

#### 10.004. Definitions

(15) Animal boarding, domestic pet.

Any premises that accommodates six or more domestic pets overnight, including both indoor and outdoor facilities. May also include accessory retail sales of pet food, pet supplies and related items, limited to 100 square feet of floor space.

(a) Examples of these land uses include: commercial kennels, pet breeding operations and pet day-care operations.

(b) Domestic pet animal boarding does not include: temporary foster care not to exceed a residence of six weeks per animal, overnight or observational care for patients of a veterinary clinic, large animal boarding, domestic fowl or beekeeping, colony houses, small-scale farming or agricultural livestock operations.

(16) Animal boarding, large animal.

Any premises that accommodates six or more of any animals, not owned by the owner of the property, not including domestic pets, domestic fowl or domestic bees. Exercise yards, fields, training areas, and trails associated with such land uses are considered accessory to such land uses and do not require separate consideration.

(a) Examples of these land uses include commercial stables, livestock boarding, wildlife rehabilitation centers and game farms.

(b) Large animal boarding does not include: temporary foster care not to exceed a residence of six weeks per animal, overnight or observational care for patients of a veterinary clinic, domestic pet boarding, domestic fowl or beekeeping, colony houses, small-scale farming or agricultural livestock operations.

(46) Domestic pets.

(a) Any animal that:

1. has been bred or raised to live in or near the habitations of humans,
2. is not kept for slaughter, milk, eggs or the harvesting of fur, wool or plumage, and;
3. is dependent on humans for food and shelter.

(b) Domestic pets include, but are not limited to: dogs, cats, domesticated songbirds, aquarium fish, reptiles kept indoors and domestic ferrets.

(c) Domestic pets do not include: horses, sheep, any animal equivalent to one-half animal unit or larger, endangered species, wildlife, livestock, domestic fowl or bees.

10.103. Special Requirements for Particular Uses

(5) Animal boarding, domestic pets.

- (a) Use shall be enclosed by a fence or other suitable enclosure to prevent animals from leaving the site.
- (b) Each animal shall be provided with an indoor containment area if the use is located within 500 feet of an existing residence or any lot in the Single Family Residential, Two-Family Residential, Multi-Family Residential, Rural Residential or Hamlet districts.
- (c) Each animal shall be provided with adequate exercise space
- (d) Applicant shall submit a manure management plan approved by the County Conservationist.
- (e) At their discretion, and where necessary to minimize impacts to neighboring properties, the town board and zoning committee may:
  - 1. impose noise limits under s. \_\_\_\_\_,
  - 2. require visual screening, consistent with s. 10.06(10), and/or;
  - 3. establish hours where animals must be kept indoors.
  - 4. as appropriate, establish standards to control odors
- (f) The committee and town board will impose limits on the total number of animals that may be present at any one time, as appropriate to the site and neighboring land uses.

(6) Animal boarding, large animal.

- (a) Use shall be enclosed by a fence or other suitable enclosure to prevent animals from leaving the site.
- (b) Each animal shall be provided with adequate exercise space
- (c) The committee and town board will impose limits on the total number of animals that may be present at any one time, as appropriate to the site and neighboring land uses.
- (d) Operations exceeding one animal unit per acre must comply with the standards of s. \_\_\_\_\_.