ORDINANCE 2022-01

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE BREEDING OR POSSESSION OF CATS OR DOGS FOR RESEARCH OR EXPERIMENTATION WITHIN THE TOWN OF ALBION

The Town Board of the Town of Albion, Dane County, Wisconsin, does ordain as follows:

SECTION 1:

BREEDING OR POSSESSION OF CATS OR DOGS FOR RESEARCH OR EXPERIMENTATION PROHIBITED

- (1) No natural person, corporation, limited liability company or other legal entity shall maintain or operate any place or premises within the Town of Albion where cats or dogs are used for the purpose of medical, surgical or chemical investigation, experimentation or demonstration.
- (2) No natural person, corporation, limited liability company or other legal entity shall maintain or operate any place or premises within the Town of Albion where cats or dogs are bred or possessed for the purpose of sending the cats or dogs outside the Town for the purpose of medical, surgical or chemical investigation, experimentation or demonstration.
- (3) Nothing in this section shall be interpreted to limit the ability of the owner of a cat or dog residing in the Town of Albion to enroll their permitted pet cat or pet dog in clinical trials which may provide benefit to the animal.

SECTION 2:

PENALTY FOR VIOLATIONS.

Any natural person or any officer of a corporation, member of a limited liability company, trustee of a trust person having control of any other legal entity who shall violate or fail or refuse to comply with any section of this ordinance shall forfeit to the Town of Albion not less than \$250.00 nor more than \$500.00, plus all applicable costs, fees and surcharges imposed under Ch. 814 Wis. Stats., and in the event such forfeiture, costs, fees and surcharges are not paid, such person may, upon order of the Circuit Court, be imprisoned in the Dane County Jail until such forfeiture, costs and assessments are paid, but

Should any portion of this ordinance be declared invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such a decision shall not affect the validity of any other provisions of this ordinance.

Section IX: Effective Date and Publication

This ordinance shall become effective upon adoption and publication as required under s. 60.80, Wis. Stat.

This Ordinance shall become effective following its adoption, upon publication and/or posting in the manner provided for by law.

Adopted this 3rd day of May, 2022.

APPROVED:

Robert Venske, Chairman

Julie L'Heenewall

Robert L. Venska

ATTEST:

Julie Hanewall, Clerk

ADOPTED: Supervisor Abigail Staff, introduced the above ordinance and moved its passage. Seconded by Pat Tesar

Roll Call 5 Yes

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Copies of this ordinance may be obtained at the clerk's office located at 620 Albion Road, Edgerton, WI 53534, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.