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ORDINANCE NO.: 292

## AN ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH CONNELLSVILLE, FAYETTE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, REGULATING THE KEEPING OF CERTAIN ANIMALS AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES INCONSISTENT HEREWITH.

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH CONNELLSVILLE, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same.

SECTION ONE: DEFINITIONS: As used in this Ordinance, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated unless a different meaning clearly appears from the context.

ANIMAL – any domestic animal or fowl, any wild animal or any household pet, including, but not limited to dogs, cats, and horses.

PERSON – any person, firm, partnership, association or corporation.

In this Ordinance, the singular shall include the plural, the plural shall include the singular and the masculine shall include the feminine.

SECTION TWO: All persons who walks a dog, cat or other animal on any street, road, avenue, lane or alley in the Borough of South Connellsville shall be responsible for the immediate removal of any feces, litter and droppings deposited on said street, road, avenue, lane or alley by said animal in their possession by any sanitary method and shall be deposited in said person's garbage or disposed of in some other sanitary method. The deposit of feces, litter and droppings shall be properly wrapped, packaged or protected so as to prevent unsightly disposal, smell or interference with the health and welfare of the residents of the Borough of South Connellsville.

SECTION THREE: Any member of the Borough of South Connellsville

Police Department is hereby authorized to enforce the provisions of this

Ordinance.

SECTION FOUR: PENALTIES: Any person who shall violate any provision of this ordinance shall upon conviction thereof be sentenced for the fist offense to pay a fine of fifty dollars (\$50.00) plus the costs of prosecution, and/or imprisonment for a term not to exceed five (5) days; for the second offense, to pay a find of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) plus the cost of prosecution, and/or

imprisonment for a term not to exceed ten days; for the third offense and all offense thereafter, to pay a fine of three hundred dollars (\$300.00) and/or to undergo imprisonment for a term not to exceed ninety (90) days. Each day that a violation of this ordinance continues shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION FIVE: SEVERABILITY. If any sentence, clause, section, or part of this Ordinance is for any reason found to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, such unconstitutionality, illegality or invalidity shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions, sentences, clauses, sections or parts of this Ordinance. It is hereby declared as the intent of the Borough Council that this Ordinance would have been adopted had such unconstitutional, illegal or invalid sentence, section or part thereof had not been included herein.

SECTION SIX: All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION SEVEN: This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon enactment.

ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Borough Council of the Borough of
South Connellsville this 10 day of 0t., 2010.
BOROUGH OF SOUTH CONNELLSVILLE
By And Avand President of Council
ATTEST: Borough Secretary
APPROVED this 10 day of 0t, 2010
Lete M Casini Mayor
AITTEST: Borough Secretary