

Section 1120 - Dogs

Section 1120:00. Running at Large Prohibited. No dog shall be permitted to run at large within the limits of the City of Foley.

Section 1120:02. Dogs on Leash. The restriction imposed by Section 1120:00 shall not prohibit the appearance of any dog upon streets or public property when such dog is on a leash and is kept under the control of the accompanying person.

Section 1120:04. License Required. No person shall keep any dog within the City without securing a license therefore from the City, who shall keep a record of all licenses issued and shall issue a metal tag for each license. The one-time license fee shall be \$20.00 for each dog. Current vaccinations are required as a condition of all dog licenses.

Section 1120:06. Vaccination Required. Proof of an annual vaccination for rabies must be presented at the time of the application for the license.

Section 1120:08. Impounding. The poundmaster, police officer or community service officer shall impound any dog found unlicensed or running at large and shall give notice of the impounding to the owner of such dog, if known. In case the owner is unknown, such officer shall post notice at the Foley City Hall that if the dog is not claimed within five regular business days of the posting of the notice it will be disposed of. If such dog is not claimed within the time specified and all fees and charges paid, the poundmaster shall dispose of such dog. The poundmaster shall house and feed in a humane manner any dog held at the pound. An impounding fee of \$50.00 and a charge of \$25.00 per day for feeding shall be charged for any dog held at the pound.

Section 1120:10. Penalty. Any person who violates any provision of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding \$700.00, by imprisonment for a period not exceeding 90 days, or both.

This Ordinance Number 197 was adopted by the Foley City Council on August 7, 1984 and published on August 22, 1984. The Ordinance repealed Sections 1120:00 through 1120:24 of the 1974 Code of Ordinances in its entirety and the above sections were substituted.

Section 1120:08 of the 1974 Code of Ordinances was amended by Ordinance Number 343, adopted September 16, 2003 and published October 7, 2003.

Section 1120:04 of the 1974 Code of Ordinances was amended by Ordinance Number 394 passed and adopted January 3, 2012.

Section 1120:08 of the 1974 Code of Ordinances was amended by Ordinance Number 396 passed and adopted January 3, 2012.

Section 1120:04 of the 1974 Code of Ordinances was amended by Ordinance Number 427 passed and adopted March 7, 2017