

ORDINANCE NO. 307A

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING DOGS RUNNING AT LARGE IN THE CITY OF AMITY,
YAMHILL COUNTY, OREGON.

The people of the city of Amity ordain as follows:

Section 1. All persons owning dogs, or having them under their control, shall keep them confined on their premises; or upon taking such dog or dogs upon the streets, sidewalks or other public property or buildings in the city of Amity, shall keep such dog or dogs on a leash and in the control of the person then having said dog or dogs in their possession.

Section 2. Any dog found off the premises of its owner, or off the premises of the person having control of such animal, shall be subject to being picked up and confined in a place of confinement selected by the city council of the city of Amity.

Section 3. The owner or person in control of such dog so picked up and /or confined may reclaim said animal upon paying to the City Recorder of the City of Amity or a member of the Amity City Police Department \$5.00 per day for the care of such animal; and the term of "per day" shall include any part of a day. [Section 3 amended by Ordinance No. 418, passed August 1, 1977.]

Section 4. The municipal judge, shall impose a fine of not less than \$35.00 or more than \$175.00 in addition to the said charge imposed for the picking up or confinement of a dog. [Section 4 amended by Ordinance No. 540, passed August 1, 1995.]

Section 5. After a dog has been in confinement for a period of five days, such animal may be disposed of or destroyed upon the written order of the city police judge.

Section 6. It is necessary to the welfare of the citizens of the city of Amity that this ordinance take effect immediately; and therefore, an emergency is declared to exist; and this ordinance shall take effect immediately after its passage by the city council and the signatures of the city recorder and the mayor are affixed thereto.

Passed by the council and approved by the mayor March 2, 1959.