BYLAW NO. 2006-2

A BYLAW TO CONTROL CERTAIN BREEDS OF DOGS IN THE VILLAGE OF LANG

The Council of the Village of Lang, in the Province of Saskatchewan, enacts as follows:

- In this Bylaw:
 - a. "owner" includes:
 - i. a person who keeps, possesses or harbours a restricted or dangerous dog.
 - ii. the person responsible for the custody of a minor where the minor is the owner of a restricted or dangerous dog;

but does not include:

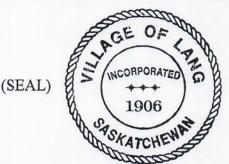
- iii. a veterinarian registered pursuant to *The Veterinarians Act*, 1987, who is keeping or harbouring a restricted or dangerous dog for the prevention, diagnosis or treatment of a disease of or an injury to a restricted or dangerous dog;
- iv. an Urban Municipality or the Saskatchewan Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals in respect of an animal shelter or impoundment facility operated by it.
- b. "restricted dog" means any dog, whatever its age, of the following breeds or kinds:
 - i. Rottweiler breed of dog
 - ii. Doberman Pinscher breed of dog
 - iii. "Pit bull dog" is defined to mean:
 - 1. Pit bull terrier
 - 2. Staffordshire bull terrier breed of dog;
 - 3. The American pit bull terrier breed of dog;
 - 4. The American Staffordshire terrier breed of dog; or
 - iv. any dog of mixed breeding, which can be identified through its physical characteristics as a dog partially of the above mentioned breeds or kinds by a veterinarian licensed to practice in Saskatchewan
- c. "dangerous dog" shall mean:
 - i.. any dog without provocation, in a vicious or menacing manner, chases or approaches a person or domestic animal in an apparent attitude of attack;
 - ii. any dog that, without provocation, has bitten, inflicted injury, assaulted or otherwise attacked a person or domestic animal;
 - iii. any dog which is owned primarily or in part for the purpose of dog fighting or is trained for fighting.
- 2. a. No owner shall keep, possess or harbour a dangerous dog within the boundaries of the Village of Lang.
 - b. Any person who contravenes Subsection (a) of Section 2 of this bylaw is guilty of an offence and liable to a fine of \$500.00.
- 3. (A) Subject to Section 4 no owner shall keep, possess or harbour a restricted dog within the boundaries of the Village of Lang.
- 4. (B) An owner who keeps, possesses or harbours a restricted dog as specified in Section 1(b) shall:
 - (1) keep the dog in an enclosure which shall be constructed of steel chain length fence and steel posts and in a manner adequate to:
 - (a) confine the dog; and
 - (b) prevent the entry of children of tender years.
 - (2) the entrance and other areas by which entry to or exit from the enclosure may be made shall be locked or fastened in a manner adequate to prevent the dog from escaping from the enclosure
 - (3) the enclosure must be at least 3 metres in length, 1.5 metres in width and 1.8 metres high
 - (4) the enclosure must have the top secured to the sides of the enclosure
 - (5) the enclosure shall:
 - (a) have a floor secured to the sides of the enclosure: or
 - (b) the sides of the enclosure shall be embedded in the ground to a depth of at lest 0.6 metres.

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- (6)the enclosure shall:
 - provide protection from the elements for the dog (a)
 - (b) provide adequate light and ventilation for the dog; and
 - be kept in a sanitary and clean condition. (c)
 - defecations deposited on the private property of the owner, possessor or (d) harbourer of a dog shall be removed and disposed of in a sanitary manner on a weekly basis.
- if the dog is removed from the enclosure, it shall be muzzled and leashed as follows: (7)
 - fitted with a collar or a harness for the body that is properly placed (a) and fitted on the dog:
 - (b) the movement of the dog shall be controlled by a person by means of a leash attached to the collar or harness of the dog;
 - (c) the leash shall not exceed 1.2 metres in length and shall be constructed of a material having a tensile strength of at least 140 kilograms;
 - (d) the muzzle shall be properly fitted on the dog to prevent it from biting any animal or person;
- (8) Any person who contravenes any provisions of Section 4 of this bylaw or refuses to comply therewith shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine of not less \$500.00.
- 5. No person within the village of Lang shall harbour or keep more the two (2) dogs on any one property.
 - Any person who contravenes Subsection (a) of Section 5 is guilty of an offence and liable to a **b**. fine of \$100.00 for every dog harboured or kept exceeding two.
- 6. This bylaw shall come into force and take effect of the day of the final passing thereof.



INTRODUCED AND READ A FIRST TIME THIS 10th day of April 200'

READ A SECOND TIME THIS 10th day of April 2007

READ A THIRD AND FINAL TIME ON THE UNANIMOUS CONSENT IOF THE COUNCIL PRESENT THIS 10th day of April 2007

CERTIFIED A TRUE COPY OF THE DEIGNAL BYLAW ADDPTED BY RESOLUTION OF COUNCIL DUTHE 10TH DAY OF MAYS

P. AUDETTE . ABMINISTRATOR