

Before the Board of County Commissioners
John Gumm Building and Civic Center
251 St. Helens Street
St. Helens, OR. 97051

Hearing Date: December 23, 2025, at or after 10:00 a.m.

In the Matter of the Livestock Attack by Dogs Owned by Ashley Webster &
Jed Kanooth.

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WARNING:

This file contains photos that may be disturbing.



Officer Recommendations

Date: 12/18/2025

Dog Owner: Ashley Webster & Jed Kanooth

Dogs: Siggy, intact female St. Bernard white and tan
Rollo, neutered male Labrador Mix yellow

The County Animal Control program through its Community Animal Officer Keeanna Stansbury, in the matter involving the two dogs: Siggy and Rollo who were found harming chasing livestock.

Makes the following recommendations:

1. That the County find that on 11/6/2025, Siggy and Rollo committed the act of chasing harming livestock by chasing and harming turkeys at [REDACTED]. Whereas 3 turkeys remained unharmed, and 1 turkey was dispatched due to its injuries sustained by the dogs.
2. That the County find that Siggy and Rollo had no priors for chasing/harming/killing livestock.
3. That the County find that the investigation determined that Siggy and Rollo were unlicensed at the time of the incident.
4. That the County find that from the Community Animal Officers investigation, finds that on 9/16/2025 the dogs, Siggy and Rollo, were running at large, impounded, and brought to the shelter.
5. That the owner Ashley Webster was provided an impound notice on 11/6/2025.
6. That the owners, Ashley Webster and Jed Kanooth, remove both Siggy and Rollo to a location where, in the opinion of the county, the dog(s) do not present a threat to livestock.
7. That the Shelters observations of the dogs are that they both are placeable dogs and would be candidates to remove from the property in compliance to ORS 609.162(1)(c) whereas the dogs would be placed where they do not present a threat to livestock.
8. That the County order restitution to be paid to Christina Keith for the loss of her turkey in the amount of \$25.00.
9. That the County order restitution be paid to Columbia County Animal Control for impound and boarding fees in the amount of \$1,940.00.
10. That the County order a minimum fine in the amount of \$500 per dog. 609.162 (d) and that this fine be enhanced under ORS 609.163 to \$1000 per dog due to the dogs being unlicensed.



COLUMBIA COUNTY
NOV 13 2025
COUNTY COUNSEL

Incident Report

Case# 250053643	Report Date 11/13/2025	Author Keeanna Stansbury	Unit/DPSST 149
Location of Incident [REDACTED]		City [REDACTED]	County Columbia
Offense Chasing or Harming Livestock	ORS 609.155	Related Cases	

Mentioned:

Victim:

Christina Keith

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Reporting Party:

Gary Newberry

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Dog Owners:

Ashley Webster & Jed Kanooth

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Dogs:

Siggy, female Saint Bernard, white and brown
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Sheriff's Deputy:

Kyle Johnson

[REDACTED]

Summary:

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I contacted Christina Keith on the phone at approximately 3:31 pm and informed her of the condition of the turkey. I told Christina that I can only find 2 of the 4 turkeys she said she had. Christina provided consent for me to go on the property and see if I can find the other 2 turkeys. Deputy Johnson arrived at approximately 3:40 pm. Based on the conditions of the turkey, I asked if Christina would allow us to dispatch the turkey as it was suffering. Christina consented to dispatching the turkey and advised that I could place it in a bag and leave it on the front porch for her. Deputy Johnson dispatched the turkey at approximately 3:46 pm.

Deputy Johnson and I then walked around the right side and to the back of the house in an attempt to locate the 2 missing turkeys. After a few minutes, we were able to locate all the turkeys, none of which appeared to have sustained any injuries during the incident.

After the rest of the turkeys were located, I transported the two dogs, Siggy and Rollo, to the shelter where I placed them in an isolation kennel.

On 11/13/2025, at approximately 11:25 am, I contact Gary Newberry who reported this incident. Gary told me that he was driving home past Christina's house and saw the two dogs thrashing over the turkey. Gary pulled in and yelled at the dogs to go away and get off the property. Gary said they chased another turkey then he was able to get them off the property. He notified Christina of the incident. Gary told me that he did get a video of the attack and will be providing the video to me via text message.

On 11/13/2025, Christina told me that the other 3 turkeys were unharmed. Christina told me that she purchased the turkey eggs for \$10 but advised that the adult birds are worth between \$75 to \$100 because of the rare color. Included with this report are copies of several websites selling this type of turkey or similar. The price for a turkey is estimated to be \$17.99 to \$22.00 while a turkey egg is estimated to be around \$8.00.

Action Taken:

Ashley Webster was served an impound notice per ORS 609.155 dogs chasing or harming livestock and advised that she will be receiving a packet in the mail from the County Attorney regarding the next steps. Christina Keith would like to submit restitution for the loss of her turkey. Report is being sent to the County Attorney.

Respectfully Submitted

Keeanna Stansbury
Community Animal Officer
Columbia County Animal Control



Animal Intake Form

CAD# 250053643	DATE: 11/6/2025	Shelter ID# 25-245 & 246
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FINDER'S INFORMATION:

Name:	Address	Phone:
Location found:		

ANIMAL INFORMATION:

Name	Description (Breed, color, sex)	Tags/chip identifiers
#1 Siggys	St. Bernard White & Bro	
#2 Rollo	Labrador Mix yellow	
#3		

OWNERS INFORMATION:

Name: Ashley Webster	Address: [REDACTED]	Phone: [REDACTED]
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REASON FOR IMPOUND: Check all that apply. See reverse side for details.

Stray or at large	Nuisance	Quarantine rabies	Neglect/police holds	Owner surrender	Owner arrest	Livestock attack
						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

ANIMAL BEHAVIOR INFORMATION: Medical, Bite, Aggression, or other issues.

