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CHAPTER 90: ANIMALS

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IN GENERAL

§ 90.01 DEFINITIONS.

For purposes of this chapter the following definitions shall apply unless the context clearly indicates or requires a different meaning.

**BIRD.** Includes warm-blooded, 2-legged, egg-laying vertebrates with feathers and wings.

**BITE.** Seizure with the teeth or jaws of an animal so that the skin of the human being or animal has been gripped, pierced or broken.

**CAT.** All members of the feline family (Felis Catus).

**CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER.** A designee of the Village, including but not limited to County Animal Services who may enforce the provisions contained in this chapter, and has the power and authority to issue and serve citations for any violation of this chapter. Whenever such term is used in this chapter, it shall mean the **CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER** or his or her designee.

**COUNTY.** Winnebago County or, where applicable, Boone County, State of Illinois.

**DANGEROUS ANIMAL.** Any animal listed in § 90.21 herein, as may be amended from time to time.

**DOG.** Includes all animals, regardless of sex, of the canine species (Canis Familiaris).

**DOMESTIC ANIMAL.** Any animal, except a farm animal or dangerous animal, which has been domesticated so as to be kept in a tame condition as a household pet or guardian. This also includes feral cats as companion animal.

**DOMESTIC ANIMAL AT LARGE.** Any animal that is not leashed and under the control of the owner or a responsible person over 14 years of age. If the animal is on the owner's property, if it is at large if it is not contained on the property by means of an invisible fence at all times able to contain the domestic animal within the confines of the owner's property, along with appropriate signage, fence, chain, owner's direct supervision, leash or other visible means of restraint sufficient to protect pedestrians on public property.

**EUTHANASIA.** Death brought about by any medically recognized method that produces instant loss of consciousness and results in painless death.

**FARM ANIMAL.** Includes horses, ponies, mules, bison, cattle, goats, sheep, swine, potbelly pigs or any other hoofed animals and fowl, for no matter what purpose such animal is kept.

**FERAL CAT CARETAKER.** Any person or organization that cares for and feeds feral cats within the Village.

**FOWL.** Includes the larger, domesticated birds used as food, including chickens, ducks, emus, geese, peafowl, ostriches and turkeys.
HUMANE SOCIETY. Any not-for-profit corporation chartered under the laws of the State of Illinois for the object of animal welfare and humane treatment.

KENNEL. Any establishment wherein any person engages in the business of boarding, building, buying, grooming, letting for hire, training for a fee or selling dogs; provided, however, that the ownership of dogs which are a part of the household shall not constitute the operation of a kennel. KENNEL shall not include any animal control and care facility, any kennel, pound or training facility operated by any subdivision of local, state or federal government, any Humane Society or veterinary hospital.

LEASH. A cord, rope, strap, chain or other device not to exceed 6 feet in length that is commercially produced and whose primary purpose is the restraint of domestic animals, and which is securely fastened to the collar or harness of a dog or other animal and which shall be of sufficient strength to keep such dog or animal under control.

OTHER ENTERPRISE. Any public or private animal attraction or exhibition staged temporarily or permanently, with or without charge to viewers, in compliance with applicable ordinances of the Village, statutes of the State of Illinois and federal laws, including but not limited to zoos, circuses, pony rides, rodeos, dog shows, cat shows, livestock exhibitions, horse shows, other shows or expositions utilizing or displaying animals, and businesses of any kind that place animals on display to the public for promotion or advertising purposes.

OWNER. Any person having a right of property in an animal, or who keeps or harbors any animal, or for purposes of this chapter, who has an animal in his care or custody or acts as its custodian, or who knowingly permits it to remain on or about any premises owned or occupied by him.

PERSON. Any individual, firm, corporation, partnership, association or other legal entity.

STRAY ANIMAL. Any animal not under restraint and not in the presence of its owner.

TRAP. To capture, or attempt to capture, by setting or placing a leg hold trap, cushion-hold trap, body-gripping trap, cage or box trap, spring trap, dead/fall trap, pit/trap, snare or other similar device to capture, hold or kill any animal.

