

1 BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

2 FOR THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN

3 Ordinance No. 91

4 AN ORDINANCE SETTING FORTH THE PROCEDURES AND REQUIREMENTS FOR  
5 THE QUARANTINE OF ANIMALS SUSPECTED OF RABIES.

6 SECTION I

7 When an animal susceptible to rabies bites any person,  
8 and the animal is suspected of rabies, or has been in close contact  
9 with an animal suspected of rabies, the bite shall be immediately  
10 reported to the Lincoln County Animal Control office and the Lincoln  
11 County Public Health Officer. For the purpose of this Ordinance,  
12 a dog is suspected of rabies if it does not have a current rabies  
13 vaccination.

14 SECTION II

15 Upon receipt of a report required by Section I of this  
16 Ordinance, the County Public Health Officer and Animal Control Officer  
17 shall investigate the report. If the report is verified, the County  
18 Health Officer shall issue an Order of Quarantine, and the Animal  
19 Control Officer shall impound the animal. Animals impounded pursuant  
20 to an Order of Quarantine shall be isolated for observation at the  
21 Central Coast Humane Society Shelter or at an approved kennel under  
22 the care of a licensed veterinarian. An animal does not have to be  
23 isolated as provided by this Section if the owner can document that  
24 the animal has been vaccinated by production of an animal rabies  
25 vaccination certificate and the rabies tag issued with the certificate.

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1 SECTION III

2 An Order of Quarantine shall be in the form as set forth  
3 below.

4 BEFORE THE PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER

5 FOR THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN

6 In the Matter of )  
7 ) ORDER OF QUARANTINE  
8 THE QUARANTINE OF AN )  
ANIMAL SUSPECTED OF RABIES. ) No. \_\_\_\_\_

9 WHEREAS, it has been reported to the Lincoln County  
10 Public Health Office that the following described animal: \_\_\_\_\_

11 \_\_\_\_\_,  
12 has bitten the following victim: \_\_\_\_\_,

13 address: \_\_\_\_\_, City of \_\_\_\_\_,

14 County of \_\_\_\_\_, State of \_\_\_\_\_,

15 telephone number \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of

16 \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, and

17 WHEREAS, the owner of the animal is: \_\_\_\_\_

18 \_\_\_\_\_, address: \_\_\_\_\_

19 \_\_\_\_\_, City of \_\_\_\_\_,

20 County of \_\_\_\_\_, State of \_\_\_\_\_,

21 telephone number \_\_\_\_\_, and

22 WHEREAS, pursuant to ORS chapter 433 and Lincoln County  
23 Ordinance #\_\_\_\_\_, the above described animal should be quarantined  
24 for the purpose of determining whether or not the animal has rabies,

25 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED

26 1. That the Lincoln County Animal Control Officer impound

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1 the above described animal, and isolate said animal at \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_ for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ days  
3 from the date of this Order.

4 2. That the owner of the above described animal may  
5 recover the animal on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.

6 DATED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.

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8 \_\_\_\_\_  
9 Lincoln County Public Health Officer

10 The above described animal was released to \_\_\_\_\_  
11 \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
12 19\_\_\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_.

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14 \_\_\_\_\_  
15 Person receiving animal

16 \_\_\_\_\_  
17 Person releasing animal

18 SECTION IV

19 When it is necessary for the public health and safety,  
20 the County Public Health Officer may order the destruction of an  
21 animal suspected of rabies for the examination of body tissue.

22 DATED this 6th day of December, 1978.

23 LINCOLN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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25 Jack W. Postle, Chairman

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