



HENRICO POLICE

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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### Henrico Police Encounter First Rabies case of 2025

**(Henrico County, Va.):** On Sunday, March 23, 2025, Henrico Police responded to the 8500 block of Camp Hill Road in the Varina district of Henrico County, for the report of a potential rabies exposure involving two dogs and a raccoon.

The raccoon was submitted to the State Lab and tested positive for rabies. Because there was potential contact between the dogs and the raccoon, the dogs will be quarantined on the owner's property. There were no additional animal or human exposures reported. This is the first confirmed rabies case in Henrico County for 2025.

The Henrico Police Animal Protection Unit reminds everyone to keep their pets' rabies vaccinations current to ensure the safety of their pets and our community. Henrico County offers rabies vaccination clinics throughout the year. The [next rabies clinic](#) is scheduled for Saturday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2025, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., at the Henrico County Western Government Center, located on Parham Road. These vaccinations cost \$20.00 and are cash only. Additional rabies clinic dates can be found on the [Henrico County Animal Shelter's page](#).

Please report abnormal wildlife behavior and any possible rabies exposures to Henrico Police by calling (804) 501-5000.

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