VETERINARIAN. A practicing veterinarian licensed by the State of Illinois.

VETERINARY HOSPITAL. Any establishment maintained and operated by a licensed veterinarian for diagnosis, treatment and/or surgery of diseases and injuries of animals.

VICIOUS ANIMAL. Any domestic animal that bites or attacks, or which is known to have bitten or attacked a human being or other animal, without provocation and where such human being or animal is lawfully entitled to be. Once an animal has been declared to be a vicious animal, the designation remains for the life of the animal.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008)
§ 90.02 JURISDICTION AND AUTHORITY.

The Animal Services Division of Winnebago County, Illinois and/or Boone County, Illinois has express authority to enforce the provisions of this chapter and to charge and collect any fines and fees as may be adopted from time to time by the County Board, as set forth in the County Code of Ordinances. The Village may concurrently enforce the provisions of this chapter.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008)

PUBLIC NUISANCES DECLARED

§ 90.10 LIMIT ON TYPE AND NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITHIN THE VILLAGE.

(A) With the exception of any districts zoned UT, only domestic animals shall be allowed to be kept within any household or building or on any real property located in the Village.

(B) There shall be a maximum limitation per household or building located within the Village of 3 domestic animals, excepting households previously lawful on the effective date of this amendatory ordinance and so continuing; provided however, that any newborn domestic animals born from the same litter shall be allowed to remain in the household despite the limitation of this section for up to 4 months from the date of birth. The Code Enforcement Officer or his or her designee may impound immediately every animal exceeding the limit per household. This section does not apply to feral cats being cared for by a feral cat caretaker.

(C) Any violation of this section is hereby declared to be a public nuisance and each day this section is violated shall constitute a separate offense.

(D) Notwithstanding division (A) above, there shall be no limitation on the maximum number of domestic animals allowed to be kept in any building located in a district zoned for commercial use if such animals are kept pursuant to any of the following activities:

1. Veterinarian services by licensed veterinarians;
2. Dog or cat grooming services; an operator of a kennel, cattery or pet shop licensed under the Animal Welfare Act (ILCS Ch. 225, Act 605);
3. A private not-for-profit animal sanctuary; or
4. Scientific/research labs.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99
§ 90.11 REGISTRATION OF DOGS AND CATS.

A County dog or cat license shall be obtained where required by the County and the County shall have the express authority to license and register every dog or cat owned by any person who owns, keeps or harbors a dog or cat within the Village. Every person who owns, keeps or harbors a dog or cat within the limits of the Village shall, within 30 days of acquisition of the dog or cat, and annually on such date as may be determined by the County Treasurer, register the dog or cat or cause it to be registered for a license with the County and obtain a license tag as evidence of such registration. License tags shall be displayed and/or attached to the collar of the registered dog or cat at all times.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99

§ 90.12 ANIMAL DEALERS LICENSE.

(A) No person shall engage in the business of buying, selling, exchanging, breeding, dealing, training or boarding of birds, dogs, cats or other small animals customarily kept as household pets, or used for domestic purposes, without first having obtained an animal dealer's license from the State of Illinois in accordance with the Animal Welfare Act (ILCS Ch. 225, Act 605) and all other licenses or permits required for such activity pursuant to any applicable local, state or federal laws.

(B) Permissible districts. Persons issued any animal dealers license by the State of Illinois shall deal, breed, board or train such animals only from properties zoned either CG or CR and by receipt of a special use permit in certain industrially-zoned districts, as set forth in the Village's Zoning Code, as may be amended from time to time. No person shall be allowed to deal animals from any district zoned for residential use.

(C) Application. An application for an animal dealer's license shall be made in conformity with the requirements of ILCS Ch. 225, Act 605, § 3.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99

§ 90.13 FERAL CAT CARETAKERS.

Feral cat caretakers must register with the Police Department and are required to have all animals in their care spayed or neutered and receive all shots required of any domestic cat in the Village.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99

§ 90.14 CANINE UNIT EXEMPTION.