Attacked Turkey

OFFICER HOLD: DO NOT RELEASE:

<input checked="" type="radio"/> YES / NO	Livestock attack hold
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OWNER SURRENDER: I understand that by signing this release that I am:

- The owner or lawful keeper of the animal and have the right to make decisions for the animal.
- Giving up my ownership/rights/custody to the above described animal.
- Transferring all possession rights to the animal to Columbia County.
- Acknowledging that I may be billed fees for the surrender, impound and/or quarantine of the animal by the County.
- Acknowledging that the surrender of the animal does not preclude the County from taking enforcement action against me.
- Acknowledging that the animal may be euthanized without additional notification.

Signature

Date

Officer Stansbury	Radio # 149	Date 11/6/2025	Time 1524
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WHITE: Shelter inbox

CANARY: Place on kennel gate



COLUMBIA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Brian E. Pixley, Sheriff

ANIMAL CONTROL WARNING NOTICE

- ORS 609.060 Running at large. A dog being off the property of the owner.
- ORS 609.095 Dog as a public nuisance. Class B violation.
 - ___ Trespassing upon the property of another person.
 - ___ Damaging or destroying property of another person.
 - ___ Disturbing any person by frequent or prolonged noise (barking)
 - ___ Chases person or vehicles while off property of owner.
 - ___ Causes physical injury to a person (Bite)
 - ___ Menaces another person by lunging, growling, snarling or other behaviors that place Person in fear for their personal safety.

ORS 609.100 Unlicensed and or unvaccinated dog.

ORS 167 Animal Abandonment and/or neglect allegations.
___ Please call animal control office at 503-366-4614 upon receipt of this notice and leave a message advising receipt of this notice. This is a **time sensitive notice** and delays in response may result in seizure of the animals and charges being filed.

ORS 609.090 Notice of animal impoundment *ORS 609.150 Harming/Chasing Livestock*

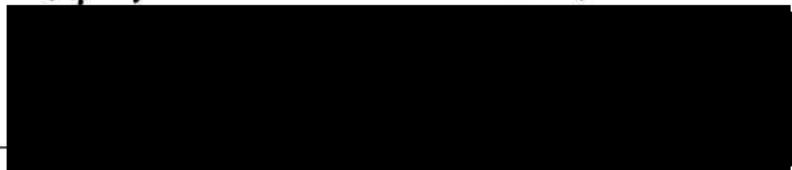
___ A release for the animal must be obtained by contacting the Sheriff Office front desk located at 901 Port Ave Saint Helens Oregon.

d To discuss redemption of the animal, you will need to contact the Animal Control Officer by contact dispatch at 503-397-1521.

Location posted: Given to Ashley Webster

Officer: Stansbury Date: 11/6/05 Time 1524

CAD: 250053643



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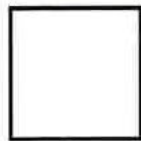
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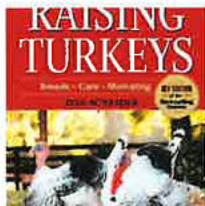
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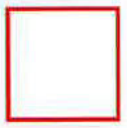


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- Poultry Show Class: Turkeys

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- **Purpose and Type:** Egg Laying and Meat; Exhibition
- **Egg Color:** Off White with brown specks
- **Egg Production:** Poor
- **Egg Size:** Large to Extra Large
- **Temperament:** Active
- **Fertility Percentage:** 60-75%
- **Broody:** Setters
- **Mating Ratio:** 7 Females to 1 Male
- **Roost Height:** 2+ feet
- **Country of Origin:** North America
- **TLC:** Watch Status
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November 24, 2025

Via First Class Mail and Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested

Ashley Webster and Jed Kanooth

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██████████

Re: Determination of Whether Dogs Chased or Harmed Livestock

Dear Ashley Webster and Jed Kanooth:

On November 6, 2025, Columbia County (the “County”) received a report that your two dogs identified and photographed in the attached Incident Report chased several turkeys and harmed one of the turkey while on the property of the turkeys’ owners at ██████████. Based on evidence that the dogs chased several turkeys and harmed one of the turkeys, the dogs were impounded by Columbia County Animal Control pursuant to ORS 609.155(1).

A copy of the Community Animal Officer’s report that describes the incident is enclosed. Also enclosed is a copy of ORS 609.125 through 609.190, which describes the procedures the County must follow and the possible penalties that could be imposed if it is determined your dogs have chased or harmed livestock.

Pursuant to ORS 609.155(3), the County is required to make a determination as to whether your dogs have been engaged in chasing or harming livestock. Before the County makes that determination, however, you may request a hearing in accordance with ORS 609.156. The County must receive your request for a hearing on or before December 8, 2025. If you do not make a timely request for a hearing, it will be conclusively presumed that you have admitted the matter alleged and the County may take immediate action under ORS 609.162 and 609.163, including imposing a fine of up to \$1,000.00 per dog under ORS 609.162 with the potential for enhanced penalties under ORS 609.163. In addition, the County may require that the dog be removed to a location where it does not present a threat to livestock, or require the dog to be put to death in a humane manner.

Please feel free to contact this office if you have any questions about the process outlined above.

Sincerely,



Spencer Q. Parsons
Senior Assistant County Counsel

cc: Columbia County Board of Commissioners, via email
Columbia County Animal Control, via email



