

cannot reach or endanger any person on any adjacent premises or on any public street, way or place; or if the animal is being transported by the owner, that it is securely confined in a crate or other container or so restrained in a vehicle that it cannot escape therefrom.

DANGEROUS — Any animal which, without just cause, attacks or chases, bites or snaps at or otherwise threatens to attack any person or attacks or wounds a dog or other domestic animal or which displays any other fierce, vicious or dangerous propensity.

OWNER — The person in whose name any dog was last licensed, unless the dog is or has been lost and such loss reported to the Town of Shawangunk police and reasonable search has been made. If an animal is not licensed, the term "owner" shall designate and cover any person or persons, firm, association or corporation who or which at any time owns or has custody or control of, harbors or is otherwise responsible for any animal which is kept, brought or comes within the town. Any person owning or harboring a dog for a period of one (1) week prior to the filing of any complaints charging a violation of this Article shall be held and deemed to be the "owner" of such dog for the purpose of this Article. In the event that any dog found to be in violation of this Article shall be owned by a minor, the parent or guardian of such person shall be deemed to have custody and control of said dog and shall be responsible for any acts of the said dog in violation of this Article.

PUBLIC NUISANCE — As applied to an animal:

- A. Every animal which seriously and habitually disturbs the peace and quiet of the neighborhood by barking or howling or other disturbing actions.
- B. Every animal which habitually chases any persons or bicycles, automobiles or other vehicles upon any public highway or public place.
- C. Every animal which causes damage or destruction to property upon the premises of persons other than the owner or person harboring such animal.