

ORDINANCE No: 2020-1

**AN ORDINANCE TO CREATE, REPEAL, AND RECREATE
CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 7 OF THE VILLAGE OF ARLINGTON
CODE OF ORDINANCES REGARDING LIMITATION ON NUMBER OF CHICKENS**

WHEREAS, The Village Board of the Village of Arlington, Columbia County, Wisconsin, does hereby ordain as follows:

1. The Following Section 7.12(f) is repealed and amended as follows:

(f) **Limitation on Number of Chickens and Rabbits.**

(1) **Purpose.** The keeping of chickens and rabbits within the Village of Arlington may detract from and may be detrimental to healthful and comfortable life in the Village. The keeping of more than ~~two (2)~~ five (5) chickens and two (2) rabbits is declared a public nuisance.

(2) **Number Limited.** No owner or occupant shall own, harbor, or keep in its possession more than a total of ~~two (2)~~ five (5) chickens and two (2) rabbits upon any lot within the Village without the prior issuance of a license by the Village Board as set forth in Section (3) below.

b. The keeping of up to ~~two (2)~~ five (5) chickens and two (2) rabbits is conditioned upon the following:

Severability of Provisions. Should any section, sentence, phrase or other portion of this Ordinance be declared invalid, such portion shall be deemed as a separate and distinct provision and shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

Effective date. This Ordinance shall take effect and be enforced upon its passage and publication or posting as provided by law. Except as provided herein, all of the terms and provisions of Chapter 7 of the Village of Arlington Code of Ordinances shall remain in full force and effect. Village Board took action on October 8, 2018.

Dated and effective this 10TH day of August, 2020

VILLAGE OF ARLINGTON

By: _____

Bryan Bjorge, Village President

Attest: _____

PJ Monson, Village Clerk – Treasurer

Ayes: _____ Nays: _____ Ordinance Adopted: _____ Ordinance Posted: _____