



**CITY OF MERCER ISLAND
NOTICE OF DECLARATION OF POTENTIALLY DANGEROUS DOG**

Date of Notice: 01/04/24

Case No: A23-007205

Description of Dog

Breed: German Shepherd

Color: Black/Brown

Gender: NM

Name of Dog: Buster

Owner: Christopher D. Judd

Address: 2511 71st Ave SE

Phone No.: 206 914 9644

Whereabouts of dog (if not in custody of owner):

Pursuant to this notice, the dog listed above will be considered a "Potentially Dangerous Dog" under MICC 7.04.020 and RCW 16.08.070 twenty (20) days after service of this notice on 01/04/24. This notice places immediate restrictions upon the dog listed above and requires your immediate action. Contact Regional Animal Services of King County at 206 296 7387 if you have any questions.

Declaration of Potentially Dangerous Dog

Regional Animal Services of King County has probable cause to believe that the dog listed above falls within the definition of potentially dangerous dog as set forth in MICC 7.04.020 and RCW 16.08.070 for the following reason(s):

- The dog listed above has without provocation inflicted a bite or bites on a human, domestic animal, or livestock on public or private property.
- The dog listed above without provocation chased or approached a person or person upon the streets, sidewalks, or any public ground or private property in a menacing fashion or apparent attitude of attack.
- The dog listed above has a known propensity, tendency, or disposition to attack unprovoked, to cause injury without provocation, or to cause injury or otherwise to threaten the safety of humans or domestic animals without provocation.

During the 20 days before this declaration is effective, on or before 01/04/24, you may appeal this notice. Information on how to appeal this notice follows.

The facts which support this declaration are as follows:

On 12/25/2023 at approximately 1842 hours, complainant was walking in road when he noticed the trunk of the dog owner's car was open and presents were getting wet from rain. He entered property and knocked on the door to inform the owner. The owner cracked the door open to talk with him when the dog, "Buster", forced his way out and charged the complainant biting him on the leg breaking the skin.

The definition of a Potentially Dangerous Dog under MICC 7.04.020 is as follows: Potentially dangerous dog means any dog that when unprovoked: (a) inflicts bites on a human or a domestic animal either on public or private property, or (b) chases or approaches a person upon the streets, sidewalks, or any public grounds in a menacing fashion or apparent attitude of attack, or any dog with a known propensity, tendency, or disposition to attack unprovoked, to cause injury, or to cause injury or otherwise to threaten the safety of humans or domestic animals.

This incident is a violation of Sections A of the above code.

The statutory and municipal code basis for the proposed action are as follows:

MICC 7.04.020 (A)

NAME OF ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER: Aaron Wheatley

OFFICER'S SIGNATURE



DATE

1/4/24

Potentially Dangerous Dog Owner Responsibilities

Pursuant to MICC 7.04.120(E), it is unlawful for an owner of a potentially dangerous dog to permit the dog to be allowed or permitted to run free and physically unrestrained or off leash or not otherwise under physical restraint, unless within a fenced yard or similar restraint reasonably designed to prevent the dog from running free and physically unrestrained. The top of such fence must be **at least** six feet in height as measured from the ground level, unless there is a secured top—full enclosure—to the fenced-in area. Further, such fence or enclosure area must comply with all applicable city codes. Please note that a dog solely under voice and/or signal control shall be considered to be “physically unrestrained.” Any person who violates MICC 7.04.120(E) shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Pursuant to MICC 7.04.120(F), the owner of a potentially dangerous dog is responsible for taking measures to ensure that the dog does not escape the above restraints.

Appeal Procedures

MICC 7.04.235 governs appeals of potentially dangerous dog declarations or dangerous dog declarations.

A notice of appeal must be filed with the Mercer Island City Clerk within 20 days of receiving a potentially dangerous dog declaration or final dangerous dog determination (notices that are mailed will be presumed to have been delivered three days after placing the notice in the mail for delivery). No fee is required to file a notice of appeal. If the owner does not file a timely written request for hearing, the restrictions imposed in connection with the potentially dangerous dog declaration or final dangerous dog determination shall remain in effect for the life of the animal, unless sooner lifted by action of the animal control authority or a court of competent jurisdiction.