Trained police dogs utilized by an official law enforcement agency and assigned to a sworn peace officer as part of a canine team/unit shall be exempt from all provisions of this chapter as well as any applicable provision of any other chapter of this code.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008)
§ 90.15 RABIES INOCULATION.

(A) Every owner or caretaker of a dog or cat 4 months of age or older shall, each year, cause such dog or cat to be inoculated against rabies by a licensed veterinarian in accordance with the requirements of ILCS Ch. 510, Act 5, § 8, and provide the dog or cat with a collar or harness and attach thereto an official rabies vaccination tag which shall be worn by the dog or cat at all times.

(B) Any dog or cat which is not inoculated against rabies as required herein is hereby declared to be a public nuisance and such dog or cat may be apprehended and impounded upon the order of the Code Enforcement Officer or his or her designee.

(C) All feral cats which are cared for by caretakers are allowed to run free as long as they are managed by a caretaker and marked by tipping the left ear. If the feral cat becomes a nuisance and the caretaker is unable to take care of the problem after being contacted, the animal will be impounded.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99

§ 90.16 RABIES-INFECTED ANIMALS.

(A) Any animal infected from rabies is hereby declared to be a public nuisance and such animal may be destroyed by the Code Enforcement Officer or his or her designee, or by any police officer if such animal cannot be safely apprehended and impounded, to the extent authorized by law.

(B) It shall be the duty of every owner of an animal thought to be infected with rabies to immediately report the infection to the Code Enforcement Officer, or his or her designee, and to follow the requirements set forth in ILCS Ch. 510, Act 5, § 12 for any such infection.

(C) It shall be the duty of every person who discovers any animal thought to be infected with rabies, or who discovers that any person or animal has been bitten by any animal thought to be suffering from rabies, to report such fact immediately to the Code Enforcement Officer or his or her designee.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99

§ 90.17 DOMESTIC ANIMALS AT LARGE.

(A) No person who owns, keeps or harbors a domestic animal shall cause or permit such animal to run at large within the Village. Any domestic animal running at large is hereby declared a public nuisance, whether currently licensed or not, and may be promptly impounded as provided in this chapter.

(B) Persons who utilize invisible fencing to contain any domestic animal must display prominently on their property immediately adjacent to the public right-of-way a sign which indicates that any domestic animal located thereon is contained by way of invisible fencing. Invisible fencing installed after the effective date of this chapter must
be at all times able to confine the domestic animal within the boundaries of the owner's property.

(C) All feral cats which are be cared for by a caretaker are allowed to run free as long as they are managed by the caretaker and marked by tipping the right ear. If the feral cat becomes a nuisance it can be impounded.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99

§ 90.18 ANIMAL DISTURBING THE PEACE.

(A) It shall be unlawful for the owner or any person who keeps or harbors any animal, or for any person who has the power or authority to prevent same, to suffer or permit any such animal to bark, howl, cry or make any other noise which unreasonably disturbs the peace and quiet of any place, family, person or neighborhood in the Village. Such disturbance of the peace is a public nuisance, and it shall be unlawful for any person to suffer or permit such nuisance to exist on their property.

(B) This section shall not apply to a properly zoned and constructed kennel, animal hospital or pound.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99

§ 90.19 NUISANCE FEEDING PROHIBITED.

The feeding of any animal by any means, including hand feeding or the placing or setting out of food to be left attended or unattended, which creates or has the potential to cause a hazard to public health or safety is hereby declared to be a public nuisance and to be unlawful. This section does not apply to feral cat caretaker feeding.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99

§ 90.20 BITES AND ATTACKS; VIOLENT ANIMALS.

(A) Bites and attacks. It shall be the duty of every owner of an animal to prevent such animal from biting or attacking any person, animal or property of another. Any animal that, without provocation, bites or attacks any person, animal or property of another is hereby declared to be a public nuisance. It shall be the duty of any person who has been bitten, or having knowledge of a person being bitten, scratched or otherwise injured so as to cause abrasion to the skin of such person being bitten or scratched by any animal kept within the Village, to report the incident to the Police Department or Code Enforcement Officer as soon as reasonably possible, giving the name and address of the owner of such animal, the license number of the animal, if ascertainable, and the time and place of the incident.

