

ORDINANCE 2018-06
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 6.08 OF THE FARMLAND CODE OF
ORDINANCES RESTRICTING THE KEEPING OF
LIVESTOCK IN THE TOWN OF FARMLAND

WHEREAS, it has been determined by the Town Board of the Town of Farmland that it is in the best interests of the residents of the Town of Farmland, Indiana that the practice of keeping, raising, or harboring of livestock should be prohibited in the Town of Farmland, Indiana.

WHEREAS, the Town Board of Farmland has determined that it is necessary to update Chapter 6.08 of the Farmland Code of Ordinances, which prohibits the keeping of Livestock in the Town of Farmland.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDAINED BY THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF FARMLAND,
AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. – DEFINITIONS

For the purpose of this chapter, the following definitions shall apply unless the context clearly indicates or requires a different meaning.

LIVESTOCK. For purposes of this Ordinance, “Livestock” shall be defined as a horse, cow, mule, colt, donkey, bull, ox, calf, goat, sheep, pig, goose, chicken, turkey, duck, llama, or any other animal commonly used on a farm for the production of goods for sale.

PERSON. Any person, firm, partnership, association, corporation, company, or organization of any kind.

PROPERTY. Any real property within the Town which is not a street or a highway.

Section 2. – LIVESTOCK PROHIBITED

It shall be unlawful for any person to keep livestock, or permit livestock to be kept, on his or her premises in the Town of Farmland, whether gratuitously or for a fee.

Section 3. - KEEPING LIVESTOCK ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN THE TOWN OF FARMLAND PROHIBITED

No person in charge, or in control of, any real property within the Town of Farmland, whether as an owner, tenant, occupant, lessee, or otherwise shall allow any person to maintain a structure or other facility, in which livestock or other farm animals are housed or kept, on any property within their control.

Section 4. – PENALTY


Any person, firm, or corporation who is found to be in violation of any provisions of this chapter shall, upon conviction, be fined in any sum not exceeding \$500.00. Each day that the person is found to be in violation of this Ordinance shall constitute a separate offense.

Section 5. It is the intent of the Town Board of Farmland that Section 6.08.010 and Section 6.08.020 of the Farmland Code of Ordinances shall be amended to conform with this Ordinance.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

This Ordinance passed by the Town Board of the Town of Farmland, Randolph County, Indiana this 4, day of September, 2018.

ATTEST:


Town Board, President


Town Board, Member


Town Board, Member


Clerk-Treasurer

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