VILLAGE OF NORTH FREEDOM - ORDINANCE 12.08(13) IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE VILLAGE BOARD OF THE VILLAGE OF NORTH FREEDOM, WISCONSIN, SAUK COUNTY:

SECTION 1: PURPOSE:

The purpose of this ordinance is to amend and revise the Village of North Freedom Ordinances Chapter 12 titled "Licenses & Permits", Section 12.08 titled "Regulation & Licensing of Dogs", Sub-Section(13) titled "Number of Dogs per Household Limited".

SECTION 2: PROVISION TO BE AMENDED AND REVISED:

Village of North Freedom Ordinance 12.08(13) is amended and revised by this Ordinance.

SECTION 3: PROVISION AS AMENDED AND REVISED:

(13) NUMBER OF DOGS PER HOUSEHOLD LIMITED. No person, except a kennel licensee, shall own, harbor or keep more than 2 dogs that are more than 5 months of age except in a place or places where animals are impounded or restrained, as specified in this section. Exceptions to exceed the limit to 3 dogs per household may be requested by application to the Village Board. This request must be completed prior to the applicant keeping an excess number of dogs and must be requested in writing on a Village provided application and contain the following information: owner's name, physical address where animals are kept, owner's mailing address and telephone number, description of all dogs kept at the address by animal name, age, sex, whether neutered or spayed, prior biting history, current licensure of dogs by license number, a copy of current rabies vaccination for all dogs, a current photograph of each animal, a listing of all current veterinarians the dogs see and continuing unlimited consent allowing all veterinarians that treat any of the listed dogs to disclose the animals health and biting history to the Village, for each dog which will be kept outside for any period of time and not in the presence of the owner who also would be outside with the dog a description of any cage, fencing or housing to be provided for said dog, and amount of time each animal would be outside, a description of why the requestor would like an additional animal, and neighboring property owners consent. The application can be revoked at any time if any Village Ordinances are violated during the dog's life span. The application fee shall be \$25.00. If a total of more than 2 dogs are owned, harbored or kept in or by any one household, the head of the household shall be deemed the person so owning, harboring or keeping such animals, notwithstanding

that the dog license or licenses may be issued to other members of the household as owners of such dogs.

SECTION 4: VALIDITY:

Should any section, clause, or provision of the Ordinance be declared by the Courts to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of the Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof, other than the part so declared to be invalid.

SECTION 5: CONFLICTING PROVISIONS REPEALED:

All Ordinances in conflict with any provision of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6: EFFECTIVE DATE:

This amendment shall become effective upon adoption and publication provided by statue.

SECTION 7: PART OF ORDINANCES:

This Ordinance becomes part of the Village of North Freedom Ordinances, Chapter 12.

Village of North Freedom

Andrew Dear, Village President Nicki Breunig, Clerk/Treasurer