

**ARTICLE 2  
ANIMAL CONTROL**

**Section 2.1 Applicability of Montgomery County Code**

Except as modified by this Article, the provisions of Montgomery County Code, Chapter 5 “Animal Control,” as amended as of December 1999 and thereafter, shall apply and be enforced within the corporate limits of the Town of Glen Echo. Except as otherwise provided in this Article, Montgomery County is requested to and shall enforce the provisions of Montgomery County Code, Chapter 5, within the Town.

(Ord. No. 00-03, effective 11/7/00; Ord. No. 16-02, effective 1/30/17)

**Section 2.2 Modification of Montgomery County Code Provisions**

**Animals Prohibited.** Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in Montgomery County Code, Chapter 5, it shall be unlawful to own, keep or harbor within the corporate limits of the Town of Glen Echo the following animals: horses, swine, including, but not limited to, pot-bellied pigs, cows, cattle, goats, chickens, ducks, geese, pigeons, other domestic or wild fowl, bees and any other animals except dogs, cats and other pets commonly kept indoors in private residences. This provision shall be enforced, and penalties imposed, by the Town.

(Ord. No. 00-03, effective 11/7/00; Ord. No. 16-02, effective 1/30/17; Ord. No. 21-08, effective 1/2/22)

**Section 2.3 [Reserved]**

(Ord. No. 00-03, effective 11/7/00; Ord. No. 16-02, effective 1/30/17; Ord. No. 21-08, effective 1/2/22)

**Section 2.4 Penalties**

Any person violating any of the provisions of this Article shall be subject to the penalties and remedies stipulated under Article 21.

(Ord. No. 00-03, effective 11/7/00; Ord. No. 16-02, effective 1/30/17)

**Section 2.5 Regulations**

All regulations now or hereafter adopted by the County Council and/or by the County Executive for Montgomery County pursuant to the authority contained in Chapter 5 of the Montgomery County Code (1999) as amended shall be deemed to be in effect within the incorporated limits of the Town.

(Ord. No. 00-03, effective 11/7/00; Ord. No. 16-02, effective 1/30/17; Ord. No. 21-08, effective 1/2/22)

## **Section 2.6 Resolving Animal Nuisance Issues**

It is the intent and desire of the Town that the collegiality and neighborliness which are hallmarks of the Town be maintained, and to that end, that information regarding animal control requirements be disseminated and attempts to resolve problems informally and without resort to penalties and litigation be encouraged. If nuisance issues cannot be resolved between neighbors, residents may call Montgomery County Animal Control.

(Ord. No. 00-03, effective 11/7/00; Ord. No. 16-02, effective 1/30/17; Ord. No. 21-08, effective 1/2/22)