

## TITLE 7. PUBLIC PEACE, MORALS, AND WELFARE

### Chapter 7.18

#### ANIMALS

##### Sections:

- 7.18.1 Domestic Animals — Taking, Concealing, Injuring, Killing, etc.  
7.18.2 Cruelty to Animals.

**7.18.1. Domestic Animals — Taking, Concealing, Injuring, Killing, etc.** Any person who, with intent to deprive or defraud the owner thereof:

- (a) Takes, leads away, or confines any domestic animals;
- (b) Conceals the identity of any domestic animal or its owner by obscuring or removing from the animal any collar, tag, license, tattoo, or other identifying device or mark; or
- (c) Willfully kills or injures any domestic animal, unless excused by law, custom, or usage of the Suquamish Tribe

shall be guilty of a gross misdemeanor. (Res. 93-025 (part), passed Mar. 8, 1993)

**7.18.2. Cruelty to Animals.** (a) A person is guilty of cruelty to animals if he or she tortures, mistreats, mutilates, abandons, or unreasonably deprives of food or drink an animal which he or she owns or which is in his or her custody or if he or she procures an animal to be mistreated by another.

(b) Cruelty to animals is a gross misdemeanor. (Res. 93-025 (part), passed Mar. 8, 1993)

[Prior code Ch. III, Art. I, §51, and §7.9.10; amended by Res. 91-045, passed May 20, 1991; renumbered during the 1995 supplement; Ch. 7.18 deletions (prior §7.18.1 Allowing Vicious Animals at Large and §7.18.4 Neglecting Dogs and Other Animals) and renumbering following amendment by Res. 2005-193 (part), passed Oct. 24, 2005 enacting Chapter 10.9]