

ORDINANCE NO. 2026

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND RE-ENACTING SECTION 6-80 OF
CHAPTER SIX OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF
DICKINSON, NORTH DAKOTA, RELATING TO DEFINITIONS**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF CITY COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF
DICKINSON, NORTH DAKOTA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: Section 6-81 is hereby amended and re-enacted as follows:

Sec. 6-80. Definitions.

The following words, terms and phrases, when used in this article, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

Animal means every living animal except the human race.

Dangerous animals means any animals which, because of their venomous bite or sting, their size, or their propensity to viciousness or aggressiveness, would constitute a hazard or threat to the safety of the citizens of the City.

Domestic fowl means poultry which is valued for its meats and eggs including but not limited to chickens, turkeys, ducks, geese, guinea fowl, quail and pigeons.

Livestock farm animals regarded as an asset, to include, but not be limited to, cattle, cows, sheep, pigs, horses, oxen, goats, donkeys, llamas, alpacas.

(Code 1993, § 5.12.010; Ord. No. 857, § 1; Ord. No. 1131, § 2; Ord. No. 1764, § 15)

Section 2: Repeal of Ordinances in Conflict. All Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3: Severability. In the event any section of this Ordinance is held invalid by court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity shall extend only to the section affected, and other sections of this Chapter shall continue in full force and effect.

Section 4: Effective Date: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after final passage.

Scott Decker, President
Board of City Commissioners

ATTEST

Dustin Dassinger, City Administrator

First Reading: _____, 2026

Second Reading: _____, 2026

Final Passage: _____, 2026