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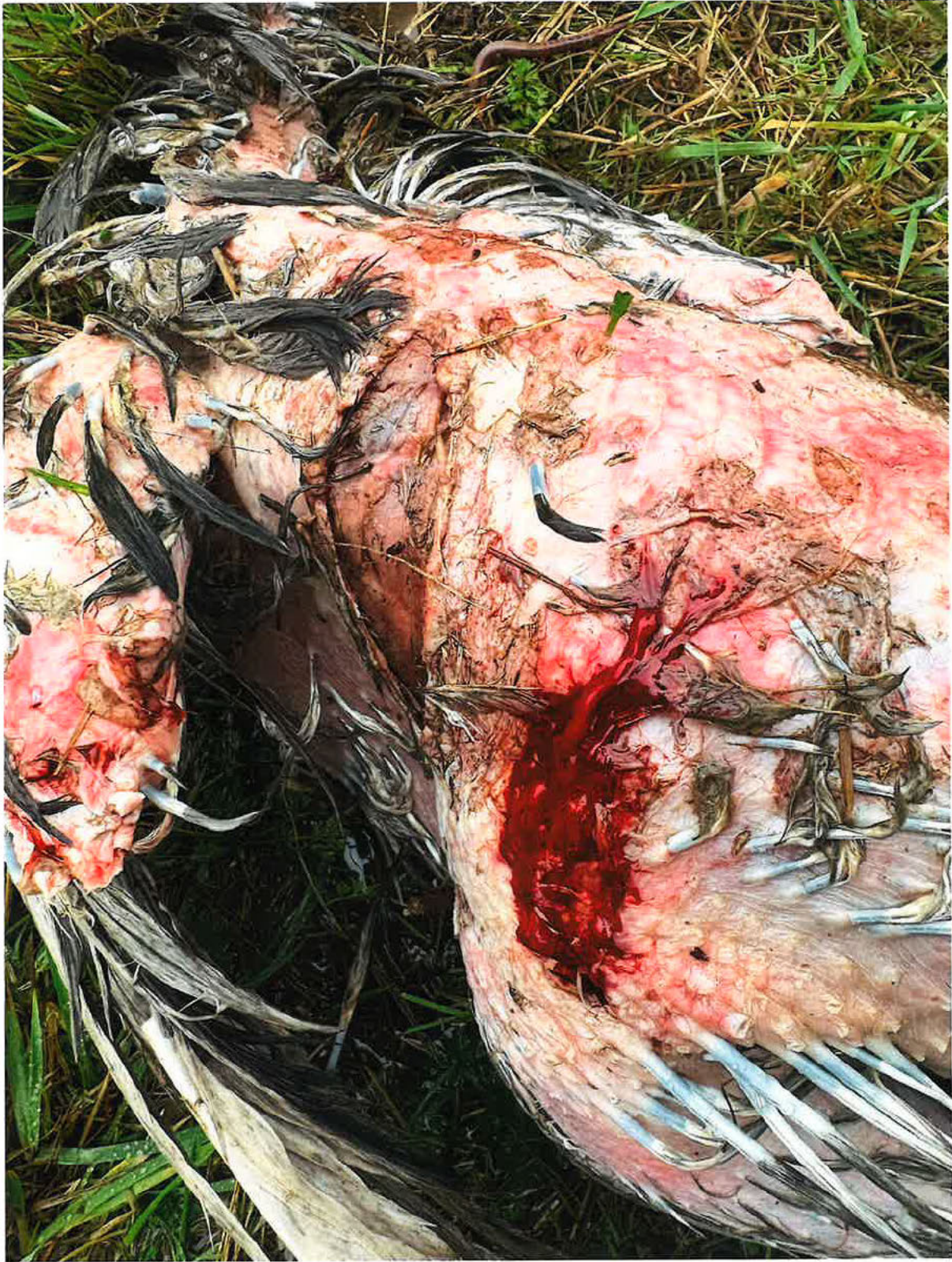
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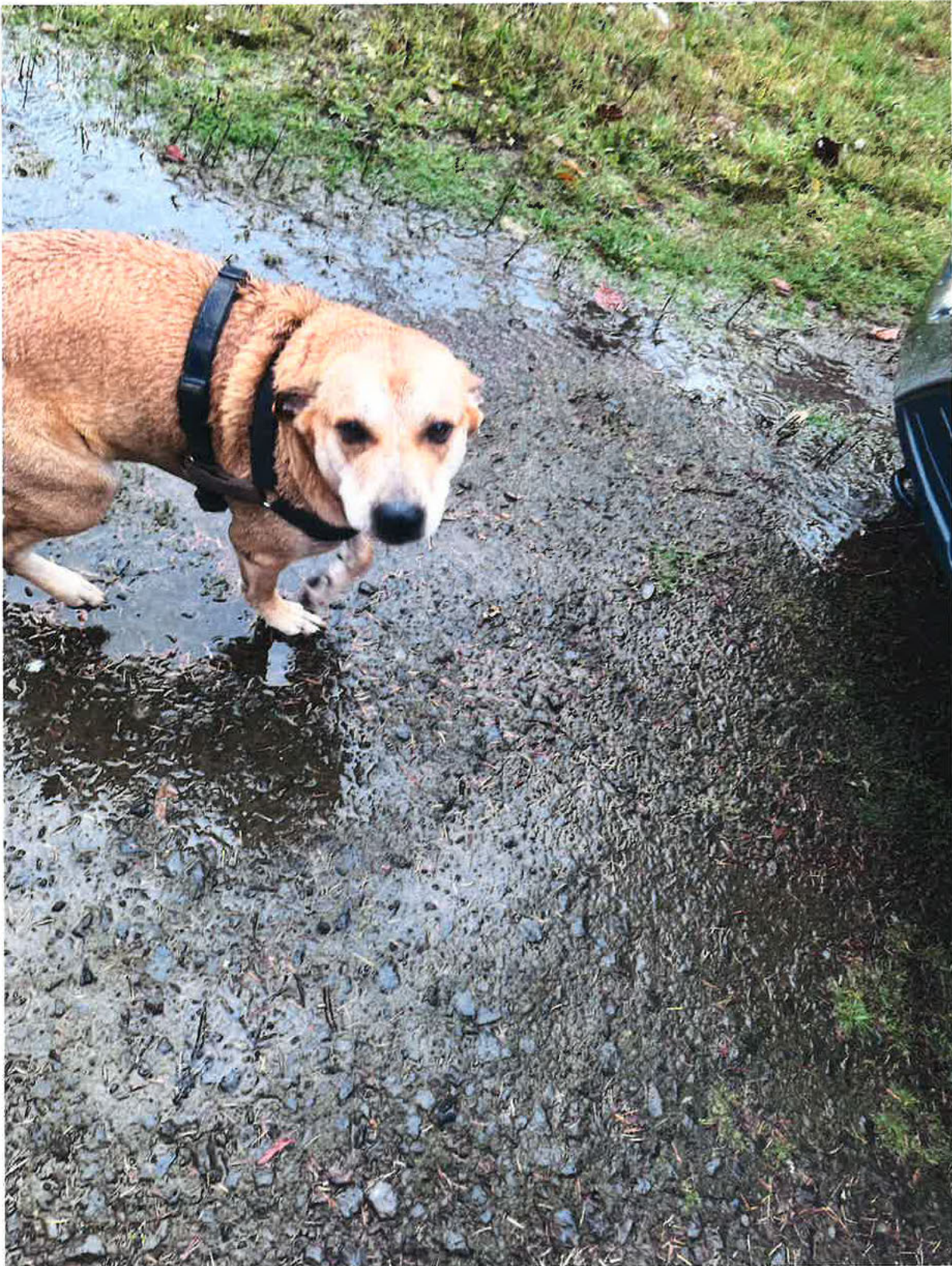
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I contacted Christina Keith on the phone at approximately 3:31 pm and informed her of the condition of the turkey. I told Christina that I can only find 2 of the 4 turkeys she said she had. Christina provided consent for me to go on the property and see if I can find the other 2 turkeys. Deputy Johnson arrived at approximately 3:40 pm. Based on the conditions of the turkey, I asked if Christina would allow us to dispatch the turkey as it was suffering. Christina consented to dispatching the turkey and advised that I could place it in a bag and leave it on the front porch for her. Deputy Johnson dispatched the turkey at approximately 3:46 pm.

Deputy Johnson and I then walked around the right side and to the back of the house in an attempt to locate the 2 missing turkeys. After a few minutes, we were able to locate all the turkeys, none of which appeared to have sustained any injuries during the incident.

After the rest of the turkeys were located, I transported the two dogs, Siggy and Rollo, to the shelter where I placed them in an isolation kennel.

On 11/13/2025, at approximately 11:25 am, I contact Gary Newberry who reported this incident. Gary told me that he was driving home past Christina's house and saw the two dogs thrashing over the turkey. Gary pulled in and yelled at the dogs to go away and get off the property. Gary said they chased another turkey then he was able to get them off the property. He notified Christina of the incident. Gary told me that he did get a video of the attack and will be providing the video to me via text message.

On 11/13/2025, Christina told me that the other 3 turkeys were unharmed. Christina told me that she purchased the turkey eggs for \$10 but advised that the adult birds are worth between \$75 to \$100 because of the rare color. Included with this report are copies of several websites selling this type of turkey or similar. The price for a turkey is estimated to be \$17.99 to \$22.00 while a turkey egg is estimated to be around \$8.00.

Action Taken:

Ashley Webster was served an impound notice per ORS 609.155 dogs chasing or harming livestock and advised that she will be receiving a packet in the mail from the County Attorney regarding the next steps. Christina Keith would like to submit restitution for the loss of her turkey. Report is being sent to the County Attorney.

Respectfully Submitted

Keeanna Stansbury
Community Animal Officer
Columbia County Animal Control



Animal Intake Form

CAD# 250053643	DATE: 11/6/2025	Shelter ID# 25-245 & 246
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FINDER'S INFORMATION:

Name:	Address	Phone:
Location found:		

ANIMAL INFORMATION:

Name	Description (Breed, color, sex)	Tags/chip identifiers
#1 Siggy	St. Bernard White & Bro	
#2 Rollo	Labrador Mix yellow	
#3		

OWNERS INFORMATION:

Name: Ashley Webster	Address: [REDACTED]
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REASON FOR IMPOUND: Check

Stray or at large	Nuisance	Quarantine rabies	Neglect/police holds	Owner surrender	Owner arrest	Livestock attack
						X

ANIMAL BEHAVIOR INFORMATION: Medical, Bite, Aggression, or other issues.

Attacked Turkey

OFFICER HOLD: DO NOT RELEASE:

<input checked="" type="radio"/> YES / NO	Livestock attack hold
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OWNER SURRENDER: I understand that by signing this release that I am:

- The owner or lawful keeper of the animal and have the right to make decisions for the animal.
- Giving up my ownership/rights/custody to the above described animal.
- Transferring all possession rights to the animal to Columbia County.
- Acknowledging that I may be billed fees for the surrender, impound and/or quarantine of the animal by the County.
- Acknowledging that the surrender of the animal does not preclude the County from taking enforcement action against me.
- Acknowledging that the animal may be euthanized without additional notification.

Signature _____ Date _____

Officer Stansbury	Radio # 149	Date 11/6/2025	Time 1524
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COLUMBIA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Brian E. Pixley, Sheriff

ANIMAL CONTROL WARNING NOTICE

- ORS 609.060 Running at large. A dog being off the property of the owner.
- ORS 609.095 Dog as a public nuisance. Class B violation.
 - ___ Trespassing upon the property of another person.
 - ___ Damaging or destroying property of another person.
 - ___ Disturbing any person by frequent or prolonged noise (barking)
 - ___ Chases person or vehicles while off property of owner.
 - ___ Causes physical injury to a person (Bite)
 - ___ Menaces another person by lunging, growling, snarling or other behaviors that place Person in fear for their personal safety.

ORS 609.100 Unlicensed and or unvaccinated dog.

ORS 167 Animal Abandonment and/or neglect allegations.
___ Please call animal control office at 503-366-4614 upon receipt of this notice and leave a message advising receipt of this notice. This is a **time sensitive notice** and delays in response may result in seizure of the animals and charges being filed.

ORS 609.090 Notice of animal impoundment *ORS 609.150 Harming/Chasing Livestock*

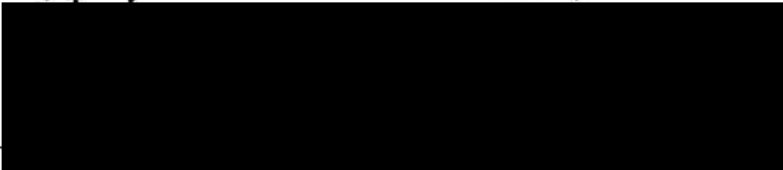
___ A release for the animal must be obtained by contacting the Sheriff Office front desk located at 901 Port Ave Saint Helens Oregon.

d To discuss redemption of the animal, you will need to contact the Animal Control Officer by contact dispatch at 503-397-1521.

Location posted: Given to Ashley Webster

Officer: Stansbury Date: 11/6/05 Time 1524

CAD: 250053643



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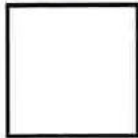
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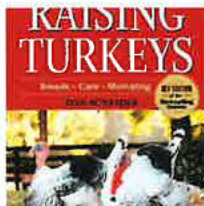
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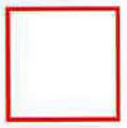


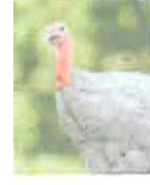
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Breed Facts

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Tom-----23 lbs
- **Purpose and Type:** Egg Laying and Meat; Exhibition
- **Egg Color:** Off White with brown specks
- **Egg Production:** Poor
- **Egg Size:** Large to Extra Large
- **Temperament:** Active
- **Fertility Percentage:** 60-75%
- **Broody:** Setters
- **Mating Ratio:** 7 Females to 1 Male
- **Roost Height:** 2+ feet
- **Country of Origin:** North America
- **TLC:** Watch Status
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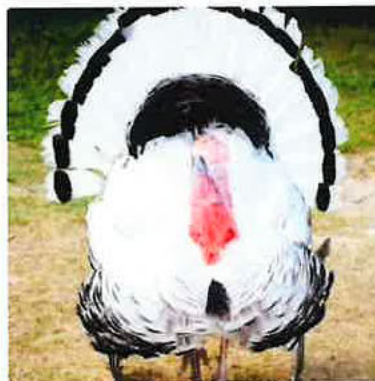
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DOGS HARMING LIVESTOCK

609.125 Definition of “livestock.” As used in ORS 609.135 to 609.190, “livestock” means ratites, psittacines, horses, mules, jackasses, cattle, llamas, alpacas, sheep, goats, swine, domesticated fowl and any fur-bearing animal bred and maintained commercially or otherwise, within pens, cages and hutches. [1999 c.756 §11]

609.130 [Repealed by 1977 c.802 §15]

609.135 Applicability of ORS 609.156, 609.162 and 609.168. (1) ORS 609.156, 609.162 and 609.168 apply in every county having a dog control program.

(2) Except as provided under subsections (1) and (3) of this section, ORS 609.135 to 609.190 apply in every county having a dog control program except as otherwise provided by county charter or ordinance. Except as provided under subsections (1) and (3) of this section, the provisions of ORS 609.135 to 609.190 do not limit the powers of cities or counties to adopt ordinances and regulations relating to the control of dogs.

(3) ORS 609.162 (2) does not eliminate or restrict the ability of a county to adopt a charter or ordinance that is contrary to ORS 609.163. Notwithstanding any county charter or ordinance, a notice of determination sent under ORS 609.156 (2) or after a full and fair hearing shall be sent as provided under ORS 609.158 (4). [1999 c.756 §9a]

609.140 Right of action by owner of damaged livestock. (1) The owner of any livestock which has been damaged by being injured, chased, wounded or killed by any dog shall have a cause of action against the owner of such dog for the damages resulting therefrom, including double the value of any livestock killed and double the amount of any damage to the livestock.

(2) If one or more of several dogs owned by different persons participate in damaging any livestock, the owners of the respective dogs shall be jointly and severally liable under this section. The owners of dogs jointly or severally liable under this section have a right of contribution among themselves. The right exists only in favor of an owner who has paid more than the pro rata share of the owner, determined by dividing the total damage by the number of dogs involved, of the common liability, and the total recovery of the owner is limited to the amount paid by the owner in excess of the pro rata share of the owner.

(3) An action brought under this section may be tried as an action at law in any court of competent jurisdiction.

(4) As used in this section:

(a) "Owner" means the head of the family of the home where the dog is cared for at the time of the damage.

(b) "Head of the family" means any person who has charge or manages the affairs of a collective body of persons residing together, the relations between whom are of a permanent and domestic character. [Amended by 1973 c.655 §7; 1975 c.749 §1]

609.150 Right to kill dog that harms or chases livestock. (1) Except as provided in subsection (3) of this section, any dog, whether licensed or not, which, while off the premises owned or under control of its owner, kills, wounds, or injures any livestock not belonging to the master of such dog, is a public nuisance and may be killed immediately by any person. However, nothing in this section applies to any dog acting under the direction of its master, or the agents or employees of such master.

(2) If any dog, not under the control of its owner or keeper, is found chasing or feeding upon the warm carcass of livestock not the property of such owner or keeper it shall be deemed, prima facie, as engaged in killing, wounding or injuring livestock.

(3) No person shall kill any dog for killing, wounding, injuring or chasing chickens upon a public place, highway or within the corporate limits of any city. [Amended by 1975 c.749 §6]

609.153 Dog owner education program. (1) The State Department of Agriculture shall coordinate the development of a program to educate dog owners concerning their responsibility to avoid conflicts between dogs and livestock. The program shall include the publication of a brochure. A discussion of penalties and other measures provided for under ORS 609.162 and 609.163 shall be included in the brochure.

(2) The obligation of the department under subsection (1) of this section is limited to the extent of any moneys specifically appropriated for that purpose or available from donations, gifts and grants by private or other nonstate sources. [1999 c.756 §10]

609.155 Impoundment for harming or chasing livestock; determination of fact; costs. (1) In a county with a dog control program, upon finding a dog engaged in killing, wounding, injuring or chasing livestock or upon receipt from a complainant of evidence that a dog has been so engaged, the dog control officer or other law enforcement officer shall impound the dog.

