

Ordinance Number:
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**PROHIBITING AND REGULATING THE RUNNING AT LARGE
OF DOGS, AUTHORIZING THE SEIZURE AND DETENTION,
INCLUDING REASONABLE CHARGES THEREFOR AND
PROVIDING PENALTIES THEREFOR.**

WHEREAS, the running at large of dogs has caused destruction of property in the Borough of Yorkana and constitutes a nuisance to the residents in said Borough.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it enacted and ordained by the Borough of Yorkana, and it is hereby enacted, resolved and ordained by authority of the same as follows:

SECTION I

From and after the passage of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person to allow his dog to run at large in and about the Borough of Yorkana.

SECTION II

A Constable or other proper officer is hereby authorized to seize and detain any dog found running at large in said Borough, and in the event that any such dog is detained, the owner of such dog shall be liable to pay reasonable charges for detention.

SECTION III

Any violation of this ordinance is hereby declared to be a summary offense and any person violating the same shall, upon conviction in summary proceedings before any Justice of the Peace of Yorkana Borough, be subject to a fine of not less than Five Dollars (\$5.00) or more than Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00) for such offense, plus the costs of detention, and it is hereby declared that each refusal or neglect to compliance with the terms of this ordinance shall be considered a separate violation and notice to the offender or offenders by the Borough shall not be necessary in order to constitute an offense.

SECTION IV

All fines and penalties received hereunder shall be recovered by summary proceedings before any Justice of the Peace of the Borough, and said fines or penalties shall be paid to the Treasurer of the Borough.

SECTION V

Any resolutions, ordinances, or any part of the same conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are repealed in so far as the same affects this ordinance.

ENACTED AND PASSED, this 2nd day of May, 1966

THE BOROUGH OF YORKANA

By: Paul Rawhouser, President

Approved this 6th day of June, 1966.

By: George W. Lariman, Mayor