

Dog and Public Nuisances

A. A public nuisance is as follows:

1. any animal that is unrestrained and allowed to run at will; or
2. interferes with passersby or passing vehicles; or
3. trespasses on school grounds; or
4. damages private or public property; or

When confined

5. barks, whines, howls, or makes other sounds common to its species in an excessive or continuous manner; or
6. causes foul or noxious odors resulting from the accumulation of excrement or other waste materials from an animal which offends residents in the neighborhood. :

B. Each twenty-four (24) hours that a violation occurs will be considered a separate offense and can be cited as such.

C. After three citations of this ordinance for an animal running at large, any unaltered animal(s) must be spayed or neutered at the owner's expense.

D. Each offense shall be considered a separate offense and subject to a fifty (\$50) fine plus court costs.

Dangerous Animal

A. A dangerous animal is an animal that when unprovoked bite(s) a human or a domestic animal either on public or private property; or

1. has a documented history with a public agency of biting or attacking humans or domestic animals; or

2. is any animal known to have the propensity, tendency, or disposition to attack, to cause injury, or otherwise threaten, or endanger the safety of humans or domestic animals; or

3. is not properly vaccinated for rabies.

B. Any person within the boundaries of the Town of Perrysville owning, keeping, or having custody of a dangerous

animal as defined in this Chapter must insure that the animal is securely and humanely restrained or confined within a building or secure enclosure.

C. Violators of the specifications of confinement of a dangerous animal as defined by this Chapter of the Code will be fined two hundred dollars (\$200), and court costs. The animal will be impounded by the authorities at the owner's expense.

D. A dangerous animal may be destroyed by Ordinance enforcement authorities at the owner's expense if destruction is necessary to preserve the public health, safety, and welfare of the community.



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