(2) If there is reason to believe that reasonable testing of a dog impounded pursuant to subsection (1) of this section, including but not limited to a fecal examination or examination of the teeth of the dog, will provide substantial further evidence as to whether the dog has been engaged in killing, wounding, injuring or chasing livestock, the county shall provide for the administration of the tests by a licensed veterinarian.

(3)(a) After the completion of tests administered pursuant to subsection (2) of this section and allowing an opportunity for a hearing under ORS 609.158, the county shall determine whether the dog has been engaged in killing, wounding, injuring or chasing livestock. If the county determines that the dog has been so engaged, the county shall take action as provided under ORS 609.162 and 609.163. In addition to any action taken under ORS 609.162 and 609.163, the county may require that the dog owner pay the costs of keeping and testing the dog during impoundment. If the county determines that the dog has not been engaged in killing, wounding, injuring or chasing livestock, the dog shall be released to its owner and, if the dog had been impounded upon receipt of evidence from a complainant, the complainant shall pay the costs of keeping and testing the dog during the impoundment.

(b) Notwithstanding ORS 609.090, a dog impounded pursuant to subsection (1) of this section shall not be released until a determination is made by the county pursuant to this subsection. [1975 c.749 §4; 1977 c.802 §9; 1999 c.756 §20]

609.156 Opportunity to request hearing. (1) Prior to making a determination whether a dog has killed, wounded, injured or chased livestock, a county shall provide an opportunity for the dog owner to receive a hearing. The county shall send notice of the opportunity to request a hearing in a manner that is reasonably calculated, under all the circumstances, to apprise the dog owner of the specific behavior and incident alleged and the possible penalties, and to provide the dog owner with a fair opportunity for making the hearing request.

(2) A dog owner must cause a hearing request to be delivered to the county not later than the 14th day following the sending of notice under subsection (1) of this section. If a dog owner does not make a timely request for a hearing, the dog owner is conclusively presumed to have admitted the matter alleged and the county may immediately take action under ORS 609.162 and 609.163. The county shall send notice of its determination in the manner provided under ORS 609.158 (4). [1999 c.756 §2]

609.157 [1975 c.749 §5; 1999 c.756 §21; renumbered 609.161 in 1999]

609.158 Hearing process; notice of determination; reexamination of determination. (1) A hearing may be conducted and a determination whether a dog has killed, wounded, injured or chased livestock may be made by the county governing body or any members thereof, the dog control board or any members thereof or a county hearings officer.

(2) Notwithstanding ORS 9.160 and 9.320, the county may choose to be represented at the hearing by any employee of the county. If the employee is not an attorney, the employee shall not present legal argument, examine or cross-examine witnesses, present rebuttal

evidence or give legal advice to the governing body, dog control board or hearings officer conducting the hearing.

(3) The person presiding at the hearing shall ensure that the record developed at the hearing shows a full and fair inquiry into the facts necessary to determine the matter alleged. A determination made by a county following a hearing must be upon consideration of the whole record and supported by reliable, probative and substantial evidence.

(4) The county shall notify the dog owner of its determination and of any civil penalties or other measures imposed by delivering or mailing a copy to the dog owner or, if applicable, the attorney of the dog owner.

(5) If a hearing is not conducted by a majority of the county governing body, the owner may request that the county governing body reexamine the determination. If the county governing body does not grant the request for reexamination within 14 days, the request shall be deemed denied. A county governing body may not reexamine a determination if a petition for judicial review of the determination has been filed. [1999 c.756 §3]

609.160 [Amended by 1975 c.499 §2; 1999 c.756 §22; renumbered 609.169 in 1999]

609.161 Disputable presumption that dog harms or chases livestock. For purposes of ORS 609.135 to 609.190, a disputable presumption shall arise that a dog has been engaged in killing, wounding, injuring or chasing livestock if:

(1) The dog is found chasing livestock not the property of the owner of the dog in an area where freshly damaged livestock are found;

(2) The dog is found feeding upon a warm carcass of a livestock animal;

(3) An examination of the dog's feces indicates ingestion of portions of the anatomy or covering of the anatomy of livestock by the dog; or

(4) Portions of the anatomy or covering of the anatomy of livestock are found on the teeth of the dog, unless the dog is regularly used for the purpose of herding sheep.

[Formerly 609.157]

609.162 Guidelines for imposing remedial measures, civil penalties or other sanctions. (1) If a county determines under ORS 609.156 (2) or after a full and fair hearing that a dog has engaged in killing, wounding, injuring or chasing livestock, the county shall take action in accordance with the following guidelines:

(a) If the dog has engaged in chasing livestock and has not previously killed, wounded, injured or chased livestock:

(A) The county shall take reasonable measures to prevent a recurrence. Reasonable measures include, but are not limited to, requiring that the dog owner take specific measures to adequately confine the dog and provide a notarized written pledge that the owner will prevent the dog from chasing livestock again; and

(B) The county may impose a civil penalty of not more than \$500.

(b) If the dog has engaged in chasing livestock and has previously killed, wounded, injured or chased livestock, or if the dog has engaged in wounding or injuring livestock and has not previously killed, wounded, injured or chased livestock, the county shall impose a civil penalty of not less than \$250 and not more than \$1,000. In addition to imposing the civil penalty, the county may:

(A) Require the dog owner to surrender the dog for adoption by a new owner approved by the county;

(B) Require the owner to remove the dog to a location where, in the opinion of the county, the dog does not present a threat to livestock; or

(C) Require that the dog be put to death in a humane manner. Before requiring that a dog be put to death under this subparagraph, the county shall make specific findings on the record that other measures are not available, are not adequate to remedy the problem or are otherwise unsuitable.

