

Town of Logy Bay-Middle Cove-Outer Cove
Newfoundland and Labrador
Animal Control Regulations

The following Animal Control Regulations have been approved by the Town Council of The Town of Logy Bay- Middle Cove-Outer Cove under the provisions of the Municipalities Act, Chapter M-24, effective January 1, 2000.

1. These regulations may be cited as the “Town of Logy Bay-Middle Cove-Outer Cove Animal Control Regulations”.
2. In these regulations, if not inconsistent with the context, the following words and expressions shall have the meanings assigned to them respectively in this Section.
 - (a) “Act” means the Municipalities Act 1999;
 - (b) “Council” means the Town Council of the Town of Logy Bay-Middle Cove-Outer Cove;
 - (c) “Town” means the Town of Logy Bay-Middle Cove-Outer Cove;
 - (d) “Municipal Enforcement Officer” means any person appointed as such by the Council;
 - (e) “Animal” means any domestic animal, but shall not be held to mean dogs and cats.
3. The Municipal Enforcement Officer through his/her appointment by Council is given the authority and responsibility for the enforcement of these regulations and shall keep a record of animals/owners who are violators of these regulations.
4. Any person who has custody, charge or possession of any animal or who is the owner of any property or premises where an animal is kept, shall be deemed to be the owner of the animal for the purposes of these regulations.
5. No person shall permit any animal of which he or she is the owner to roam at large in the Town.
6. Every owner of an animal within the Town shall keep that animal safely tethered or in secure pasture such that the animal cannot escape and does not have access to streets or private property within the Town.
7. No person shall keep any animal which for any reason is a nuisance to persons in the neighbourhood.

8. The Municipal Enforcement Officer may destroy any animal found at large in the Town if in his/her opinion said animal is diseased or injured or vicious or in such condition that it ought to be destroyed.
9. Should an animal be observed to be at large in the Town by the Municipal Enforcement Officer, the following seen-at-large violation fees shall be paid by the owner of the animal or added to taxes:

Violation Notice – First Offence	\$ 50.00
Violation Notice – Second Offence	\$ 75.00
Violation Notice – Third Offence	\$ 100.00

Subsequent Violation Notices within a twelve (12) month period will result in an additional \$ 100.00 per violation.

10. Prosecution under these Regulations may be taken summarily by any member of the Council or by any police officer or by any person authorized by the Council of the Town of Logy Bay-Middle Cove-Outer Cove.
11. Any persons or persons interfering with the Municipal Enforcement Officer in the course of his/her duties will be considered in violation of these regulations and subject to prosecution under Section 12 of these regulations.
12. Any person who is guilty of an offence under these regulations or who acts in contravention of, or fails to comply with any provisions thereof, or neglects or refuses to do so, shall be liable on summary of conviction in accordance with the Municipalities Act.
 - (a) For the first offence, to a fine of not less than \$ 100.00 and not more than \$ 500.00 or to a term of imprisonment of not more than one (1) month or to both the fine and imprisonment.
 - (b) For a subsequent offence, to a fine of not less than \$ 500.00 and not more than \$ 1000.00 or to a term of imprisonment of not more than three (3) months or to both a fine and imprisonment.

All previous Animal Regulations or Amendments thereof, are hereby rescinded.

AMENDMENT TO TOWN OF LOGY BAY-MIDDLE COVE-OUTER COVE
NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR ANIMAL CONTROL REGULATIONS.

IT WAS PASSED AT A MEETING OF COUNCIL HELD ON OCTOBER 25, 2004.

Mayor – Robert Roche

Acting Town Clerk/Manager – Richard Roche