

ARTICLE VI
Wildlife Feeding

§ 111-18. Purpose.

The purpose of this article is to prohibit the feeding of unconfined wildlife in any public park or on any other property owned or operated by the Borough of Oaklyn, so as to protect public health, safety and welfare, and to prescribe penalties for failure to comply.

§ 111-19. Definitions.

For the purpose of this article, the following terms, phrases, words and their derivations shall have the meanings stated herein unless their use in the text of this article clearly demonstrates a different meaning. When not inconsistent with the context, words used in the present tense include the future, words used in the plural number include the singular number, and words used in the singular number include the plural number. The word "shall" is always mandatory and not merely directory.

FEED — To give, place, expose, deposit, distribute or scatter any edible material with the intention of feeding, attracting or enticing wildlife. Feeding does not include baiting in the legal taking of fish and/or game.

PERSON — Any individual, corporation, company, partnership, firm, association or political subdivision of this state subject to municipal jurisdiction.

WILDLIFE — All animals that are neither human nor domesticated.

§ 111-20. Prohibited conduct.

No person shall feed, in any public park or on any other property owned or operated by the Borough of Oaklyn, any wildlife, excluding confined wildlife (i.e., wildlife confined in zoos, parks or rehabilitation centers or unconfined wildlife at environmental education centers). In addition to any other penalties that may be imposed under this article, any person found to be in violation of this article shall be ordered to cease the feeding immediately.