

TOWN OF COTTAGE GROVE - CODE OF ORDINANCES

ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF COTTAGE GROVE, WISCONSIN
Adopted pursuant to Sec. 25.01 of the Town of Cottage Grove Code

Title: 20.02 (1) Offenses against animals and 20.03 Other Animal Regulations

Code Section(s) created, amended, or repealed	<u>20.02 and 20.03</u>
Presented to Board by	<u>Police Chief Chris Hughes</u>
Committee Review by	<u>Ordinance Committee</u>
Date(s) Public Hearing(s) held (if required)	<u>October 6, 2014</u>
Date adopted	<u>October 6, 2014</u>
Vote	<u>5-0</u>
Date of posting of adoption of ordinance	<u>10-10-2014</u>
Date of publication of adoption of ordinance	<u>Not required</u>

The Town Board of the Town of Cottage Grove does ordain as follows:

TCG Ord. Section 20.02 Offenses Against Animals is hereby amended to read as follows:

20.02 OFFENSES AGAINST ANIMALS

(1) STATE STATUTES INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE

~~The following statutory references following the prefix "20", are adopted as offenses under this ordinance; provided the penalty for the commission of such offenses shall be limited to a forfeiture imposed under s. TCG 25.04. The following Wisconsin Statutes defining offenses against animals are hereby adopted by reference. Any future amendments, revisions or modifications of the Wisconsin Statutes incorporated herein by reference are intended to be made part of this Code of Ordinances. The penalty for the commission of such offenses shall be limited to a forfeiture imposed under s. TCG 25.04. For convenience, ordinances incorporating the Wisconsin Statutes may be referred to using the prefix "20" and the Wisconsin Statute. That is, as 20- (insert Wisconsin Statute number)~~

- ~~20-951.01 — Definitions (offenses against animals).~~
- ~~20-951.015 — Construction and application.~~
- ~~20-951.02 — Mistreating animals.~~
- ~~20-951.06 — Use of poisonous and controlled substances.~~
- ~~20-951.13 — Providing proper food and drink to confined animals.~~
- ~~20-951.14 — Providing proper shelter.~~
- ~~20-951.15 — Animals; Neglected or abandoned; Police powers.~~

- 951.01 Definitions.
- 951.015 Construction and application.
- 951.02 Mistreating animals.
- 951.025 Decompression prohibited.
- 951.03 Dognapping and catnapping.
- 951.04 Leading animal from motor vehicle.
- 951.05 Transportation of animals.
- 951.06 Use of poisonous and controlled substances.
- 951.07 Use of certain devices prohibited.
- 951.08 Instigating fights between animals.

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- 951.09 Shooting at caged or staked animals.
- 951.095 Harassment of police and fire animals.
- 951.097 Harassment of service dogs.
- 951.10 Sale of baby rabbits, chicks and other fowl.
- 951.11 Artificially colored animals; sale.
- 951.13 Providing proper food and drink to confined animals.
- 951.14 Providing proper shelter.
- 951.15 Abandoning animals.

(2) EFFECTIVE DATE

(a) The referenced state statutes were adopted as part of section 20.01(2) of this code, on 7 Jun 1993. This section was last amended on _____.

(b) This section shall take effect upon development, passage and publication (when required by law).

TCG Ord. Section 20.03 is hereby renamed to Other Animal Regulations and amended to read as follows:

20.03 ANIMAL HEALTH/OTHER ANIMAL REGULATIONS

(1) ~~[Text to be developed.]~~ OWNERS OR CUSTODIANS TO CONTROL ANIMALS.

(a) An owner or custodian of an animal shall not permit, whether negligently or otherwise, the animal to run at large. An animal is considered to be running at large if it is off the premises of the owner or custodian and not under the control of the owner or custodian.

(b) When an animal is off the property of its owner or custodian, the owner or custodian shall

(c) not permit, whether negligently or otherwise, the animal to attack, bite or otherwise injure:

1. any other domestic animal;
2. any person who is engaged in a lawful activity.

(2) PENALTY FOR VIOLATION

Any violation of this section shall be subject to a Class D forfeiture as specified in TCG Ord. 25.04(1)(b). Each and every day such violation occurs shall be considered a separate offense.

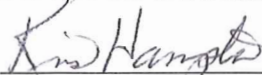
(3) EFFECTIVE DATE

(a) The original ordinance was adopted on _____

(b) This section shall take effect upon passage, posting and publication (when required by law).

Adopted this 6th day of Oct, 2014, by a vote of 5 for, 0 against, and 0 abstain.

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Kris Hampton, Town Chair

ATTEST:



Kim Banigan, Town Clerk