ORDINANCE NO. 011 - 2024

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 4-14(A)(2) OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE LEXINGTON-FAYETTE URBAN COUNTY GOVERNMENT TO CLARIFY THE DEFINITION OF VICIOUS DOG AS INCLUDING ANY DOG THAT HAS BITTEN A HUMAN BEING OR ANIMAL, EXCLUDING WILDLIFE, WITHOUT PROVOCATION.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE LEXINGTON-FAYETTE URBAN COUNTY GOVERNMENT:

Section 1 - That Section 4-14(a)(2) of the Code of Ordinances of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government be and hereby is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 4-14. - Vicious dogs.

- A "vicious" dog is defined to include:
 - Any dog owned or harbored primarily or in part for purposes of fighting, or any dog trained for fighting;
 - Any dog that has bitten a human being or (2) animal, excluding wildlife, without provocation; or
 - Any dog declared by a court to be a vicious dog.

Section 2 – That this Ordinance shall become effective on the date of its passage.

PASSED URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL:

January 23, 2024

Linda Gorton

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CLERK OF URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL PUBLISHED: January 30, 2024- 1t

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