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ORDINANCE 25-12

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 106 DOGS AND OTHER ANIMALS
ARTICLE 1, SECTIONS 106.1 AND 106.6**

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Governing Body of the Borough of Lincoln Park as follows:

SECTION ONE: Chapter 106, Article 1, Dogs and other Animals, Section 106.1 and 106.6 are hereby amended to read as follows:

106.1 DEFINITIONS:

AT LARGE: Off the premises of the owner and not under the control of the owner and not under the control of a member of his immediate family by leash, cord, chain, tether, or other suitable device not more than six feet long.

106.6 RUNNING AT LARGE: No person owning, keeping or harboring any dog shall suffer or permit such dog to run at large within the Borough. It shall be deemed a violation of this section if a dog is found off the premises of the owner and not under the control of the owner or of a member of the owner's immediate family by leash, cord, chain tether, or other suitable device not more than six feet long. This provision shall not apply to Police dogs.

SECTION TWO. The Mayor and Borough Clerk, together with all other appropriate officers and employees are hereby authorized and directed to take any and all steps necessary to effectuate the purposes of this Ordinance.

SECTION THREE. All Ordinances of the borough of Lincoln Park which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed as to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION FOUR. If any section, subsection clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid by any Court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the remaining portion of the Ordinance.

SECTION FIVE. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Cynthia L. Sloane, RMC, CMR, Borough Clerk

Raymond T. Kerwin, Council President

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