WildLife Policy

PURPOSE

This policy endeavors to protect the health and safety of the residents, to allow residents their right to quiet enjoyment and also to protect the safety of the wildlife in our community.

PROCEDURES AND REQUIREMENTS

1. Residents may not feed any wildlife in common areas on Housing Authority property. This shall include, but is not limited to, birds, ducks, geese, squirrels, or Ferrell cats. Residents may not place food of any type on Housing Authority property for the purpose of feeding or attracting wildlife. Further, no household trash is permitted to be left outside of a residents unit under any circumstance.
2. Birdfeeders and birdhouses are not to be attached to Housing Authority buildings.
3. Birdfeeders and birdhouses may be placed in an area designated by the Executive Director or his/her designee. Any bird feeder placed in a location deemed to be dangerous to the safety of residents or buildings will have to be removed. The resident will be notified and required to remove the bird feeder or re-locate it to another area designated by the director.
4. Birdfeeders and birdhouses placed in designated areas shall be of good condition and must be related to the feeding and housing of the small species of birds (blue-jays, robins, cardinals, etc.) Only bird seed is to be used in feeders.

This policy was approved and adopted by the Board of Commissioners on for the Norton Housing Authority on September 15, 2015.

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James Dinsel, Chairman