## NEW DOG CHAINING LAWS

## AS OF JULY 1, 2013, CT PROHIBITS DOG CHAINING UNDER EACH OF THE FOLLOWING CIRCUMSTANCES:

A WEATHER ADVISORY OR WARNING IS ISSUED BY LOCAL, STATE OR FEDERAL AUTHORITIES, SUCH AS SEVERE THUNDERSTORM WATCH, TORNADO WARNING, HEAT ADVISORY, WIND CHILL ADVISORY, WINTER STORM WARNING,

SEVERE WEATHER SUCH AS HEAT, COLD, WIND, RAIN, SNOW OR HAIL THAT POSES A RISK TO THE HEALTH OR SAFETY OF A DOG BASED ON BREED, AGE OR PHYSICAL CONDITION.

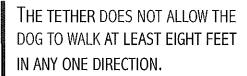
THE TETHER DOES NOT HAVE SWIVELS ON BOTH ENDS TO PREVENT TWISTING AND TANGLING, UNLESS A PERSON IS IN THE PRESENCE OF THE DOG.



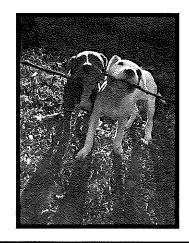




THE TETHER ALLOWS A DOG TO REACH AN OBJECT OR HAZARD LIKE A WINDOWSILL, EDGE OF A POOL, FENCE, PUBLIC ROAD OR HIGHWAY, OR PORCH RAILING THAT POSES A RISK OF INJURY, UNLESS A PERSON IS IN THE PRESENCE OF THE DOG.







THE DOG IS TETHERED USING A COAT HANGER, CHOKE COLLAR, PRONG-TYPE COLLAR, HEAD HALTER OR ANY OTHER COLLAR, HALTER OR DEVICE THAT IS NOT SPECIFICALLY DESIGNED FOR A DOG.



IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE CHAINING LAWS, OR WISH TO REPORT A POTENTIAL VIOLATION, PLEASE CONTACT YOUR LOCAL ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER.