(B) Vicious animals. It shall be unlawful to keep or harbor in the Village any vicious animal unless the owner of such vicious animal complies with the requirements of ILCS Ch. 510, Act 5, §§ 1 et seq., as may be amended from time to time.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99
§ 90.21 DANGEROUS ANIMALS.

(A) No person shall own, keep or harbor within the Village:

(1) Any snake, reptile or lizard that is physically capable of causing serious bodily injury to any person or animal, regardless of age, by bite, poison, constriction or other means;

(2) Any lion, tiger, cougar, jaguar, panther, bobcat, mountain lion, lynx, ocelot, leopard, any hybrid thereof or any other similar feline animal, bear or any exotic animal not native to the North American continent and which when full grown normally attains a weight in excess of 200 pounds;

(3) Any wolf, coyote, jackal, fox, wild dog, or hybrid thereof;

(4) Any squirrels, opossums, raccoons or skunks;

(5) Any birds of prey;

(6) Any monkey, gorilla, chimpanzee or other similar ape-like primate;

(7) Any bees, wasps, or hornets;

(8) Farm animals;

(9) Any other animals not allowed to be owned, kept or harbored under any applicable local, state or federal law.

(B) Any animal listed in division (A) above is declared a public nuisance and may be removed in accordance with this chapter.

(C) This section shall not apply to properly zoned and constructed zoos, animal shelters, veterinary hospitals, pounds, federally licensed exhibits, circuses, animal refuges, scientific or research laboratories of educational or other licensed institutions, or other enterprises.

(D) Each day any dangerous animal is kept in violation of this section shall constitute a separate offense. It is no defense to a violation of this section that the owner or keeper of any such animal which is prohibited in this section has attempted to domesticate such animal.

(E) Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the discretion of the Village Board, written permission may be granted upon application for a special and limited purpose to have a dangerous animal(s) present in the Village for the following limited purposes:

(1) Petting zoos;

(2) Pony rides;

(3) Zoos;

(4) Circus;

(5) Animal exhibits.

(F) Any such dangerous animal found to be within the Village may be apprehended and impounded by the Code Enforcement Officer or his or her designee. The disposition of such animal covered by this section shall be in accordance with the provisions of state law.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99
§ 90.22 CONFINEMENT OF ANIMALS IN HEAT.

The owner of any domesticated animal in heat shall not keep, harbor or otherwise maintain such animal in such a manner as to constitute a public nuisance in the Village, unless the same is confined in a boarding kennel, veterinary hospital or the owner's house during the entire period such animal is in heat; except that it shall be lawful for a domestic animal in heat to be walked if the animal remains on a leash and is not permitted to run at large. Any animal in heat not so confined is hereby declared to be a public nuisance and may be apprehended and impounded by the Code Enforcement Officer or his or her designee.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99

§ 90.23 OWNER'S RESPONSIBILITY FOR REMOVAL OF EXCRETA.

The owner of every animal shall be responsible for the removal and sanitary disposition of excreta deposited by his animal anywhere in the Village. When accompanying the animal outside his property, the owner shall have on his person suitable means for the removal of such excreta which must then be placed in a refuse container for sanitary removal.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99

§ 90.24 REMOVAL OF DEAD ANIMALS.

(A) Any person who kills an animal on the streets of the Village or who witnesses any animal being killed on the streets of the Village shall report such killing to either County Animal Services or the Village Police Department as soon as reasonably possible.

(B) Every animal owner must within a reasonable amount of time notify County Animal Services or the Village Police Department upon the death of any animal it so owns, or must properly dispose of such animal.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99

HUMANE TREATMENT OF ANIMALS

§ 90.30 HUMANE CARE FOR ANIMALS.

Every owner shall provide for each of his animals:

(A) Sufficient quantity of good, wholesome, food and water;

(B) Adequate shelter and protection from weather conditions;

(C) Veterinary care when needed; and

(D) Humane care and treatment.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99
§ 90.31 CRUELTY TO ANIMALS PROHIBITED.

