ORDINANCE NO. 270

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE DEFINITION OF "DANGEROUS ANIMAL"

SECTION ONE: <u>PURPOSE</u>. The purpose of this ordinance is to amend the definition of "dangerous animal" in Chapter 57 of the city code.

SECTION TWO: <u>FACTS FOUND</u>. The public safety requires that the city ban certain dogs from the city limits.

SECTION THREE: Section 57.02.1 of the City Code is amended to add the following subsections in the definition of "dangerous animal:"

- Q. The Rottweiler breed of dog, or mixed breed of dog which contains as an element of its breeding the breed of Rottweiler.
- R. Any crossbreed of dogs listed in paragraphs P and Q which have similar characteristics to those animals specified

SECTION FOUR: <u>REPEALER AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE</u>. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are repealed. If any section, provision, or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any section, provision, or part of the ordinance not adjudged invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION FIVE: <u>WHEN EFFECTIVE</u>. This ordinance shall be effective after its final passage, approval, and publication as provided by law.

Passed, approved, adopted, and ordered published this 5th day of March, 2007.

Loren J. Rickard, mayor

Attest:	Larraine Willett	
	Lorraine Willett, city clerk	

I certify that this ordinance No. 270 was published in <u>The Chronicle</u>, a weekly newspaper published in Brooklyn, Iowa on the 7th day of March, 2007.

Lorraine Willett, city clerk