



## COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

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### **NOTICE AND DESCRIPTION OF SHELLFISH AREA CONDEMNATION NUMBER 035-076, UPPER PIANKATANK RIVER**

**EFFECTIVE 15 JANUARY 2025**

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 035-076, Upper Piankatank River," effective 15 December 2022, is cancelled effective 15 January 2025.
2. Condemned Shellfish Area Number 035-076, shown as Sections A through D, is established effective 15 January 2025. 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 "Upper Piankatank River, Condemned Shellfish Area Number 035-076, 15 January 2025" 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 035-076**

- A. The condemned area shall include that portion of the Piankatank River and its tributaries upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°32'20.6", -76°29'11.2") and map coordinate (37°32'04.8", -76°29'02.4").
- B. The condemned area shall include all of Ferry Creek and its tributaries upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°31'10.3", -76°27'37.5") and map coordinate (37°31'02.3", -76°27'28.4").
- C. The condemned area shall include all of Dancing Creek and its tributaries upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°30'56.8", -76°27'06.3") and map coordinate (37°30'52.2", -76°27'03.6").

- D. The condemned area shall include all of Frenchs Creek and its tributaries upstream of a line drawn between latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°31'45.6",-76°28'51.8") and map coordinate (37°31'45.2",-76°28'52.2").

Recommended by: *Danielle Schools*  
Danielle Schools (Dec 17, 2024 12:15 EST)  
Director, Division of Shellfish Safety

Ordered by: *Julie Henderson* 12/20/2024  
Director, Office of Environmental Health Services Date

Virginia Department of Health  
Upper Piankatank River  
Condemned Shellfish Area Number 035-076  
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