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**Dangerous Dog Investigations
TEXAS HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE
CHAPTER 822. REGULATION OF ANIMALS
SUBCHAPTER D. DANGEROUS DOGS**

Section 822.041. Definitions

"Dangerous dog" means a dog that:

(A) Makes an unprovoked attack on a person that causes bodily injury and occurs in a place other than an enclosure in which the dog was being kept and that was reasonably certain to prevent the dog from leaving the enclosure on its own; or

(B) Commits unprovoked acts in a place other than an enclosure in which the dog was being kept and that was reasonably certain to prevent the dog from leaving the enclosure on its own and those acts cause a person to reasonably believe that the dog will attack and cause bodily injury to that person.

In order to open a Dangerous Dog case a sworn statement is required from the person making the complaint. The statement must contain a description of the event(s) that caused the complainant to believe the dog in question to be dangerous as defined in the Texas Health and Safety Code Chapter 822. Enclosed is an affidavit for you to complete so that we can properly respond to your request. The affidavit must be notarized, as it will be used as evidence.

Notarized affidavits may be mailed to:
Montgomery County Animal Services
8535 State Hwy 242
Conroe, Texas, 77385
Attention: Animal Control Management

The affidavits may also be brought to MCAS during our business hours at:
8535 State Hwy 242
Conroe, Texas, 77385
Hours: 11:30am to 5:00pm Tuesday – Sunday

Please mention your case number, if any, to the Customer Service staff and ask for an Animal Control Supervisor to process your request. If on a weekend, inform the Customer Service staff you are leaving an affidavit for the Animal Control Supervisor.

If there are any questions you may contact:

Dana Coiner at 936-442-4236
Animal.Services@mctx.org
8:00 am to 5:00pm Monday through Friday

Thank you for your assistance in this investigation.