

ORDINANCE NO. 633

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF JEFFERSON, IOWA, 2017, BY AMENDING PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO ANNOYANCES OR DISTURBANCES CAUSED BY DOGS

Be it enacted by the City Council of Jefferson, Iowa:

SECTION 1. Section Amended. Section 55.09 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Jefferson, Iowa, 2017, is repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof:

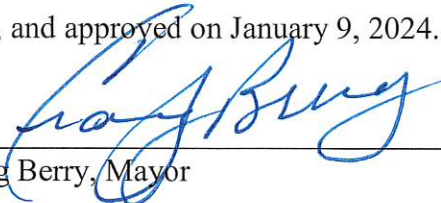
55.09 ANNOYANCE OR DISTURBANCE. It is unlawful for the owner of a dog to allow or permit such dog to cause serious annoyance or disturbance to any person or persons by frequent and habitual howling, yelping, barking, or otherwise; or by running or chasing persons, bicycles, automobiles or other vehicles. The aforementioned notwithstanding, dogs howling, yelping barking, or otherwise, or engaged in permissible physical activity such as running, while using the City dog park or while inside the Community Shelter in compliance with City policies for these facilities, shall be exempt from the restrictions of this Section.

SECTION 2. Repealer. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed

SECTION 3. Severability. If any section, provision or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any section, provision or part thereof not adjudged invalid or unconstitutional.

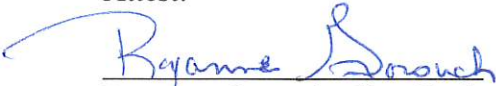
SECTION 4. When effective. This ordinance shall be in effect after its final passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Finally passed by the Council on January 9, 2024, and approved on January 9, 2024.



Craig Berry, Mayor

Attest:



Roxanne Gorsuch, City Clerk

I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was published in The Jefferson Herald
on January 18, 2024.



Roxanne Gorsuch, City Clerk