Keeping of livestock in the City of Toledo limits TMC-1705.05

Applying for a livestock permit in the City of Toledo limits

According to the Toledo Municipal Code, Chapter 1705.05 Keeping Livestock in City limits,

"No person shall raise or keep any hogs, cows, goats, geese or ducks, or any number thereof, within the corporate limits of the City, without having first obtained a written permit from the Commissioner of Health to so keep such hogs, cows, goats, ducks or geese, or any number thereof, and such permit may at any time be revoked by such Commissioner of Health, provided that when such permit is granted, such hogs, cows, goats, geese or ducks, or any number thereof, shall be kept upon and within the confines of the premises of the owners of such hogs, cows, goats, geese or ducks."

To apply for a livestock permit, send a letter to the Toledo-Lucas County Health Department addressed to Shannon M Jones, Interim Health Commissioner.

The letter must include the following information:

- Applicants name, address, phone number and email address
- The type and number of each livestock animal you have on the property, including hogs, cows, goats, geese and ducks
- Any permit information you may already have for livestock animals
- Reasoning for why you raise and keep livestock animals
- Procedures you currently take or will take to prevent rat harborage on the property
- Procedures you take to dispose of animal waste, to reduce odors, and to maintain livestock enclosues clean and nuisance free
- List how the livestock animals will feed and how the food will be dispensed and stored
- How will water be supplied in both warm and cold temperatures
- Dimensions of livestock enclosures
- Discuss how the livestock will be contained within the property
- If possible, provide pictures of the animal enclosures
- Any other information you feel necessary to describe why you are applying for a livestock permit

Send livestock permit request to:

Toledo-Lucas County Health Department Attn: Health Commissioner Re: Livestock Permit 635 N. Erie Street Toledo, Ohio 43604

Should you have questions or concerns, please contact the Community and Environmental Health Department

419-213-4100 ext. 3



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