



dogs in neighborhood

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Hello neighbors,

We moved in at 2521 N. Fritz in October and have a small beagle mix that we walk twice a day. We moved in with zero intention of having conflict with neighbors but the situation with your non-leashed dog charging ours on the street has become consistently problematic.

As you know, this is a small neighborhood so as to give our dog variety and activity, we use the whole of the neighborhood. This involves passing your house. We are frequently charged by your dog (occasionally, dogs). I have looked for a person in the yard to speak with but other than someone calling from the doorway, I have not seen anyone until this morning. This morning, the dog was MUCH more aggressive than usual, getting very close and positioning so that she was "sneaking" from behind. My practice has been to yell sternly at the dog and on more than one occasion, carry my dog until we are well clear of your property. This morning, as I was using a mobility scooter, this was more difficult. The dog was not responsive to being called back.

Obviously, this situation is unsustainable. It is also in violation of city code regarding dogs. Closing your gate does not solve the situation as the dog simply exits the yard at one of the fence ends. I have experienced this on plenty of occasions.

Please enclose your fence or leash your dog. We should be able to walk our dog on our street without this happening. I am going to make animal control reports on any future occasions. Again, I am not interested in conflict but this has been a consistent and persistent problem since we moved in and I am bereft of other ideas.

Thanks and feel free to call if you want to discuss this further.

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