

Dane County Humane Society Board of Directors Position Statement Dangerous Dogs

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Dangerous Dogs

The Dane County Humane Society (DCHS) opposes putting dogs that are known to be vicious or dangerous back into the community. Dangerous dogs are those that:

- Have attacked humans or other animals or behaved in a terrorizing manner without being provoked, or
- Have been trained or used for fighting with other animals and cannot be rehabilitated.

DCHS supports placement into a sanctuary environment for these dogs only if that environment provides humane treatment, thus ensuring both physical and mental wellness, of the dogs, for the extent of their lifetime.

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