



TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY

Operating Policy and Procedure

**OP 76.05: Hunting on Texas Tech Property**

**DATE:** May 12, 2023

**PURPOSE:** The purpose of this Operating Policy/Procedure (OP) is to establish a policy regarding hunting on Texas Tech University property.

**REVIEW:** This OP will be reviewed in May of every fourth year by the Chief of Police with substantive revisions forwarded to the Senior Vice President for Administration & Finance and Chief Financial Officer.

**POLICY/PROCEDURE**

Hunting by any method is prohibited on all property belonging to Texas Tech University. Farmlands, rangelands, and other property are posted against trespassing, hunting, and the discharging of firearms or any type of weapon.

In the event that scientific specimens must be obtained or that Texas Tech property, such as farmlands, require the extermination by firearms of rodents or other animals presenting a threat to the land or growth thereon, a means of collection and/or extermination will be organized by the Chief of Police with express authority obtained through the Senior Vice President for Administration & Finance and Chief Financial Officer.