

STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF PALM BEACH
PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT ANIMAL CARE AND CONTROL DIVISION



FORMAL AFFIDAVIT COMPLAINT MUST BE NOTARIZED
This Affidavit expires 45 days from receipt of 2 Affidavits.

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PALM BEACH COUNTY ORDINANCE 98-22, SECTION 5: ANIMALS CREATING NUISANCE

A. The owner having control or custody any dog or cat which:

- 1) habitually barks, whines, howls or causes other objectionable noise resulting in a serious annoyance to a neighboring resident...; or
- 2) disturbs the peace by habitually or repeatedly destroying, or soiling public or private property, chasing of persons, livestock, cars or other vehicles, running at large, or other behavior that interferes with the reasonable use and enjoyment of said property...

Shall be deemed to be committing an act in violation of this section.

- B. An Animal Care and Control Officer shall investigate an alleged violation of this section upon receipt of two (2) sworn affidavits or complaint provided by the Division signed by two (2) unrelated Palm Beach County residents living in separate dwellings in the close vicinity of the alleged violation. Said affidavit shall specify the address or location of the alleged violation, the nature, time and date(s) of the act, the name and address of the owner or custodian, if known, and a description of the animal, if known.**

The undersigned swears to have just and reasonable ground to believe and does believe that the animal(s) described as:

has been a nuisance by (explain in detail):

(use back of form if needed)

beginning (mm/dd/yy) and continuing to (mm/dd/yy).

The animal's owner:

residing at

Is thereby in violation of Palm Beach County Ordinance 98-22, Section 5.

How do you know the nuisance animal belongs to the above person?

Have you actually witnessed the violations? Yes No

Have you discussed the problem with the owner? Yes No

If yes, with what results?

**I swear the above is true to the best of my knowledge.
I understand I may be called as a witness in a court of law.**

PRINT FULL NAME

ADDRESS

HOME TELEPHONE

WORK TELEPHONE

SIGNATURE

Note: If Citations are issued, you will be called to court as a witness.

STATE OF FLORIDA - COUNTY OF PALM BEACH

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me

this (date)

by who is

personally known to me or has provided as identification and who did (did not) take an oath

Signature

Commission No

Name of notary (typed, printed or stamped)