(c) If the dog has engaged in wounding or injuring livestock and has previously killed, wounded, injured or chased livestock, or if the dog has engaged in killing livestock and has not previously killed livestock, the county shall impose a civil penalty of not less than \$500 and not more than \$1,000. In addition to imposing the civil penalty, the county shall:

(A) Require the dog owner to remove the dog to a location where, in the opinion of the county, the dog does not present a threat to livestock; or

(B) Require that the dog be put to death in a humane manner.

(d) If the dog has engaged in killing livestock and the dog has previously killed livestock, the county shall impose a civil penalty of not less than \$500 and not more than \$1,000. In addition to imposing the civil penalty, the county shall require that the dog be put to death in a humane manner.

(2) In establishing the history of a dog for purposes of this section, or the history of an owner for purposes of ORS 609.163, a county shall consider all known determinations involving the dog or owner by any court, or by a governing body, official or agency of any

local or state government, without regard to where or when the incident occurred. [1999 c.756 §5]

609.163 Enhanced civil penalties for habitual violators. (1) If a county assesses a civil penalty under ORS 609.162 against a dog owner who has previously been assessed a civil penalty, fine or forfeiture based upon the killing, wounding, injuring or chasing of livestock in an incident not involving the same dog or dogs as in the matter being determined, the county shall assess an additional civil penalty of not less than \$250 and not more than \$1,000.

(2) If a county assesses a civil penalty under ORS 609.162 against a dog owner who has previously been assessed two or more civil penalties, fines or forfeitures, or a combination thereof, based upon the killing, wounding, injuring or chasing of livestock in two or more incidents not involving the same dog or dogs as in the matter being determined, the county shall assess an additional civil penalty of not less than \$1,000 and not more than \$5,000. A penalty under this subsection is in lieu of a civil penalty under subsection (1) of this section.

(3) In addition to any other civil penalty under this section or ORS 609.162, if a dog that kills, wounds, injures or chases livestock is not licensed as required, the county may assess a civil penalty of not more than \$1,000. A civil penalty imposed under this subsection shall prevent imposition of a fine under ORS 609.990 for violation of ORS 609.100. [1999 c.756 §6]

609.165 Judicial review of county determination. (1) A determination issued under ORS 609.156 or 609.158 is subject to judicial review by the circuit court for the county making the determination as provided under ORS 34.010 to 34.100. Notwithstanding ORS 34.070, filing a petition for review shall automatically stay execution of the determination made by the county.

(2) Notwithstanding ORS 34.030, a petition for review must be filed no later than the 21st day following the date on which the county delivered or mailed its determination in accordance with ORS 609.158 (4). The filing of a request for reexamination under ORS 609.158 (5) does not act to toll the time for filing a petition for judicial review. However, if a county governing body reexamines the determination, the time for filing a petition for judicial review shall be extended through the 21st day following the date that the result of the reexamination is delivered or mailed.

(3) If the court reverses the decision of the county, the court shall make special findings of fact based upon the evidence in the record and conclusions of law indicating clearly all aspects in which the county's procedure or determination was in error. [1999 c.756 §4]

609.166 Record of penalized owners. (1) When a civil penalty is assessed against a dog owner under ORS 609.162 or 609.163, the county shall supply the State Department of Agriculture with information identifying the dog owner. The department shall supply the counties with forms for recording the information.

(2) The department shall maintain the record of a penalized dog owner for a reasonable period and shall make the record available to any county upon request.

(3) The county and the department may charge reasonable fees to the dog owner to cover the cost of conducting and administering the dog owner information program. [1999 c.756 §8]

609.167 Conversion of civil penalty into lien; disposition of proceeds. (1) Moneys collected from a dog owner under ORS 609.162 or 609.163 shall be deposited in the county treasury.

(2) A civil penalty under ORS 609.162 or 609.163 is a penalty against the person owning the dog at the time that the dog killed, wounded, injured or chased livestock. The penalty may not be transferred to a subsequent owner of the dog.

(3) When a county assesses a civil penalty under ORS 609.162 or 609.163, if the amount of penalty is not paid within 21 days after delivery or mailing of the determination, the county may record the penalty with the county clerk of any county of this state. The clerk shall thereupon record in the County Clerk Lien Record the name of the person incurring the penalty. However, the county shall not record a penalty with a county clerk while a request for reexamination or petition for judicial review is pending.

(4) In addition to any other remedy provided by law, recording an order in the County Clerk Lien Record pursuant to this section has the effect provided for in ORS 205.125 and 205.126, and the order may be enforced as provided in ORS 205.125 and 205.126.

(5) Imposition of a civil penalty under ORS 609.162 or 609.163 does not prevent the bringing of an action for damages under ORS 609.140 or 609.190. A determination by the county that a dog has killed, wounded, injured or chased livestock is prima facie evidence of the matter in a subsequent action under ORS 609.140 but not in an action under ORS 609.190. [1999 c.756 §7]

609.168 Microchip identification of dog; rules. (1) A county shall implant an identifying microchip into a dog described in ORS 609.162 that is not put to death. Implantation shall be made prior to any adoption or relocation of the dog. The State Department of Agriculture, by rule, shall prescribe standards for microchip implantation. The county

making an implantation shall forward the microchip information and the record of the dog to the department.

(2) The department shall maintain the record for a dog implanted with a microchip under this section for a reasonable period and shall make the record available to any county upon request.

(3) The county and the department may charge reasonable fees to the dog owner to cover the cost of conducting and administering the microchip implantation program. [1999 c.756 §9]

609.169 Keeping dog with knowledge that it has harmed livestock. (1) Except as provided under subsections (2) and (3) of this section, a person may not own, harbor or keep any dog with knowledge that it has killed, wounded or injured livestock within this state or, with knowledge that, while off the premises owned or under the control of its owner and while not acting under the direction of its master or the agents or employees of such master, it has killed or seriously injured any person.

(2) A person is not prohibited from owning, harboring or keeping a dog pursuant to a county approved adoption or relocation of a dog under ORS 609.162 (1)(b) or (c).

