

ORDINANCE NUMBER 856

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KETCHUM, IDAHO, AMENDING TITLE 6 ANIMALS, BY DELETING CERTAIN LANGUAGE AND ADDING NEW LANGUAGE; PROVIDING A SAVINGS AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE, PROVIDING A REPEALER CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, to enable law enforcement to address animal control issues, more specificity is needed in the Ketchum Municipal Code defining dangerous animals.

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the City of Ketchum to further define dangerous animals for animal control purposes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KETCHUM, IDAHO:

SECTION 1: Section 6.040.070 **Female in heat prohibited from running at large** of the Ketchum Municipal Code is renumbered as Section 6.040.025.

SECTION 2: Section 6.04.040 **Dangerous Animals** subsection A.a. is amended, altered and changed by adding thereto the underlined language hereinbelow, to wit:

A.a. Any animal which, when not provoked, physically attacks, wounds, bites or otherwise injures or has inflicted a fatal or severe injury on a human being on public or private property; or

SECTION 3: Section 6.04.040 **Dangerous Animals** subsection E. 8. is amended, altered and changed by deleting therefrom the marked out language and adding thereto the underlined language hereinbelow, to wit:

E. 8. The owner or keeper shall notify the animal control officer ~~within twenty-four (24) hours~~ immediately if a dangerous animal is loose, unconfined, has attacked another animal or has attacked a human being or has died.

SECTION 4: Section 6.04.160 **Penalties** subsection E. 8. is amended, altered and changed by deleting therefrom the marked out language and adding thereto the underlined language hereinbelow, to wit:

Except as provided in Section 6.04.040, 6.04.110, 6.04.120 and 6.04.1340, any person violating any provision of the chapter is guilty of an infraction and shall be fined one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or said fine as provided in Idaho Code Section 18-113A.

SECTION 5. SAVINGS AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE. It is hereby declared to be the legislative intent that the provisions and parts of this Ordinance shall be severable. If any paragraph, part, section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 6. REPEALER CLAUSE. All City of Ketchum code sections, ordinances or resolutions or parts thereof, which are in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

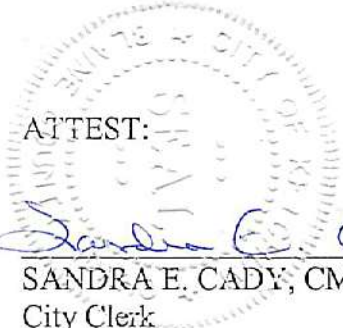

SECTION 7. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KETCHUM, IDAHO,
and approved by the Mayor this 2nd day of January, 2001.



Guy P. Coles, Mayor

ATTEST:



SANDRA E. CADY, CMC
City Clerk

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