ORDINANCE NO. 7
Series 2009

June 16, 2009: Introduced as Council Bill 9, Series 2009 by Mayor Pro Tem Russell Stewart, seconded
by Councilmember Harriet LaMair, and considered by the title only on first reading. Passed by a vote of 6
yes and 0 no.

July 7, 2009: Considered in full text on second reading. Passed by a vote of 4 yes and 0 no.

A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE
OF THE CITY OF CHERRY HILLS VILLAGE
AMENDING CHAPTER 7
OF THE CHERRY HILLS VILLAGE MUNICIPAL CODE
BY AMENDING SECTION 7-5-50,
CONCERNING PROHIBITED AND RESTRICTED ANIMALS

WHEREAS, the City of Cherry Hills Village is a home rule municipal corporation
organized in accordance with Article XX of the Colorado Constitution; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has adopted a comprehensive Coyote Management Plan to
provide guidelines for responses to conflicts with coyotes; and

WHEREAS, the Coyote Management Plan incorporates the prohibition of feeding wild
animals; and

WHEREAS, the feeding of coyotes and other such wild animals causes those animals to
associate humans with food and as a result become demanding and/or aggressive toward
humans.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHERRY HILLS
VILLAGE, COLORADO, ORDAINS:

Section 1. That Section 7-5-50 of the Cherry Hills Village Municipal Code, concerning
prohibited and restricted animals, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 7-5-50. Prohibited and restricted animals.

(a) Prohibited animals:

(1) It shall be unlawful for any person to own, possess, maintain, feed, shelter, or
trade in or have custody of, sell, or trade any of the following species of animals:

a. All poisonous snakes, poisonous reptiles and nonpoisonous snakes with
   a length greater than six (6) feet;

b. Nonhuman primates;

c. Any species of feline other than ordinary domesticated house cats;

d. Bears of any species;

e. All crocodilians;

f. Raccoons, porcupines, skunks, badgers or other like species;

g. Foxes, wolves, coyotes or other species of canines other than dogs; or

h. Any other animal that is not indigenous to the State or is not classified as
   a domestic animal.

Section 2. Severability. If any provision of this Ordinance should be found by a court of
competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the remaining portions or
applications of this ordinance that can be given effect without the invalid portion, provided that
such remaining portions or applications of this ordinance are not determined by the court to be
inoperable. The City Council declares that it would have adopted this Ordinance and each
section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion thereof, despite the fact that any one
or more section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion be declared invalid.

Section 3. Effective date. This Ordinance shall become effective ten (10) days after
publication on second reading in accordance with Section 4.5 of the Charter for the City of Cherry Hills Village.

Adopted as Ordinance No. 7 Series 2009, by the City Council of the City of Cherry Hills Village, Colorado this 7th day of July, 2009.

Michael J. Woźniak, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jessica Sager, Deputy City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Kenneth S. Fellman, City Attorney

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