## Town of Gilmanton, New Hampshire ORDINANCE REGULATING DOGS

In accordance with and under the authority of New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated, Chapters 466, the Town of Gilmanton Board of Selectmen hereby establishes the following ordinance regarding Dogs.

## **PURPOSE**

The purpose of this ordinance is to protect the safety, health, and welfare of the general public.

- A. In accordance with New Hampshire RSA 466:30-a: All dogs in the Town of Gilmanton shall be kept on the premises of the owner or keeper and not allowed to run at large off said premises unless on a leash or in the case of hunting dogs, under the direct control of the owner or keeper. Any owner or keeper of a dog allowing it to run at large in violation of this ordinance shall be subject to fined \$25 for the First Offense, and \$100 for any subsequent offense, for the use of the Town and any dog officer, may impound any dog found running at large in violation of this ordinance, and the owner or keeper shall be liable for a reasonable fee for the board and care of the said animal until claimed by him.
- B. This was adopted by a Vote at Town Meeting on March 12, 1996.

Passed and approved by the Selectmen day of Aug., 2022.	of Gilmanton, New Hampshire this
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