Form of Appeal. An appeal shall be written and shall conform substantially to the following requirements:

1. A caption reading: "Appeal of ____," giving the names of all appellants participating in the appeal;
2. A brief statement setting forth the legal interest of each of the appellants;
3. A brief statement of the specific action appealed, together with any material facts claimed to support the contentions of the appellant(s);
4. A brief statement of the relief sought, and the reasons why the potentially dangerous dog declaration or final dangerous dog determination should be reversed, modified, or otherwise set aside;
5. Signatures of all parties named as appellants, and their official mailing addresses; and
6. Certification (by signature of the appellant(s)) that to the best of the appellant(s)' knowledge, information, and belief, the appeal is well grounded in fact.

For more information on appeal procedures, please consult MICC 7.04.235.



King County

Department of Executive Services
Records and Licensing Services Division
Regional Animal Services
21615 64th Ave S. Kent, WA 98032
206-296-PETS Fax 206-205-8043

Investigation Report A23-007205-01

Investigation / Animal Bite Sequence 1 of 4

Priority: 3 Clerk: SHEEHAK
Disclose: Not Discussed
Tot Animals: 1 Type: DOG

Original Call Date: 12/29/23 9:03
New This Seq: 12/29/23 9:03
Wheatley Dispatch This Seq: 12/29/23 11:25
Working This Seq: 12/29/23 12:20
Complete This Seq: 12/29/23 12:25
wheatla Saved This Seq: 12/30/23 9:14



Caller Information:	P888615 DAN VELJOVICH 206-604-5131 3415 72ND AVE SE MERCER ISLAND 98040 Jurisdiction: MERCER ISLAND District: 220
Comment:	MI POLICE REPORT 12/25 18:42 RP BITTEN ON BACK OF LEG AFTER DOG PUSHED THRU A DOOR
Activity Address:	2511 71ST AVE SE MERCER ISLAND 98040 Jurisdiction: MERCER ISLAND District: 220
Animal Involved:	GSD
Animal Owner:	CHRISTOPHER JUDD 206-914-9644 2511 71ST AVE SE MERCER ISLAND 98040 2511 71ST AVE SE MERCER ISLAND 98040 Jurisdiction: MERCER ISLAND District: 220
Responding Officer:	P999050 AARON WHEATLEY, ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER 206-263-5943 206-369-6331 ext:CELL aaron.wheatley@kingcounty.gov
Results:	MADE TELEPHONE CONTACT

A23-007205-02 Investigation / Animal Bite Sequence 2 of 4

Priority: 3 Record Created by: WHEATLA
Disclose: Not Discussed
Tot Animals: 1 Type: DOG

Original Call Date: 12/29/23 9:03
New This Seq: 12/30/23 9:15
Wheatley Dispatch This Seq: 12/30/23 9:15
Working This Seq: 12/30/23 13:34
Complete This Seq: 12/30/23 14:09
wheatla Saved This Seq: 12/30/23 16:46

Responding Officer:	P999050 AARON WHEATLEY, ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER 206-263-5943 206-369-6331 ext:CELL aaron.wheatley@kingcounty.gov
Results:	MADE CONTACT/ASSISTANCE; CASE REPORT/STMT TAKEN; QUARANTINE NOTICE ISSUED OR POSTED; ALREADY LICENSED

A23-007205-03 Investigation / Animal Bite Sequence 3 of 4

Priority: 3 Record Created by: WHEATLA
Disclose: Not Discussed
Tot Animals: 1 Type: DOG

Original Call Date: 12/29/23 9:03
New This Seq: 12/30/23 16:46
Wheatley Dispatch This Seq: 12/30/23 16:46
Working This Seq: 01/03/24 12:02
Complete This Seq: 01/03/24 12:16
wheatla Saved This Seq: 01/03/24 13:46

Responding Officer:	P999050 AARON WHEATLEY, ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER 206-263-5943 206-369-6331 ext:CELL aaron.wheatley@kingcounty.gov
Results:	MADE CONTACT/ASSISTANCE; CASE REPORT/STMT TAKEN

A23-007205-04 Investigation / Animal Bite Sequence 4 of 4

Priority: 3 Record Created by: WHEATLA
Disclose: Not Discussed
Tot Animals: 1 Type: DOG

