

Chapter 1

ANIMALS

Sec. 17-1-111. Animals; nuisance.

It shall be unlawful to keep animals or fowl in any area where they create an odor, unsanitary condition, or otherwise create a nuisance.
(Ord. No. 85-10, § 1, 5-20-85)

Sec. 17-1-112. Cruelty to animals.

It shall be unlawful for any person to inflict unnecessary pain or suffering upon any animal, or to ride, drive, or work it when sick or unfit for work, or to override, overwork, overload, ride when overworked, torture, torment, or to beat or whip cruelly any animal.
(Ord. No. 85-10, § 1, 5-20-85)

Sec. 17-1-113. Rabies inoculation required.

It shall be unlawful for any person to own, harbor, maintain, or have in possession within the town any dog or cat unless that dog or cat has been inoculated against rabies within the preceding twelve (12) months by a licensed veterinarian or other person authorized to administer the vaccine. Such person shall produce proof of such inoculation when requested by any appropriate authority. Provided, however, this section shall not apply to dogs or cats less than four (4) months old.
(Ord. No. 85-10, § 1, 5-20-85)

Sec. 17-1-114. Running at large prohibited; leash required; animals on streets and public places.

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person owning any dog or any other animal or having the control of any dog or any other animal to permit such animal to be on the street or any other public place in the town, except beaches, when such animal is not at all times on a leash.

(b) From Friday of Memorial Day weekend through the Monday of Labor Day weekend of each year, dogs or any other animal shall not be allowed on the beach between 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. nor in any designated swimming area at any hour.

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(c) No person shall permit any excrement from any animal under that person's control to remain on the beach, the street, any other public place or the private property of another, but shall dispose of same in a sanitary manner.

(d) Any violation of these provisions shall result in the owner of the animal being charged with a misdemeanor and may result in the animal being seized by the appropriate animal control officer or law enforcement officer.
(Ord. No. 85-10, § 1, 5-20-85; Ord. No. 88-17, § 1, 8-15-88)

Cross reference—Animals on beaches, § 8-1-211.

Sec. 17-1-115. Barking dogs.

It shall be unlawful for any person to allow any dog or cat to bark or meow to such an extent as to interfere materially with or affect the health, comfort, peace, or quiet of any other person.
(Ord. No. 85-10, § 1, 5-20-85)

Sec. 17-1-116. Animals to be licensed.

Dogs must be licensed yearly as required under county regulation.
(Ord. No. 85-10, § 1, 5-20-85)

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