

ORDINANCE NO. 2021-13

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY
OF LAKE STATION, INDIANA AMENDING CHAPTER 6, ARTICLE 3,
SEC. 6-24. MAXIMUM NUMBER OF DOMESTIC ANIMALS.**

WHEREAS, on June 19, 2008, the Common Council of the City of Lake Station passed and adopted Ordinance No. 2008-11 outlining Chapter 6, Article 3, Section 6-24 entitled Maximum Number of Domestic Animals; and

WHEREAS, Section 6-24 established and provided for the total number of domestic animals consisting of dogs and cats per household; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council now desires to amend and/or delete certain provisions of Ordinance No. 2008-11, Chapter 6, Article 3, Section 6-24. Maximum Number of Domestic Animals.

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE ORDAINED by the Common Council of the City of Lake Station, Lake County, Indiana, as follows:

- (1) That Chapter 6, Article 3, Section 6-24 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Lake Station currently reads as follows:

Sec. 6-24. Maximum Number of Domestic Animals.

- (a) No person shall keep more than a total of five (5) domestic animals (dogs and cats) over the age of six (6) months per household in any residential area zone. The five (5) total domestic animals allowed shall consist of any combination of dogs and cats not exceeding a total of five (5) dogs and cats.
 - (b) This restriction shall not apply to property that is at least one-third (1/3) of an acre of land, which is fourteen thousand two hundred fifty (14,250) square feet. However, any person who desires to own more than a total of five (5) such animals (dogs and cats) must comply with subsection c. of this section. Subsection c. Persons desiring to have more than a total of five (5) animals (dogs and cats) who meet the regulations set forth in subsection b. of the section must have a minimum of one thousand (1000) additional square feet for each additional animal (dog or cat).
 - (c) Persons desiring to have more than three (3) animals who meet the regulations set forth in subsection (b) of this section must have a minimum of one thousand (1,000) additional square feet for each additional animal.
- (2) That Chapter 6, Article 3, Section 6-24 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Lake Station shall now read as follows:

Sec. 6-24. Maximum Number of Domestic Animals.

(a) No person shall keep more than a total of five (5) domestic animals (dogs and cats) over the age of six (6) months per household in any residential area zone. The five (5) total domestic animals allowed shall consist of any combination of dogs and cats not exceeding a total of five (5) dogs and cats.

(3) That subparagraphs (b) and (c) of Chapter 6, Article 3, Section 6-24 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Lake Station are deleted in their entirety.

That this Ordinance now amends and modifies Ordinance No. 2008-11 passed by the Common Council of the City of Lake Station, Indiana October 8, 2020.

ALL OF WHICH IS PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE STATION, INDIANA THIS 24th DAY OF JUNE, 2021.

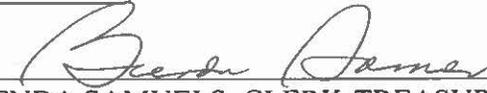
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WILLIAM CARROLL, MAYOR

ATTEST:


BRENDA SAMUELS, CLERK-TREASURER

PRESENTED BY ME TO WILLIAM CARROLL, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF LAKE STATION, INDIANA THIS 24th DAY OF JUNE, 2021.


BRENDA SAMUELS, CLERK-TREASURER

APPROVED, SIGNED AND RETURNED BY ME to the Common Council of the City of Lake Station, Indiana this 24th day of JUNE, 2021.


WILLIAM CARROLL, MAYOR