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Dear Citizen of Kanosh,

One of the benefits of living in a rural community such as Kanosh is that we live in a more relaxed environment, free from a lot of rules and regulations that urban areas have. People in rural areas tend to be more thoughtful and considerate of their neighbors; such is the appeal of Kanosh. Therefore, the Town Council is asking for your help with two of the following concerns.

DOGS: Kanosh Town has an ordinance prohibiting dog owners from allowing their dogs to run at large. Violation of this ordinance has been a nuisance and safety concern for some of the citizens of Kanosh. The ordinance also requires dog owners to license their dogs annually and provide proof of rabies shots and of being spayed or neutered.

In October 2015, Kanosh Town reduced the license fees for intact female dogs from \$40 to \$5, and for intact male dogs from \$25 to \$5, and for spayed or neutered dogs from \$10 to \$3. Certainly, this is not a burden for dog owners.

It is our hope that dog owners will police themselves and abide by the licensure requirements and take extra effort in prohibiting dogs from running at large.

ENCROACHMENT: The Town of Kanosh also has an encroachment ordinance prohibiting the parking or placement of personal property, which includes but is not limited to RV trailers, utility trailers, unlicensed vehicles, livestock trailers, livestock feed, or firewood for storage purposes upon the street right-of-way for more than fourteen (14) consecutive days. Personal property in violation of this ordinance may be impounded and removed by the Kanosh Town Corporation.

The Town Council does not want to impound or remove personal property. It is the Council's wish that the citizens of Kanosh police themselves and remove personal property that has been left in the street right-of-way for an extended period. When temporarily parking or placing property in the right-of-way, please keep it well away from the shoulder of the paved road for liability and safety reasons. Compliance to this ordinance will help the Town's effort in keeping the streets mowed and clear of debris.

We appreciate the citizens of Kanosh and the good they do to make Kanosh an inviting place. Kanosh is a great place to live; let's keep it that way.

Mayor & Council Members:










