

Chapter 39

ANIMALS

§ 39-1. Animals disturbing the peace.

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[HISTORY: Adopted by the Borough Council of the Borough of Langhorne Manor 2-9-1971. Amendments noted where applicable.]

§ 39-1. Animals disturbing the peace.

It shall be unlawful to own, harbor or keep in custody any dog or other animal which disturbs the peace by barking, howling or making other loud noises to the annoyance and discomfort of any person in the Borough of Langhorne Manor. Continuous barking, howling or the making of other loud noises by such dog or other animal for more than any one (1) hour or continuous barking for periods of less than one (1) hour but more than one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) hour, which periods occur on two (2) or more consecutive days, shall be deemed to disturb the peace and to the annoyance and discomfort of persons in the Borough of Langhorne Manor.

§ 39-2. Running at large prohibited.

It shall be unlawful for any person who owns or keeps any dog or other animal to permit any such dog or other animal to run at large unaccompanied by its owner or keeper.

§ 39-3. Request for warning.

- A. Any person may request the police in charge of law enforcement in the borough to warn any such person who shall own, harbor or keep in custody any dog or other animal which disturbs the peace by barking, howling or making other loud noises or to warn any person who owns or keeps a dog or other animal and permits such dog or other animal to roam at large unaccompanied by its owner or keeper.
- B. A warning by the police shall consist of delivery of a copy of this chapter at the residence in the Borough of Langhorne Manor of any such owner, keeper or custodian. In the absence of any such warning made by said police, the complaining person may request the Secretary of the Borough of Langhorne Manor to provide such warning.
- C. Any such request shall be in writing and shall identify and specify the residence of the owner, keeper or custodian of the dog or other animal and shall identify and specify the residence of the person making the request. Upon receipt of such request, the Secretary shall mail a copy of this chapter to the person identified as the owner, keeper or custodian of the dog or other animal.

§ 39-4. Violations and penalties. [Amended 8-13-1974 by Ord. No. 102]

Any person who shall violate any provisions of this chapter shall, upon conviction thereof, be liable to a fine of not more than three hundred dollars (\$300.) or to imprisonment in the county jail for a term of not more than thirty (30) days, or both. The continuation of such violation for each successive day shall constitute a separate offense, and the person or persons allowing or permitting the continuation of the violation may be punished as provided above for each separate offense.