

**VILLAGE OF AUGUSTA
ORDINANCE #197**

An ordinance to enact regulations for the removal/disposal of animal waste on any property within the Village of Augusta, including penalties for the violation of such.

**THE VILLAGE OF AUGUSTA
KALAMAZOO COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ORDAINS:**

SECTION I
GENERAL PROVISIONS

A person in control or possession of a dog shall promptly, lawfully and in a sanitary manner, remove and dispose of any feces deposited by the dog on public or private property, other than when on the property owned or controlled by said person or the dog's owner, or when the owner of property waives this requirement.

SECTION II
EXCEPTIONS

This ordinance shall not apply to a service or guide dog when under the control or possession of a blind or physically limited individual.

SECTION III
PENALTIES

Violation of this ordinance shall constitute a civil infraction. A person convicted of a violation of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine of \$100.00 for a first offense and \$200.00 for an offense committed within two years of a previous conviction of this ordinance.

SECTION IV
EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall take effect upon the date of its publication, which shall be within 15 days after its adoption.

James Schultz,
Village President

Julie Glenn,
Village Clerk