Original Call Date: 12/29/23 9:03
New This Seq: 01/03/24 13:47
Wheatley Dispatch This Seq: 01/03/24 13:47
Working This Seq:
Complete This Seq:
wheatla Saved This Seq: 01/03/24 13:47

Animal Involved:	A693526 BUSTER LARGE DOG BLACK/BROWN N German Shepherd
Responding Officer:	P999050 AARON WHEATLEY, ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER 206-263-5943 206-369-6331 ext:CELL aaron.wheatley@kingcounty.gov
Results:	DISPATCHED;

Bite 1

Bite Info:	B24-003370 Bite Date: 12/25/23 Report Date: 12/29/23 MINOR SKIN BROKN LEG Circumstance: UNPROVOKED
Incident Location:	2500 71ST AVE SE ,MERCER ISLAND WA 98040 District: 220 Jurisdiction: MERCER ISLAND
Aggressor Animal Desc:	A693526 BUSTER LARGE DOG BLACK / BROWN N GERMAN SHEPHERD Prior Bites: YES Valid Vaccination: YES
Animal Owner:	P559706 CHRISTOPHER JUDD 206-914-9644, chrisjudd75@gmail.com
Victim:	P888615 DAN VELJOVICH Relation to Animal Owner: NA 206-604-5131 3415 72ND AVE SE MERCER ISLAND 98040 Jurisdiction: MERCER ISLAND District: 220
Synopsis:	Dog pushed way through open door and bit the complainant on the leg breaking the skin
Quarantine:	Begin Date: 12/25/23 By: OWNER P559706 CHRISTOPHER JUDD 206-914-9644, chrisjudd75@gmail.com 2511 71ST AVE SE MERCER ISLAND 98040 Jurisdiction: MERCER ISLAND District: 220 Location: HOME End Date: 01/04/24 Euth Date: Notify Date:

Memos dated on or after 12/29/2023 12:00:00AM

Activity Memo(s) for: A23-007205

1 Investigation Memo 12/29/23 M23-468020 Entered by:WHEATLA	I reviewed the form submitted by MI PD. It did not include the pictures of the wounds. I called the complainant and left a voicemail asking for the pictures. AAW
2 Investigation Memo 12/30/23 M23-468091 Entered by:WHEATLA	I arrived at 3415 72nd Ave SE and made contact with the complainant. He explained he was out for a walk with his family. He saw there was a car at 2511 71st Ave SE that had the trunk open and it was raining on some presents. He approached the front door, knocked and bocked up approximately 10-12 feet. The dog owner opened the door and a dog, later identified as Buster, got around him charging the complainant and bit him multiple times on the leg/thigh and knee area. He reported it to the police later on. I informed him there was a prior for a similar incident earlier this year and the possible outcomes of this case. He texted me the pictures of the wound. I drove to 2511 71st Ave SE but nobody was home. I called the dog owner and left a voicemail regarding the incident. I posted the front door with a written QN. AAW
3 Investigation Memo 1/3/24 M24-468398 Entered by:WHEATLA	I arrived at 2511 71st Ave SE and made contact with the dog owner, Christopher Judd, and we spoke about the incident. He stated he was loading presents into the trunk of his car. He had gone back into his home to grab another bag of presents when the complainant rang his doorbell. He cracked the door to see who it was when his dog, Buster, forced his way through. Buster charged the complainant who had tried to flee around a tree but caught up to him and bit him on the leg. He stated he has been working with a trainer on the dog's behavioral problems. He has had the dog on quarantine and reported no changes in the dog's behavior. I explained the laws regarding dog bites. I explained the dog was going to be deemed potentially dangerous and listed the requirements. I also told him there would be a infraction of \$513 assessed to him. I explained the appeals process. I will deliver all the paperwork tomorrow. AAW
4 Investigation Memo 1/4/24 M24-468452 Entered by:WHEATLA	PDD and infraction to be delivered to dog owner today. Investigation packet will de delivered to M Courthouse. AAW

10 most recent activities at same address or for same owner

Activity no	date	comment
A23-005639	9/18/23	INV / VIC NIPR
Top 10 of 1		

10 most recent violations for same owner

violation no	violation dat	activity no	defendant id	violation type
V23-014708	9/17/23	A23-005639	P559706	WARNING
Top 10 of 1				

I certify under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of Washington, that the foregoing information is true and correct.

Animal Control Officer

Date

Signed in King County, Washington.

