ORDINANCE NO. 3 - 1951

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE OWNERSHIP, POSSESSION, AND CONTROL OF DOGS, OTHER ANIMALS, AND FOWL IN THE VILIAGE OF CENTERVILLE, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, OHIO, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Village of Centerville, in the County of Montgomery and State of Ohio, three-fourths of the members elected thereto concurring:

It shall be unlawful for any person who is the owner of a dog, other animal, or fowl, or who harbors or has charge or control of the same, to permit such dog, other animal or fowl to go upon or enter any private yard, lot or enclosure, without consent of the owner of such yard, lot or enclosure. Any person violating the provisions of this Section shall be fined in any sum not to exceed Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00), and shall pay the costs of prosecution.

Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person who owns a dog, or harbors or has charge or control of the same to permit such dog to go upon any street, lane, alley, market space or public ground of the Village of Centerville, unless accompanied by a person who shall by means of a dog leash restrain such dog from running at large in or upon said places. It shall further be unlawful for any person who is the owner of any animal, other than a dog, or any fowl, or who harbors or has charge or control of the same, to permit such animal, other than a dog, or such fowl, to run at large in any street, lane, alley, market space or public ground of the said Village. Any person violating the provisions of this Section shall be fined in any sum not to exceed Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00), and shall pay the costs of prosecution.

It shall be unlawful for any person to harbor or keep a dog which by loud and frequent or habitual barking, howling, or yelping, shall cause annoyance or disturbance to the neighborhood. Any person violating the provisions of this Section shall be fined in any sum not to exceed Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00), and shall pay the costs of prosecution.

This ordinance is hereby declared an emergency ordinance. The same is hereby deemed necessary for the preservation of the public peace and safety in the Village of Centerville and shall be effective immediately.

PASSED this 9th day of April, A.D. 1951.

APPROVED:

W. Bradstreet (signed)

ATTEST:

Geo. E. Howe (signed) VILLAGE CLERK