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Davis family questions designation after pit bull bites neighbor.

The owners of a dog deemed dangerous don't think she is.

For the second time in a row, Joseph and Krista Davis approached the Gothenburg City Council about their pit bull that bit a neighbor on July 7 which required a visit to the emergency room.

At the time of the incident, the neighbor—Adam Hays—was trying to separate his dog from the Davis pet.

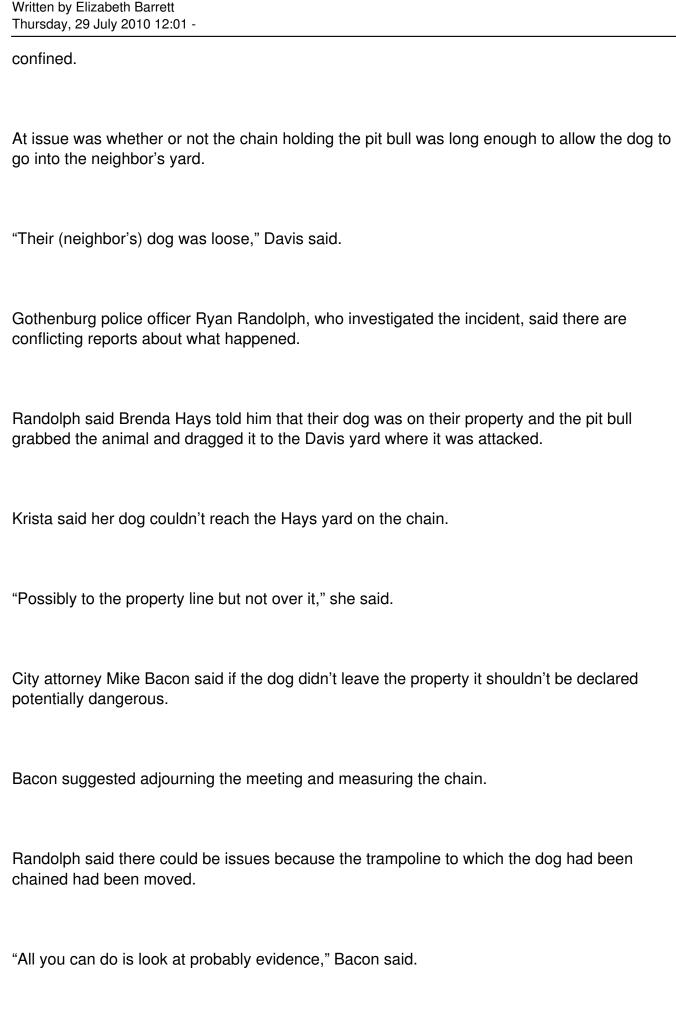
Under city code, dogs or other animals are declared dangerous when they:

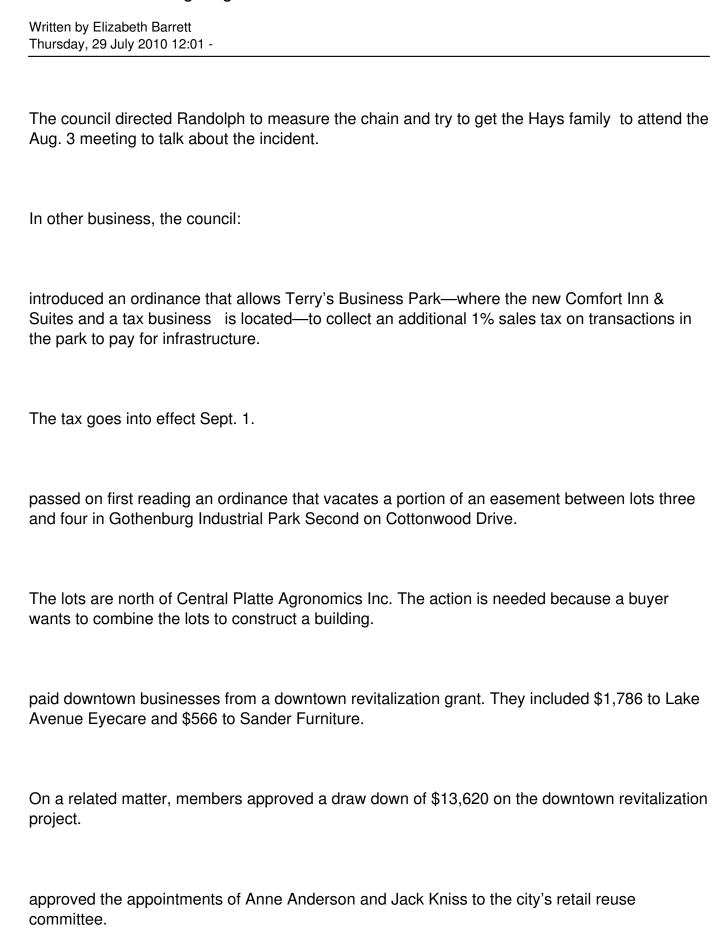
inflict severe injury on a human being without provocation on public or private property;

kill a domestic animal without provocation while off the owner's property;

Been previously found to be potentially dangerous, the owner having received notice of the finding and the dog or other animal again aggressively bites, attacks or endangers the safety of humans or domestic animals.

If declared dangerous, owners must do certain things including payment of \$250 initially and a \$100 renewal fee to the city each year, obtaining insurance and insuring the animal is properly





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gave the go-ahead to pay Terry Kruse of Kruse Construction \$19,891 and Garnold Kreft of Kreft Construction \$16,793 for specified work on homeowner grant projects.

granted requests from Monte Kenning of OK Bottle Shoppe for special designated licenses to provide alcohol at two businesses during business-after-hours events. They businesses are McMeen Physical Therapy, Aug. 13, from 5-7 p.m.; Gothenburg Tire, Aug. 20, from 5-9 p.m.

agreed to allow Frito-Lay employees to pick up trash on Cottonwood Drive. The street is on the west side of their business.

City officials said employees could use old safety vests they have and suggested obtaining large, orange trash bags from the state.