

**Notice**

**Read this before you sign:**

By signing this log, you are stating that at the times indicated on the log, the noise of the particular dog complained of was loud and objectionable or disturbed you personally. If a summons is issued and a trial set, you, and any witnesses, will be required to testify based on your verification of the evidence contained in this log.

Complainant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

It is my wish to have a (circle one): Warning or Summons issued to the owner/custodian of the dog causing the Public Nuisance.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Witness #1 Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Witness #2 Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

<b>office use only</b>
Case #: _____
Officer: _____



# Lexington County Animal Services

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## Public Nuisance Log

A person wishing to have a summons issued against the owner of an animal creating a nuisance by making loud objectionable noises must first maintain an Animal Public Nuisance Log. A detailed, specific, and accurately kept log means a better chance of success if the case should be challenged in court. Successful prosecution of the animal owner is the most effective manner to resolve the nuisance problem. Once we receive a completed log, an investigation will be conducted. If sufficient evidence exists, a summons will be issued to the animal owner. If a summons is issued, the complainant and or witnesses will be required to appear in court to testify.

### Lexington County Ordinance Chapter 10 Sec. 10-31

*Public nuisance* means any dog found at large or making loud or objectionable sounds.

### Lexington County Ordinance Chapter 10 Sec. 10-34(G)

It shall be unlawful for any person to keep upon his premises any dog that is deemed a public nuisance.

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