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Notice Regarding Animal Control and Property Maintenance May 11, 2026

Due to recent issues that have impacted the safety and well-being of our community, the Iowa Tribe will be enforcing Tribal laws and ordinances that have been adopted and in effect for many years. These laws include regulations regarding dogs, cats, animals, ATV's and dirt bikes, and yard maintenance.

This notice, along with the relevant Tribal laws, has been published on the Members Only portion of the Tribal website. The following requirements and regulations should be highlighted as enforcement will be occurring:

1. Dog Registration Required

All dogs must be registered with the Tribal Court Clerk. Registration must include proof of current immunizations and vaccinations.

2. Restricted Breed Registration

Any Doberman Pinscher, Pit Bull, or any dog displaying similar visual characteristics must be registered with the Tribal Court on or before **May 26, 2026**.

3. Dangerous Animals

Any animal that presents a clear and present danger to the safety of the community may be immediately managed by law enforcement or animal control. Owners will be responsible for all court costs and impoundment fees.

4. Animals Running at Large

Do not allow animals to run at large. Animals found running loose are subject to impoundment, and owners will be responsible for all court costs and impoundment fees.

5. Property Maintenance

Yards and properties must be kept clean of debris and maintained so that grass and weeds do not exceed 12 inches in height.

6. Dirt Bikes and Recreational Vehicles

Individuals, including children, riding dirt bikes, e-bikes or motorized recreational vehicles in other residents' yards without permission is prohibited. Dirt bikes and similar vehicles shall not be operated on Tribal Property if they cause a noise nuisance to neighbors, safety issues to the individuals, or damage to the land and ecosystem.

The Iowa Tribe appreciates your cooperation in helping maintain a safe, clean, and respectful community for all residents. If you need assistance with dog registration, please contact the Tribal Law Enforcement.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation


Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska Executive Committee