to reconsideration or revision of this order.


BOUNDARIES OF CONDEMNED AREA NUMBER 016-024

- A. The condemned area shall include that portion of Dymer Creek and its tributaries upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°40'26.4", -76°21'11.2") and map coordinate (37°40'19.0", -76°21'19.2").
B. The condemned area shall include all of Johnson Cove upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°40'28.3", -76°21'05.2") and map coordinate (37°40'28.1", -76°20'57.4").
C. The condemned area shall include all of Lees Cove upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°40'21.8", -76°20'12.9") and map coordinate (37°40'20.1", -76°20'10.9").

Recommended by: Danielle Schoola
Director, Division of Shellfish Safety
Ordered by: James Gregory (Feb 3, 2026 15:04:45 EST)
Director, Office of Environmental Health Services
Feb 3, 2026
Date

**Virginia Department of Health
Dymer Creek
Condemned Shellfish Area Number 016-024
15 February 2026**



 **Condemned Shellfish Areas
(Sections A - C)**

Geographic coordinates in NAD83 datum;
shown in degrees, minutes & seconds.