(A) No person or owner shall treat any animal cruelly in any manner, including, but not limited to the following:

(1) By overloading, overdriving, overworking, hitting, engaging in sexual contact, torturing, tormenting, or mutilating any animal, or cause or knowingly allow the same to be done;

(2) By cruelly working any old, maimed, infirm, sick or disabled animal, or cause or knowingly allow same to be done;

(3) By failing to provide any animal in his care or custody with proper food, water, air and sanitary shelter. Such shelter to be sufficient to provide adequate bedding and protection from the weather, and space within sufficient for the animal to stand in an upright position, and lie down stretched out so that no part of its body need touch the sides of the shelter structure. Animals kept in an outside enclosure must have sufficient space for movement and exercise according to the animal's size and weight;

(4) By failing to provide necessary veterinary attention to sick animals in need which are in any persons care or custody;

(5) By abandoning any animal where it may become a public charge or may suffer injury, hunger or exposure;

(6) By carrying, keeping, driving or causing to be carried, driven or kept, any animal in a cruel manner;

(7) By leaving or confining any animal in a motor vehicle, trailer or other enclosure in such a manner that it places the animal in a life or health threatening situation due to exposure to heat or cold, without sufficient ventilation or other protection from such heat or cold, or for a period of more than 1 hour;

(8) By intentionally wounding or or attempting to wound or kill, or by intentionally and knowingly poisoning or causing to be poisoned, any animal with the exception of insects, snakes, squirrels, skunks, gophers, chipmunks, bats, small birds, rats or mice located or found within any household, garage, shed or other fully enclosed structure located on a person's property;

(9) By tethering any animal to a fixed object unless such chains, ropes or leashes are so placed or attached that they cannot become entangled with another animal or object, and shall be of sufficient length in proportion to the size of the animal to allow the animal proper exercise and convenient access to food, water and shelter. Such tethering shall be located so as not to allow such animal to trespass on public property or private property belonging to others, nor in such a manner as to cause harm or danger to persons or other animals. Only commercially produced products whose primary purpose is the restraint of domestic animals may be used to tether, leash or otherwise restrain an animal;

(10) By transporting an animal on any public thoroughfare in any vehicle unless such animal is totally enclosed within such vehicle.

(B) If the owner cannot be located after reasonable search, or if the owner shall be known to be absent due to illness, incarceration or other circumstance, the animal may be
removed by the Code Enforcement Officer and impounded until such time said owner may be located and able to redeem the animal. The owner shall be held strictly liable for all expenses incurred.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99

§ 90.32 ANIMALS USED FOR ENTERTAINMENT; PROHIBITED ACTS.

(A) No person shall own, capture, breed, train or lease any animal which he or she knows or should know is intended for use in any show, program or other activity featuring or otherwise involving a fight between such animal and any other animal or person, or the intentional killing of any animal for the purpose of sport, wagering or entertainment.

(B) No person shall promote, carry on, advertise, collect money for or in any other manner assist or aid in the presentation for purposes of sport, wagering or entertainment, any show, program or other activity involving a fight between 2 or more animals/persons or the intentional killing of any animal.

(C) No person shall sell or offer for sale, ship, transport or otherwise move or deliver, or receive any animal which he or she knows or should know has been captured, bred or trained, or will be used to fight another animal or be intentionally killed, for the purpose of sport, wagering or entertainment.

(D) No person shall manufacture for sale, shipment, transportation or delivery any device or equipment which that person knows or should know is intended for use in any show, program or other activity featuring or otherwise involving a fight between 2 or more animals or the intentional killing of any animal for purposes of sport, wagering or entertainment.

(E) No person shall sell or offer for sale, ship, transport or otherwise move any equipment or device which such person knows or should know is intended for use in connection with any show, program or activity featuring or otherwise involving a fight between 2 or more animals or the intentional killing of any animal for purposes of sport, wagering or entertainment.

(F) No person shall make available any site structure or facility, whether enclosed or not, which he or she knows or should know is intended to be used for the purpose of conducting any show, program or other activity involving a fight between 2 or more animals or the intentional killing of any animal.

