

I live next door to a family whose dog has been labeled as dangerous by the Franklin County Dog Warden. The dog situation has been going on for almost nine years. The neighbor's dog attacked our granddog twice, one in the street and once in our yard. This dog also attacked another neighbor's dog; the dog needed three operations which the owner paid. The dog has also attacked the delivery man for the Columbus Dispatch; we stopped delivery as we didn't want to put him in a difficult situation. Last summer the dog attacked an Amazon driver on her legs and arms ; there is a lawsuit in place. On May 5, 2025, I called the dog warden to report that the dog owner had the dog outside with no leash. The dog warden came and talked to the owner. I've seen the dog outside a few times since this incident and the dog is on a leash. There is no fence or barrier between our yards, which makes me very nervous to work in the yard, cut the grass, or sit outside on the patio. I urge the government to make some laws that protect the citizens. I feel that the dogs have more rights than us humans.

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