

**10-4-6: - FOWL AND LIVESTOCK:**

1. Housing: All fowl and livestock shall be kept within a pen, coop, building or other enclosure sufficient in size and strength to confine such animals to the owner's property, except that livestock may be tethered securely to a fixed object outside the enclosure, but only if the animal is so confined to the owner's property. A permit shall be obtained from the City of Naperville prior to the construction, addition, or modification of any pen, coop, building or other enclosure used for the purposes of housing fowl or livestock.
2. Zoning: Fowl and livestock may be kept in any area in the City except as otherwise provided by this Chapter or the City's Zoning Ordinance. <sup>[8]</sup>
3. Restrictions:
  - 3.1. A maximum of eight (8) fowl shall be permitted on any property. Roosters shall be prohibited.
  - 3.2. No livestock shall be kept, housed, maintained, or pastured within a distance of two hundred (200) feet of any occupied residence other than that of the owner.
  - 3.3. No pen, coop, building or other enclosure used for the purpose of housing fowl (with the exception of homing pigeons) shall be erected or maintained within thirty (30) feet of any occupied residence other than that of the owner.
  - 3.4. Every person maintaining a pen, coop, building, yard or enclosure for fowl or livestock shall keep such area clean and sanitary at all times. Any dirt or refuse resulting from the fowl or livestock shall be disposed in a clean and sanitary fashion.
  - 3.5. All feed for fowl or livestock shall be kept in containers that are rodent-proof until put out for consumption by fowl or livestock.
  - 3.6. Any pen, coop, or other structure used for the purpose of housing fowl that is not fully-enclosed shall be screened to a height of six (6) feet. Said screening shall be comprised of fences or walls six (6) feet in height, landscaping of at least seventy-five percent (75%) opacity, such as non-deciduous plantings, or equivalent screening and shall be located either along the perimeter of the lot where the pen, coop, building or other enclosure used for the purpose of housing fowl is located, or around the perimeter of the pen, coop, or enclosure itself.

(Ord. No. 12-013, § 2, 2-7-2012)

**Editor's note**— Section 3 of Ord. No. 12-013 states the following: "Any housing for fowl or livestock lawfully established prior to February 7, 2012 shall be permitted to continue operating in accordance with provisions of law and the Municipal Code related to nonconforming uses for a six-month period expiring August 8, 2012. Upon completion of the amortization period, all housing for fowl or livestock shall operate in compliance with the provisions of Section 10-4-6 (Fowl and Livestock)."

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*See Title 6 of this Code.*