ORDINANCE NO. 4840

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ALBANY MUNICIPAL CODE, SECTION 6.04.170, PUBLIC NUISANCE--DESIGNATED.

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF ALBANY DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1</u>: Albany Municipal Code, Section 6.04.170, Public Nuisance--designated, is hereby amended to read as follows:

6.04.170 Public nuisance -- designated. Dogs shall be considered a public nuisance under the meaning of this chapter in the following instances:

(1) Any dog, when unprovoked, bites any person or animal;

(2) Any dog which chases vehicles or when off the premises of the owner or keeper, chases any person or persons;

(3) Any dog which scatters garbage other than that of its owner or keeper;

(4) Any dog which trespasses on private property other than its owners or on public rights-of-ways;

(5) Any dog(s) which through the negligence of the owner causes animal waste to accumulate on any premises to a degree that offensive odors can be detected from an adjoining street, yard, or residential unit;

(6) Any dog found within a park outside designated areas;(7) Any dog which makes loud or frequent noise disruptful of any person's

comfort or repose.

(8) Any dog, except for a seeing eye dog whose owner is legally blind, which deposits solid waste matter on any improved property, including public parks and school grounds, other than that of the dog owner. It shall be a defense to this section that the dog owner immediately removes the solid waste.

> November 16, 1988 Passed by Council: _

> Approved by Mayor: November 18, 1988

December 16, 1988 Effective Date: ____

ATTEST: