

VILLAGE OF FARWELL
CLARE COUNTY, MICHIGAN
ORDINANCE NUMBER 1993-6

An Ordinance enacted pursuant to the authority granted at MCL 67.1 et seq. and MCL 66.1 et seq., to regulate the keeping of dogs within the Village of Farwell, to prevent dogs from running at large, to provide penalties for the violation hereof, including a provision that a violation will constitute a misdemeanor, to establish that any violation shall be a public nuisance, and to provide for the enforcement of the Ordinance.

THE VILLAGE OF FARWELL, CLARE COUNTY, MICHIGAN ORDAINS:

Section 1.0

This Ordinance shall be known and cited as the Village of Farwell Dog at Large Ordinance and it shall be sufficient to any action for enforcement of the provisions hereof to define the same by such title or reference to the number hereof.

Section 2.0

It is the purpose of this Ordinance to promote the general health, safety and welfare of the residents and property owners of the Village of Farwell limiting the number of dogs and to prevent the running at large of dogs.

Section 3.0

No dog shall be allowed to run at large at any time within the Village Limits of the Village of Farwell.

Section 4.0

The Village of Farwell Ordinance Enforcement Officer, or the Village of Farwell Council, collectively or individually, are charged with enforcement of this Ordinance as more fully hereinafter set out.

Section 5.0

Any person who shall violate any of the terms of this Ordinance shall, upon civil conviction in a court of competent jurisdiction, be guilty of a misdemeanor and be subject to a fine of not more than five hundred and no/100ths (\$500.00) dollars or to imprisonment for a period of not more than ninety (90) days, or both, plus costs of prosecution.

Section 6.0

Any violation of the provisions of this Ordinance shall circuit court to abate the nuisance and enforce the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 7.0

The provisions, sections, sentences and phrases of this Ordinance are declared to be severable and if any such portion is declared unconstitutional or invalid for any reason by a

court of competent jurisdiction, such finding shall in no way affect or invalidate the remainder of this Ordinance.

Section 8.0

This Ordinance shall take effect 30 days after publication. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Steven Grim, President
Nancy Thrush, Clerk

CERTIFICATION OF ADOPTION OF VILLAGE ORDINANCE

I, Nancy Thrush, the duly elected Clerk of the Village of Farwell, Clare County, Michigan, hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was adopted at a regular meeting of the Village of Farwell Council on the 4th day of October, 1993, at which meeting the following named members of the council were present and voted in person as follows:

- (A) Voting in favor of adoption of the Ordinance:
C/Marshall, C/Schofield, C/Whaley, C/Brewer, C/Brewer, C/Allan, & Pres. Grim.
- (B) Voting against the adoption of Ordinance:
None

Certification Date: October 4, 1993 Nancy Thrush, Clerk

I, Nancy Thrush, the duly elected Clerk of the Village of Farwell, Clare County, Michigan, hereby certify that this Ordinance was published in the Clare Sentinel a newspaper of general circulation within the Village on the 26th day of October, 1993, and that this Ordinance and the Publisher's Affidavit hereto attached are filed in the Village of Farwell Ordinance Book on the date of this Certificate, such date being within one week after the first of such publication.

Certification Date: November 2, 1993 Nancy Thrush, Clerk