

### **5-9.5 Animal Nuisances.**

- A. It shall be unlawful for any person to permit a cat within their ownership or control to excrete feces onto any private or public property, without immediately removing and, within a reasonable time, properly disposing of such feces.
- B. Section 5-9.5, paragraph A. of this Ordinance shall not apply where the owner or occupant of private property grants permission for a cat to excrete feces on that property, provided such feces does not accumulate to such a degree that it shall create an objectionable smell or other nuisance to the public or neighboring properties. This exception shall not exempt such owners or occupants from being subject to the public nuisance, property maintenance and public health regulations of the Borough.
- C. The sanitary manner for removal of feces shall be by the placement of the removed feces in a sealed plastic bag and then further placed in said owner's own garbage or waste removal container and shall not be by placement of the feces, whether in a sealed plastic bag or not, in any garbage or waste container owned or maintained by the Borough of Mountainside or any garbage or waste container of any other person or entity, or storm sewer.