



Attention Shandaken Dog Owners >> Shandaken Law pertaining to your dog:

§ 69-4 Control of dogs; posting of guard dog premises.

- A. It shall be a violation of this chapter for any owner of any dog to permit or allow such dog to:
- (1) Be at large;
  - (2) Be in any street, public park or any other public or private place other than the owner's property unless restrained by a chain or leash and in charge and under the control of a responsible person;
  - (3) Engage in habitual loud howling, barking, whining or cause disturbing noises or to conduct itself in such a manner as to habitually annoy any person other than the owner of the dog. In the event that the barking or disturbing noise continues for a period of 15 minutes in a continuous or substantially continuous manner, the owner of the dog shall be subject to a fine or penalty as hereinafter set forth;
  - (4) Cause damage or destruction to property of a person other than the owner of such dog or commit a nuisance by defecating or urinating upon or digging at the premises of a person other than the owner of the dog. All dog walkers must carry a refuse receptacle to remove any feces;
  - (5) Bite, chase, jump upon or otherwise harass any person in such a manner as to cause intimidation or otherwise to put such a person in reasonable apprehension of bodily harm or injury whether or not said dog is restrained by a leash;
  - (6) Chase, leap on or at bicycles or motor vehicles;
  - (7) Kill or injure any dog, cat or other household pet;
  - (8) Be over four months of age and not vaccinated against the rabies virus, unless documentation is provided by a veterinarian, stating that the dog cannot be vaccinated.