

ORDINANCE NO. 27

DOGS

Section 27-01: Definition of Terms

As used in this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise indicates.

(a) “**Dog**” shall be intended to mean both male and female.

(b) “**Owner**” shall be intended to mean any person or persons, firm, association or corporation owning, keeping, possessing or harboring a dog.

(c) “**At Large**” shall be intended to mean off the premises of the owner, and not under the control of the owner or a member of his immediate family, either by leash, cord or chain.

Section 27-02: Running at Large prohibited.

No owner or keeper of any dog shall permit such dog to run at large at any time whether licensed or unlicensed.

Section 27-03: Howling Dogs Prohibited.

No owner shall have or keep, or permit to be kept on any premises owned or occupied in whole or in part by him within the corporate limits of the Village of Island Park any dog or other animal which by its howling or whining shall disturb the neighborhood.

Section 27—04:

Any dogs found running at large within the Village may be seized by any Dog Warden, peace officer or animal warden and may be confined and impounded in the public pound maintained by the Town of Hempstead. Any such dog so impounded shall be confined for a period of five (5) days and may be redeemed by the owner thereof within said period upon payment to the Village Clerk of a fee of \$9.00 and of any other fee or charge which may be due by reason of the ownership thereof. Any dogs not so redeemed within such period shall be destroyed or offered for sale by the Director of the

animal shelter of the Town of Hempstead.

Section 27—05:

No liability shall be imposed upon any Dog Warden, peace officer or animal warden nor the Village or any employee thereof for action taken pursuant to the provisions of this 4 ordinance.

Section 27-06:

Any owner or person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be liable for and forfeit and pay a penalty of not less than \$10.00 nor more than \$25.00 for each violation thereof.

(Amended May 28, 1964, April 22, 1971)