

VILLAGE OF TANNERSVILLE  
COUNTY OF GREENE  
STATE OF NEW YORK

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that after a Public Hearing held on August 23rd, 1976, the following Ordinance was adopted:

ORDINANCE #76-2

DOG ORDINANCE

BE IT RESOLVED and ordained by the Village Board of Tannersville, Greene County, New York as follows:

SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful for any owner of, or any person harboring any dog in the Village of Tannersville to permit or allow such dog to:

- A. Run at large unless said dog is restrained by an adequate collar and leash or unless accompanied by its owner or a responsible person able to control the animal. For the purposes of this ordinance, a dog or dogs hunting in company with a hunter or hunters shall be considered as accompanied by its owner.
- B. Engage in habitual loud howling or barking or to conduct itself in such a manner so as to habitually annoy any person other than the owner or person harboring such dog.
- C. Cause damage or destruction to property, or commit a nuisance upon the premises of a person other than the owner or person harboring such dog.
- D. Chase or otherwise harass any person in such manner as reasonably to cause intimidation or to put such person in reasonable apprehension of bodily harm or injury.
- E. Habitually chase or bark at motor vehicles.

SECTION 2. It shall be unlawful for the owner or person harboring any female dog to permit such dog to run at large when in heat and such dog shall be confined to the premises of such person during such period.

SECTION 3. Any unlicensed or untagged dog found to be running at large in violation of Section 114 of the Agriculture and Markets Law shall be seized and such dog shall be properly fed and cared for until disposed of as provided by said Section 114.

SECTION 4. A dog warden, to be designated by the Village Board as provided by Section 119 of the Agriculture and Markets Law, may enforce the provisions of this ordinance and may also investigate and report to a Justice of the Village of Tannersville any dangerous dog as described in Section 116 of the Agriculture and Markets Law, and to see that the order or orders of the Village Justice in such case are carried out.

SECTION 5. Any person who observes a dog causing damage or destruction to property of a person other than its owner, or committing a nuisance upon the premises of a person other than its owner, may file a signed complaint, under oath, with a Justice of the Village of Tannersville specifying the objectionable conduct on the dog, the date thereof, the damage caused, a description of the dog and name and residence, if known, of the owner or other person harboring said dog.

SECTION 6. Upon receipt of the Village Justice of any complaint against the conduct of any particular dog, the Justice may summon the alleged owner or other person harboring said dog to appear in person before him; if the summons is disregarded, the Justice may permit the filing of an information and issue a warrant for the arrest of such person.

SECTION 7. A violation of this ordinance shall be deemed an offense against the ordinance and any person convicted of violation after investigation and hearing shall be liable to a penalty of not more than \$25.00 for each violation.

SECTION 8. This ordinance shall take effect ten days after its publication as provided for by Section 20-2004 of the Village Law.

BY ORDER OF THE VILLAGE BOARD  
VILLAGE OF TANNERSVILLE

DATED:

August 31, 1976

  
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Adeline Merwin, Clerk