

TOWN OF RIPTON NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ANIMAL CONTROL ORDINANCE

On 11/11/2024, the Selectboard of the Town of Ripton, Vermont, adopted an Animal Control Ordinance. This notice is published pursuant to 24 V.S.A. § 1972 to inform the public of said Ordinance and of the citizens' right to petition for a vote to disapprove the Ordinance. The full text of the Ordinance may be examined at the Ripton Town Office at 1311 VT Route 125, Ripton, VT, and may be examined during regular office hours, or at www.riptonvermont.org.

CITIZENS' RIGHT TO PETITION FOR VOTE

Title 24 V.S.A. § 1973 grants citizens the right to petition for a vote at a special or annual Town Meeting to disapprove ordinances adopted by the Selectboard. To exercise this right, citizens must present to the Selectboard or the Town Clerk a petition for a vote on the question of disapproving the ordinance, signed by not less than five percent (5%) of the Town's qualified voters. The petition must be presented within forty-four (44) days following the date of the adoption of the ordinance. Unless a petition requesting a vote is filed pursuant to 24 V.S.A. § 1973, the Animal Control Ordinance shall become effective sixty (60) days from the date of said adoption.

PERSON TO CONTACT

Additional information pertaining to this Ordinance may be obtained by contacting Bill Hunsinger, selectboard member, at billhunsinger@riptonvt.org, or leave a message at the town office at 802-388-2266 during regular office hours.