(G) No person shall attend or otherwise patronize any show, program or other activity featuring or otherwise involving any animals or the intentional killing of any animal for the purposes of sport, wagering or entertainment.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99
§ 90.33 TRAPPING OF ANIMALS PROHIBITED.

It shall be a violation of this chapter for any person to trap, attempt to trap or aid and abet any person in trapping any animal. Provided, however, that this section shall not apply to any authorized Village employee acting in the course of his/her official duties, or any other person so authorized in writing by the Code Enforcement Officer, and shall not apply to any appropriately licensed animal trapper. This section does not apply to feral cat caretakers trapping.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99

IMPOUNDING

§ 90.40 AUTHORITY OF CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER.

The Code Enforcement Officer and/or such employees as he or she may designate for that purpose, is authorized to impound animals wherever impoundment is called for in this chapter.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008)

§ 90.41 DISPOSITION OF UNCLAIMED ANIMALS.

(A) If an impounded animal is not redeemed by its owner within 7 days after being sent written notice of the impoundment to the owner's last known address, the animal shall be placed for adoption, destroyed or disposed of, as determined by the Code Enforcement Officer or his or her designee in accordance with all applicable laws, rules or regulations of the State of Illinois. Upon expiration of the 7-day notice period, the owner shall forfeit any and all ownership or property interest in the impounded animal.

(B) Whenever it shall become necessary to destroy an animal, the method of destruction shall be in accordance with accepted practices of euthanasia from a humane standpoint.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008)
FEES

§ 90.45 FEES.

(A) The fees required to be paid under this chapter shall be any and all fees required to be paid by the County of Winnebago, Illinois under Chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances of the County of Winnebago, as may be amended from time to time, or, where applicable, those fees required to be paid by the County of Boone, Illinois under Sections 14-26 through 14-34 of the Code of Ordinances of the County of Boone, as may be amended from time to time.

(B) Actual costs of seizure and confinement. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this chapter, the County may ascertain and bill the owner or keeper of any animal that is being harbored or maintained in violation of this chapter the actual costs incurred by the County in seizing and confining such animal including but not limited to veterinary costs, all direct or indirect costs incurred for animal confinement and/or maintenance and any reasonable attorney fees and/or court costs that are incurred.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008)

ENFORCEMENT AND PENALTIES

§ 90.50 INTERFERENCE WITH ENFORCEMENT.

It shall be a violation of this chapter for any person to obstruct, impede or interfere with the capture, impound or disposal of any animal in accordance with this chapter.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008) Penalty, see § 90.99

§ 90.51 ENFORCEMENT EXEMPTION FROM LIABILITY.

The Code Enforcement Officer or any Village employees or other persons authorized to enforce the provisions of this chapter shall not be held liable for the injury, death or disease which may occur to any animal as a consequence of the enforcement of the provisions of this chapter; provided such injury, death or disease was not the result of willful and wanton acts or omissions of any said persons.

(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008)

§ 90.52 ADMINISTRATIVE ADJUDICATION.

(A) The Code Enforcement Officer is deemed a peace officer and may prepare and serve citations personally or by United States mail, for any violation(s) of this chapter.

(B) Whenever a violation of this chapter is observed by the Code Enforcement Officer or any other Village employees, in addition to division (A) above, she/he shall have the authority to institute, by the filing of a written pleading, a proceeding for
enforcement of this chapter before the County of Winnebago Circuit Court or by
administrative adjudication conducted by the Village pursuant to ILCS Ch. 65, Act 5, §§
1-2.1 et seq.
(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008)

§ 90.99 PENALTY.

Every owner or any other person who violates any of the provisions of this chapter
shall, upon a finding of liability, be punished by a fine of not less than $50 and not more
than $500. For a second offense of the same nature, the fine shall equal not less than $100
and not more than $750 and for a third offense of the same nature, the fine shall
equal not less than $250 and not more than $1000. Each occurrence of any violation of
this chapter shall constitute a separate offense. This penalty shall be in addition to other
penalties or remedies provided by this chapter, or by state or federal law.
(Ord. 2008-32, passed 6-5-2008)

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