In accordance with RSA 41:11 a, the Ashland Board of Selectmen by vote on July 5, 2011 ordain as follows:

1. **Definition:**
   - **Dog** – Male or female
   - **Domestic Animal** – Any animal which is usually owned or in possession of human beings included but not limited to dogs, cats, sheep, fowl, horses, cows, lamb
   - **Service Animal** – means an animal who works for mobility impaired person or a person with a seizure disorder diagnosed by a physician [as defined by Governor’s Commission on Disability]

2. **Ordinance**
   It shall be a violation of this ordinance to have a dog or domestic animal with the exception of a service animal on the **ball field or the town beach at any time.**

3. **Violations and Penalty**
   Any owner found violating any provision of this ordinance shall be guilty of a violation and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of $50 for the first offense, $100 for each additional offense occurring within a 12-month period

**This ordinance shall be in effect upon the vote of the Board of Selectmen as of July 5, 2011.**
**Adopted as written by BOS vote July 25, 2011**