Bite Count = 1 Violation Count = 0 Memos = 4 Impounds = 0

Case Report Compact

Print Date/Time: 12/29/2023 07:08
 Login ID: tjackson
 Case Number: 2023-00012318

Mercer Island Police Department
 ORI Number: WA0170900

Case Details:

Case Number: 2023-00012318	Incident Type: Animal, complaints	
Location: 2511 71ST AVE SE MERCER ISLAND,WA 98040	Occurred From: 12/25/2023 18:42	Occurred Thru: 12/25/2023 18:42
	Reported Date: 12/25/2023 18:42 Monday	
Reporting Officer ID: 172-Smith	Status: Inactive	Status Date: 12/28/2023
Disposition: No crime occurred	Disposition Date: 12/28/2023	

Offenses

No.	Group/ORI	Crime Code	Statute	Description	Counts
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Subjects

Type	No.	Name	Address	Phone	Race	Sex	DOB/Age
Other involved	1	JUDD, CHRISTOPHER DAVID	2511 71ST AVE SE MERCER ISLAND,WA 98040	(206)914-9644	White	Male	10/22/1956 67
Reporting party	1	Veljovich, Dan S	3415 72ND AVE SE MERCER ISLAND,WA 98040	(206)275-0375	White	Male	07/31/1967 56

Subject # 1-Other involved

Primary: No	Race: White	Sex: Male	DOB: 10/22/1956
Name: JUDD, CHRISTOPHER DAVID	Height: 6ft 2 in	Weight: 163.0 lbs.	
Address: 2511 71ST AVE SE MERCER ISLAND WA 98040	Eyes: Blue	Hair: White	Age: 67
Primary Phone: (206)914-9644	SSN: 534-64-5721	DVL #: JUDD*CD443 P2	State: WA

Domestic Violence Referrals:

Subject # 1-Reporting party

Primary: No	Race: White	Sex: Male	DOB: 07/31/1967
Name: Veljovich, Dan S	Height: 5ft 10 in	Weight: 160.0 lbs.	
Address: 3415 72ND AVE SE MERCER ISLAND WA 98040	Eyes: Green	Hair: Brown	Age: 56
Primary Phone: (206)275-0375	SSN: 554-43-5697	DVL #: VELJODS336 MU	State: WA

Resident Status: Full-time resident Statement Type: Verbal

Domestic Violence Referrals:

Arrests

Arrest No.	Name	Address	Date/Time	Type	Age
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Property

Date	Code	Type	Make	Model	Description	Tag No.	Item No.
12/26/2023	Investigative information	Photographs			CD containing photos of injuries	2023-12318-I-1	1

Case Report Compact

Print Date/Time: 12/29/2023 07:08
 Login ID: tjackson
 Case Number: 2023-00012318

Mercer Island Police Department
 ORI Number: WA0170900

Seq #1

Tag Number: 2023-12318-I-1 Item Number: 1
 Property Codes: Property Type: Photographs Date Received: 12/26/2023
 Investigative Initial Value: \$0.00
 information
 Quantity: 1.000 Unit of Measure: *Each
 Description: CD containing photos of injuries

Chain of Custody

Date	Transaction	From	From Role	To	To Role
12/28/2023 10:12	Type: Intake Code: Initial Remarks:	172-Christopher Smith	Officer	927-Tanya Jackson	Evidence Technician

Vehicles

No.	Role	Vehicle Type	Year	Make	Model	Color	License Plate	State
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MI-Case, Officer: csmith, Supervisor: shammer, Merged By: lindsey.tusing

	MERCER ISLAND POLICE DEPARTMENT 9611 SE 36th St. Mercer Island, WA 98804 CASE# 2023-00012318
CASE REPORT	

EVENT	REPORTED DATE/TIME 12/25/2023 18:42	OCCURRED INCIDENT TYPE Animal, complaints	
	OCCURRED FROM DATE/TIME 12/25/2023 18:42	OCCURRED THRU DATE/TIME 12/25/2023 18:42	LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE 2511 71ST AVE SE MERCER ISLAND, WA