(3) A person is not prohibited from owning, harboring or keeping a dog, with knowledge that it has killed or wounded chickens, unless the dog owner fails to pay full damages for the killed or wounded chickens within three days after receipt of a demand for those damages from the owner of the chickens. [Formerly 609.160]

609.170 Claim by owner of livestock. In a county with a dog control program the owner of any livestock killed, wounded, chased or injured by any dog may, within 10 days after the killing, wounding, chasing or injuring occurred, or became known to the owner, present to the dog control board or county governing body a verified statement containing a full account of the incident, stating in detail the amount of damage claimed on account thereof, and the name and address of the owner or keeper of the dog, if known. The claim shall be supported by the affidavit of at least one disinterested person as to all material facts contained in it. [Amended by 1953 c.640 §2; 1975 c.749 §7; 1977 c.802 §10]

609.180 Hearing and payment of claims. All claims presented as provided by ORS 609.170 shall be heard at the first regular session of the dog control board or county governing body after their presentation, or as soon thereafter as may be practicable. If the board or governing body determines that any livestock has been damaged by being killed, wounded, injured or chased, it shall file and enter a record of the value of the livestock and order a warrant drawn for the amount of damages thus found, or any portion thereof that it considers just, to be paid by the county treasurer out of the Dog License Fund. A livestock

owner may refuse to accept the tendered payment and may withdraw a claim filed under ORS 609.170. If the dog control board or county governing body considers the claim unjust, it shall disallow the claim and enter that fact upon its record. A claim may not be allowed where it appears that the damage complained of was caused by a dog owned or controlled by the claimant or the agent of the claimant. [Amended by 1975 c.749 §8; 1977 c.802 §11; 1999 c.756 §23]

609.190 Subrogation of county paying claim; collection by district attorney. In each case where a claim against the Dog License Fund of any county has been paid by the dog control board or county governing body, the county shall be subrogated to all the rights of the livestock owner against the dog owner for damages. The district attorney shall proceed promptly, in a lawful way, to collect for those damages. Any money so collected shall be paid over immediately to the treasurer of the county and credited to the Dog License Fund. [Amended by 1975 c.749 §9; 1977 c.802 §12; 1999 c.756 §24]

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December 4, 2025

Via Email, First Class Mail and Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested

Ashley Webster and Jed Kanooth



Subject: In the Matter of a Livestock Attack by Dogs Owned by Ashley Webster and Jed Kanooth

NOTICE OF HEARING

December 17, 2025, 10:00 AM

John Gumm Building and Conference Center

251 St. Helens Street

St. Helens, Oregon 97051

Dear Ashley Webster and Jed Kanooth:

Columbia County has received your request for a hearing on the above-referenced matter to determine whether your dogs have engaged in killing, wounding, injuring or chasing livestock under ORS 609.125 – 609.190.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners will hold a hearing on the matter in accordance with ORS 609.125 – 609.190 at the time and place noted above. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions about the hearing process.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Spencer Q. Parsons".

Spencer Q. Parsons
Senior Assistant County Counsel

cc: Columbia County Board of Commissioners, via email
Columbia County Animal Control, via email
Christina Keith, via First Class Mail
Gary Newberry, via First Class Mail

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December 10, 2025

Via Email, First Class Mail and Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested

Ashley Webster and Jed Kanooth

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Subject: In the Matter of a Livestock Attack by Dogs Owned by Ashley Webster and Jed Kanooth

NOTICE OF HEARING

December 23, 2025, 10:00 AM

John Gumm Building and Conference Center

251 St. Helens Street

St. Helens, Oregon 97051

Dear Ashley Webster and Jed Kanooth:

Columbia County has received your request to reschedule the hearing on the above-referenced matter to determine whether your dogs have engaged in killing, wounding, injuring or chasing livestock under ORS 609.125 – 609.190.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners will hold a hearing on the matter in accordance with ORS 609.125 – 609.190 at the time and place noted above. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions about the hearing process.

Sincerely,

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PROOF OF ACCEPTANCE
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PRODUCED DATE: 12/13/2025

COLUMBIA COUNTY:

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ASHLEY WEBSTER AND JED KANOOTH

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Officer Recommendations

Date: 12/18/2025

Dog Owner: Ashley Webster & Jed Kanooth

Dogs: Siggy, intact female St. Bernard white and tan
Rollo, neutered male Labrador Mix yellow

The County Animal Control program through its Community Animal Officer Keeanna Stansbury, in the matter involving the two dogs: Siggy and Rollo who were found harming chasing livestock.

Makes the following recommendations:

1. That the County find that on 11/6/2025, Siggy and Rollo committed the act of chasing harming livestock by chasing and harming turkeys at [REDACTED]. Whereas 3 turkeys remained unharmed, and 1 turkey was dispatched due to its injuries sustained by the dogs.
2. That the County find that Siggy and Rollo had no priors for chasing/harming/killing livestock.
3. That the County find that the investigation determined that Siggy and Rollo were unlicensed at the time of the incident.
4. That the County find that from the Community Animal Officers investigation, finds that on 9/16/2025 the dogs, Siggy and Rollo, were running at large, impounded, and brought to the shelter.
5. That the owner Ashley Webster was provided an impound notice on 11/6/2025.
6. That the owners, Ashley Webster and Jed Kanooth, remove both Siggy and Rollo to a location where, in the opinion of the county, the dog(s) do not present a threat to livestock.
7. That the Shelters observations of the dogs are that they both are placeable dogs and would be candidates to remove from the property in compliance to ORS 609.162(1)(c) whereas the dogs would be placed where they do not present a threat to livestock.
8. That the County order restitution to be paid to Christina Keith for the loss of her turkey in the amount of \$25.00.
9. That the County order restitution be paid to Columbia County Animal Control for impound and boarding fees in the amount of \$1,940.00.
10. That the County order a minimum fine in the amount of \$500 per dog. 609.162 (d) and that this fine be enhanced under ORS 609.163 to \$1000 per dog due to the dogs being unlicensed.