

ORDINANCE NO. 679-A

Unanimously introduced by all Commissioners.

ORDINANCE AMENDING THE DOG CONTROL ORDINANCE #676-A TO INCLUDE PENALTY PROVISIONS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

THE CITY OF WARRENTON ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Ordinance No. 676-A be and the same is hereby amended to add a new Section 11 thereto, as follows:

Section 11. Penalties.

(1) A violation of any provision of this ordinance may be punishable by imprisonment not to exceed 30 days, or by a fine not to exceed \$500.00, **OR BOTH.**

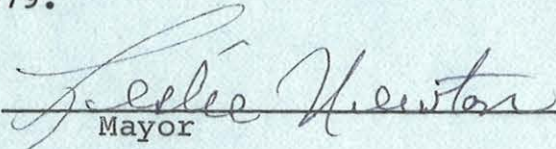
(2) Each violation of a separate provision of this ordinance shall constitute a separate offense, and each day that a violation of this ordinance is committed or permitted to continue shall constitute a separate offense.

(3) The abatement of a nuisance under Section 3 of this Ordinance is an additional remedy and not a penalty for violating this ordinance. The imposition of a penalty does not relieve a person of the duty to abate a nuisance.

Section 3. An emergency is declared to exist for the reason that a penalty provision was inadvertently omitted from Ordinance 676-A, therefore it is in the best interests of the city for the public welfare, health and safety that this ordinance go into effect immediately upon its passage as the city is without means to impose a penalty for violation of this ordinance.

Passed by the City Commission of the City of Warrenton this 19th day of September, 1979.

Approved by the Mayor of the City of Warrenton this 19th day of September, 1979.



Mayor

ATTEST:



Auditor and Police Judge