

TOWN OF FARMINGTON

WAUPACA COUNTY
OFFICE OF TOWN CLERK
WAUPACA, WIS. 54981

ORDINANCE NO. 4-1960

An ordinance regulating the keeping of dogs in the town of Farmington, County of Waupaca, Wisconsin.

SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to own keep, have in possession or harbor any dog which, by frequent habitual howling, yelping, barking or otherwise shall cause serious annoyance or disturbance to persons or to the neighborhood, provided that the provisions of this section shall not apply to hospitals conducted for the treatment of small animals or to premises occupied or used for a town pound.

SECTION 2. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to have in possession a dog which has contracted rabies, or which has been subject to same, or which is suspected of having rabies, or which shall upon demand of the constable or any person or officer appointed by the proper officials of the town of Farmington, ~~remain~~ to be held for observation and treatment or other disposition as recommended by the proper authorities of the Town of Farmington.

SECTION 3 All persons except the owners are hereby prohibited from opening any door or gate of any private premises or dog pound for the purpose of setting any dog at large, or otherwise enticing or enabling any dog to leave any private premises within which such dog may be for the purpose of setting such dog free, or at large.

SECTION 4 Any constable or any person or officer appointed by the proper officials of the Town of Farmington, finding any dog running at large in the Town of Farmington shall forthwith take and confine such dog, to be held until said dog is licensed and a penalty of \$3.00 plus a charge of \$1.00 per day for its keep is paid. If said dog is not claimed within seven days after the taking and confining of same, such dog shall be disposed of in the most humane manner.

SECTION 5 Any dog or dogs kept under the provisions of this Ordinance shall not be permitted to run at large, and during the breeding season shall be kept closely confined.

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SECTION 6 All parts of ~~this~~ ordinance in conflict with this ordinance is hereby repealed in so far as they conflict herewith.

SECTION 7 If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason, held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall ~~may~~ not effect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance. The Town Board hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof irrespective of this fact that any one or more sections, sub-sections, clauses, or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

SECTION 8 Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance; on conviction thereof shall pay a forfeiture of not more than \$50.00 and costs of prosecution, and in default of payment of such forfeiture and costs shall be imprisoned in the Waupaca County Jail for such time not to exceed more than 30 days, unless such

forfeiture and costs are sooner paid.

SECTION 9 This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

DATED March 29, 1960.

Town Board of Farmington

R. F. Ewald-clerk

Theo. Jensen-chairman
Axsel Kragh Supervisor
W. Fred Jensen-Supervisor

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