

DGIF Doesn't get it! They are not supposed to study our HERITAGE and traditions and pass judgement! We want them to Protect and defend our Outdoor Sporting Heritage! Tell your Legislator that enough is enough, we must restructure the DGIF Board and get them out of politics!

VDGIF is committed to preserving the tradition of hunting, including hunting with hounds, in a manner that is fair, sportsmanlike, and consistent with the rights of property owners and other citizens. The process we are following in this study is open, inclusive and designed to allow sportsmen, landowners and individuals with an interest in this issue to determine the future of hunting in Virginia.



Input from the public, particularly the hunting public, is critical

Key to the process being used in this study is the complete and total involvement of the public, from beginning to end, especially hunters who hunt with hounds.

This project will be managed by experienced researchers at Virginia Tech and will provide many opportunities for interested citizens to participate in the study and have public input. There will be numerous ways to get involved over the next year. (See back panel for details).

The process will include focus group meetings with individual stakeholder groups, of which about half of the focus groups will be made up of bear, deer, fox and raccoon hound hunters. The remainder of the focus groups will be made up of other hunters, landowners, government representatives, and outdoor enthusiasts.

Get involved
in the VDGIF/VA Tech
Hunting with Hounds Study