

**CALHOUN COUNTY**  
**ORDINANCE NO. 2003 - 02**

**AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE DISPOSAL OF AN ANIMAL CARCASS  
ALONGSIDE A PUBLIC ROAD, PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY, OR PUBLIC PROPERTY;  
PROVIDING PENALTIES AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

WHEREAS, there are many acres of land within Calhoun County that are hunted during hunting season; and

WHEREAS, several complaints have been received that during hunting season animal carcasses are left alongside public roads, public rights of way or on public property;

WHEREAS, the animal carcasses that are left alongside public roads, public rights of way, or on public property are visually disturbing to the public and also create unsanitary conditions; and

WHEREAS, no person has any legal authority or right to dump an animal carcass alongside a public road, public right of way or on public property;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CALHOUN COUNTY, FLORIDA:

1. It is unlawful for any person to dispose of an animal carcass alongside a public road, public right of way or on public property.
2. Any person who violates any provision of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in Florida Statute §775.082 or Florida Statute §775.083.
3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage by a majority vote of the Board of County Commissioners in and for Calhoun County, after due notice and publication, in the regular meeting on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2003, and upon being filed with the Secretary of State.

ADOPTED THIS 18<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MARCH, 2003, BY A VOTE OF MARCH TO 2003.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
CALHOUN COUNTY, FLORIDA

BY:

  
JIM PICKRON, Chairman

ATTEST:

  
RUTH W. ATTAWAY, Clerk

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