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(description of dog(s))

running from your property. Fortunately, no one was injured.
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injured someone, and the incident been reported to police, the
officer could apply to the local magistrate to issue a summons
requiring you to appear in court. A judge could require the dog
owner to register the dog as “Dangerous” which requires a
number of burdensome actions. (see www.vdacs.virginia.gov)

Knowing that dog(s) have chased cyclists, it would be advisable
to keep it/them restrained, to avoid an incident that could lead to
getting involved with the Dangerous Dog Registry. I'll be happy
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