

1 **Ordinance To Amend And Re-Enact The Zoning Ordinance Of The City Of Hampton, Virginia by**  
2 **Amending Section 2-2 Entitled, "Definitions" Pertaining To the Definition of Improved Surface**  
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4 **WHEREAS**, the public necessity, convenience, general welfare and good zoning practice so require;  
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6 **BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Hampton, Virginia that Chapter 2 of the Zoning Ordinance  
7 of the City of Hampton, Virginia, be amended and re-enacted as follows:  
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9 **Chapter 2- DEFINITIONS**

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11 Sec. 2-2. - Definitions.  
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13 ~~Improved surface. Concrete, asphalt, pavers designed to support the weight of motor vehicles;~~  
14 ~~rock, gravel, oyster shells when contained by a border; or any other similar impervious surface, not to~~  
15 ~~include grass, dirt or compacted soil.~~  
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17 *Improved surface. The following materials when designed, installed, and permitted to support the*  
18 *weight of a vehicle shall be considered improved surface: concrete; asphalt; impervious pavers; porous*  
19 *paving systems installed according to manufacturer specifications which may incorporate grass, gravel, or*  
20 *soil elements, which are contained by a border, visually distinct from unimproved lawn area, and are*  
21 *appropriately maintained to retain all the foregoing criteria; loose materials such as rock, gravel, and*  
22 *oyster shells when contained by a border; other similar impervious surfaces but not to include compacted*  
23 *soil.*  
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