	STATUTE/DESCRIPTION	COUNTS	ATTEMPT/COMMIT
OFFENSES			

SUMMARY	RP bit by dog causing small punctures.
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SUBJECT	JACKET/SUBJECT TYPE Adult Reporting party	NAME (LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE SUFFIX) <input type="checkbox"/> NON-DISCLOSURE VELJOVICH, DAN STEVEN			
	DOB 07/31/1967	AGE or AGE RANGE 56	ADDRESS (STREET, CITY, STATE, ZIP) 3415 72ND AVE SE AVE SE MERCER ISLAND, WA 98040		
	RACE White	SEX Male	HEIGHT or RANGE 5'10"	WEIGHT or RANGE 160	HAIR Green
	DL NUMBER/STATE WDL1T772593B / WA	PRIMARY PHONE (206)604-5131	Cell Phone (Personal)	PHONE #2	PHONE #3

SUBJECT	JACKET/SUBJECT TYPE Adult Other involved	NAME (LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE SUFFIX) <input type="checkbox"/> NON-DISCLOSURE Judd, Chris			
	DOB	AGE or AGE RANGE	ADDRESS (STREET, CITY, STATE, ZIP) 2511 71ST AVE SE MERCER ISLAND, WA		
	RACE	SEX Male	HEIGHT or RANGE	WEIGHT or RANGE	HAIR
	DL NUMBER/STATE	PRIMARY PHONE (206)914-9644	Cell Phone (Personal)	PHONE #2	PHONE #3

REPORTING OFFICER 172 Smith	DATE 12/25/2023	REVIEWED BY Hammer, Samantha	REVIEW DATE 12/26/2023
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MERCER ISLAND POLICE DEPARTMENT
 9611 SE 36th St. Mercer Island, WA 98040 CASE# 2023-00012318
CASE REPORT

NARRATIVE

Mercer Island Police Department

Case Number: 2023-12318

Type of Incident: Animal
 Reporting Officer: C. Smith #172

Narrative:
 On 12-25-2023 at approximately 1845 hours, I, Ofc. Smith #172, was on patrol in a fully marked police vehicle equipped with emergency lights and sirens. NORCOM advised me of an animal call located at 2511 71st Ave SE.

I called the RP (Veljovich) who stated that he just returned home from the ER where he was treated for a dog bite he sustained at the call location a few hours prior. He stated that he knocked on the front door of the residence to advise the occupants that their vehicle's trunk had been left open. The door was answered by Chris Judd. Shortly after opening the door, a German Shepard pushed past Judd and began biting Veljovich on the back of his leg causing small puncture marks on the back of his left leg. Veljovich provided a picture of the injury which I provided to Records.

Veljovich stated that Chris Judd was only watching the dog temporarily. He very apologetic and offered financial compensation for any medical expenses or torn clothing.

Veljovich stated that he wanted the incident reported just in case something like this happened again.

This incident took place within the city limits of Mercer Island, county of King, in the state of Washington.

I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct

Officer: C. Smith #172
 Place Signed: MIPD

<small>REPORTING OFFICER</small> 172 Smith	<small>DATE</small> 12/25/2023	<small>REVIEWED BY</small> Hammer, Samantha	12/26/2023
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<p style="text-align: center;">MERCER ISLAND POLICE DEPARTMENT 9611 SE 36th St. Mercer Island, WA 98804 CASE# 2023-00012318 CASE REPORT</p>

<p style="text-align: center;">NARRATIVE (continuation)</p>
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<p style="text-align: right;">Date: 12-25-2023</p>
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<small>REPORTING OFFICER</small> 172 Smith	<small>DATE</small> 12/25/2023	<small>REVIEWED BY</small> Hammer, Samantha	12/26/2023
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MI-Case Supp, Officer: csmith, Supervisor: shammer, Merged By: lindsey.tusing

MERCER ISLAND POLICE DEPARTMENT	
9611 SE 36th St. Mercer Island, WA 98804	CASE# 2023-00012318
CASE REPORT	

GENERAL PROPERTY

GENERAL	PROPERTY CODE			VALUE
	Investigative information			\$0
	QUANTITY/UNIT OF MEASURE	PROPERTY TYPE/CLASS	SERIAL	COLOR
	1 / Each	Photographs		
ITEM DESCRIPTION				
CD containing photos of injuries				

