

Section 24.

Dogs

A. (287.268)—Unlicensed and young dogs; application, half fee after certain date

A person who becomes owner of a dog that is 4 or more months old and that is not already licensed shall apply for a license within 30 days. A person who owns a dog that will become 4 months old and that is not already licensed shall apply for a license within 30 days after the dog becomes 4 months old.

B. (433.12)—Dogs running at large, permitting, enabling

- (1) A dog shall not run at large, but shall be contained in an enclosed structure, operating invisible fence, or on a leash.
- (2) The owner of an animal shall not permit or enable his animal to run at large.
- (3) A person other than the owner of an animal shall not willfully and knowingly enable an animal to run at large.
- (4) Any animal found at large contrary to the provisions of this article shall be seized and impounded by a county agency; provided, however, that if such animal shall be considered an immediate danger and incapable of being seized the Davison Township police department shall have the authority to destroy such animal forthwith.

C. Prohibit noise emanating from domestic animals.

No person shall own, harbor or keep any dog which, by loud or frequent or habitual barking, yelping or howling, shall cause serious annoyance to the neighborhood or to pedestrians upon the public highway.