## ORDINANCE NO. 88802-0803

## AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 4 GENERAL PROVISIONS CHAPTER 1 ANIMAL REGULATIONS SECTION 8 ANIMAL CARE

Be It Enacted by the City Council of the City of Muscatine, Iowa:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Title 4 GENERAL PROVISIONS CHAPTER 1 ANIMAL REGULATIONS SECTION 8 ANIMAL CARE of the City Code of Muscatine is amended to add a new sub-section (F) to provide as follows:

## 4-1-8 Animal Care.

- (F) Owners of animals shall notify the U. S. Postal Service and utility companies when an "invisible fence" is in place in order to advise them of animals being kept on the premises of such owners and shall post a sign on the premises visible to the public indicating the presence of an "invisible fence". Proof of notification to the U. S. Postal Service and utility companies shall be filed with the City Clerk.
- SECTION 2. REPEALER. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.
- SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE. 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 on October 1, 2003, from and after its final passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Passed by the City Council the 7th day of August, 2003, and approved this 7th day of 2003.

Richard W. O'Brien, Mayor

A. J. Johnson, City Clerk

First Reading 05/15/03 Second Reading 06/05/03 Third Reading 08/07/03 Publication 08/29/03

## PROOF OF PUBLICATION

I, Beth Lester, being duly sworn, on my oath, say that I am an advertising clerk at the Muscatine Journal, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the City of Muscatine, Muscatine County, Iowa; and that the following notice:

Muscatine City Clerk Ordinance 88802-0803 Animal Care

Of which the annexed printed slip is a true, correct and complete copy, was published in said Muscatine Journal one time having been made there in on:

August 29, 2003

Beth Lester

STATE OF IOWA **MUSCATINE COUNTY** 

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September 2003

Susan F. Honts, Notary Public



**Iowa Notarial Seal** Susan F. Honts Commission Number 153623 My Commission Expires 10/19/2004

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