GENERAL	PROPERTY CODE			VALUE
	QUANTITY/UNIT OF MEASURE	PROPERTY TYPE/CLASS	SERIAL	COLOR
ITEM DESCRIPTION				

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	QUANTITY/UNIT OF MEASURE	PROPERTY TYPE/CLASS	SERIAL	COLOR
ITEM DESCRIPTION				

REPORTING OFFICER	DATE	REVIEWED BY	
172 Smith	12/25/2023	Hammer, Samantha	12/26/2023

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NARRATIVE

<p>Property entry was created for I-1</p>
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<small>REPORTING OFFICER</small> 172 Smith	<small>DATE</small> 12/25/2023	<small>REVIEWED BY</small> Hammer, Samantha	12/26/2023
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OFFICIAL ANIMAL QUARANTINE NOTICE - for dog, cat, and ferret bites only

Case # A23-007205

Date Issued: 12/29/2023

Owner/Caretaker of Animal:

(Party responsible for quarantine)

Name: CHRISTOPHER JUDD
Address: 2511 71ST AVE SE
MERCER ISLAND WA 98040

Phone1: (206) 914-9644

Description of Biting Animal:

Name: Buster
Color: Black & Brown
Breed: German Shepherd
Type: Neutered Male Dog
Size: Large
Age: 6Yr 3Mo

License: L24-713854

The dog, cat or ferret described above has been identified as belonging to you, and/or in your care or possession, and has been reported to have bitten a person.

Date of Bite: 12/25/2023

Quarantine Begin Date: 12/25/2023


B24-003370

Bite No:

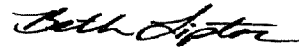
Quarantine End Date: 01/04/2024

By law, you are required to confine this animal away from contact with people and other animals for a period of ten days from the date of the bite noted above. You may not sell, move, vaccinate or destroy this animal without the consent of the Director of Public Health until the ten-day period is completed. (Code of the King County Board of Health, Title 8, Rabies Control)


- **IF YOUR ANIMAL BECOMES ILL OR DIES DURING THE TEN-DAY QUARANTINE PERIOD, NOTIFY THE OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH VETERINARIAN IMMEDIATELY AT (206) 263-8454.**



Patty Hayes, RN, MN
Director
Public Health - Seattle & King County



Beth Lipton, DVM, MPH, CPH
Public Health Veterinarian
Public Health - Seattle & King County



Aaron Wheatley
Animal Control Officer
Regional Animal Services of King County
(206) 296-PETS (7387)

Notice Received By: CHRISTOPHER JUDD
(Signature of Owner/Caretaker of Biting Animal)

Your responsibilities while your pet is under a 10 day Quarantine Order*

1) Securely confine your pet to make sure it cannot escape or get lost

- Restrict your pet to the premises of the owner or caretaker in a secure manner so as to prevent escape.
- Do not leave the pet loose in the yard. It must be kept in the house or in a securely-fenced locked kennel which is not accessible to other animals or to people other than the caregiver.
- Do not take the pet on vacation, on trips (except for veterinary care), to parks, or on walks off the owner's property.

2) Prevent any contact between the pet and people or other animals

- Your pet should have no contact with pets outside the household.¹(for example, with dogs belonging to friends or neighbors) or with wild animals.
- The pet should be cared for by a responsible adult and should not be in contact with any other adults or children.

3) Observe your pet daily and report any sign of illness or abnormal behavior

- You are required to observe the animal daily during the quarantine. You must report any illness or abnormal behavior immediately to the Public Health Veterinarian at (206) 263-8454 so the animal can be checked for signs of rabies.
- If the signs of rabies are present, the Public Health Veterinarian will ask that the pet be immediately examined by a veterinarian.

4) Failure to comply and enforcement

- The Director of Public Health is authorized to request assistance from Animal Care and Control or police officers to enforce rabies control measures. If you do not comply with the above requirements it may result in the seizure of your pet and impounding at an Animal Control facility for quarantine at your expense.

5) You may not sell, give away or have your pet euthanized (put to sleep) during the quarantine period.

6) If you are unable to uphold these requirements, call the Public Health Veterinarian's office at (206) 263-8454 to discuss alternative arrangements.

**NOTE: A Quarantine Order applies to dogs, cats or ferrets that have bitten a person. The purpose of the quarantine is to assure that the animal was not carrying rabies virus at the time of the bite. These regulations are contained in Title 8 of the Code of the King County Board of Health.*







