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## Dog ordinance

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John Wall <JWall@monaghanleahy.com>

Mon, May 20, 2019 at 10:27 AM

To: "maureen.omeara@capeelizabeth.org" <maureen.omeara@capeelizabeth.org>

Maureen,

My initial review of the proposed amendments generated few concerns. A couple of comments:

1. I assume the Town has complied with the posting requirement in 7 M.R.S. sec. 3941: "Municipal clerks, annually, at least 20 days before January 1st, shall post copies of chapter 721 and this chapter in the municipal offices."
2. The provision on "barking dogs" needs to conform to 7 M.R.S. sec. 3950(1): "A municipal ordinance, law or regulation that prohibits or limits barking dogs does not apply to dogs engaged in herding livestock or to agricultural guard dogs engaged in protecting livestock or warning the owners of danger to the livestock. For the purposes of this subsection, the term "livestock" has the same meaning as in section 3907, subsection 18-A."

Those are the only items that jump out to me.

Regards, John

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Mon, May 20, 2019 at 10:54 AM

Hi Maureen,

Yes, we always comply with the posting requirements as John mentions in bullet #1. The posting is on the bulletin board at the entrance to the council chamber.

Thank you for sending this along!

Deb

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One down, one to go. Thank you.

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