

San Diego 10, Calif
2312 Chicago St.
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San Diego City Council,
San Diego, California.
Dear Sirs,

I am writing you in regard to the new ordinance concerning dogs. I think this new law is not only unfair to the dogs but cruel as well. I think the law concerning dogs that we now have is adequate. I am a firm believer in the Golden Rule and I do think our pets should be considered in this manner as well as humans.

If a person or a pet does something he should not or is against our laws I certainly think he should be punished but certainly not before the crime is committed.

Under no circumstances would I keep a pet chained or leashed all day as I can think of no more inhuman treatment and as to keeping them fenced in, well, that, in my opinion, is nearly as cruel. That is, if fencing material were able to obtain. So far my husband and I have only been able to find packing boxes, of which the sellers want three prices

you if they are already un-
nailed but will sell them
for a bargain at only twice
what they are really worth if
you want to take the crates
and boxes "as is".

I do hope you won't
consider me just "another crank,"
for writing you this letter
but I'm sure that whatever
laws you deem necessary
to pass should be for the
bettering of the Community
and all concerned. And as a
home owner and taxpayer
I think this is my duty,
as a dog lover to let you
know just how I feel.

Yours truly,
Wilma Protwell

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FRED W. SICK, City Clerk

By Clark M. Foote, Deputy

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COMMUNICATION

FROM

Wilma Costwell

relative to Ordinance

regulating the keeping

of dogs.

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