

IN THE SUPREME COURT  
OF THE  
STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

SUPREME COURT  
STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA  
FILED

MAY 05 2025

\* \* \* \*

*Shirley A. Johnson-Leg*  
Clerk

CITY OF STURGIS,  
Plaintiff and Appellee,

vs.

SIX IMPOUNDED DOGS,  
Defendants and Appellants.

) ORDER DIRECTING ISSUANCE OF  
) JUDGMENT OF AFFIRMANCE  
)

) #30826  
)  
)  
)  
)

-----  
The Court having, pursuant to SDCL 15-26A-87.1(A),  
considered all of the briefs filed in the above-entitled matter,  
together with the appeal record, and having concluded that it is  
manifest on the face of the briefs and the record that the appeal is  
without merit on the following grounds: 1. that the issues on appeal  
are clearly controlled by settled South Dakota law or federal law  
binding upon the states, and 2. that the issues on appeal are factual  
and there clearly is sufficient evidence to support the order below  
(SDCL 15-26A-87.1(A)(1) and (2)), now, therefore, it is

ORDERED that a judgment affirming the Order of the lower  
court be entered forthwith.

DATED at Pierre, South Dakota, this 5th day of May, 2025.

BY THE COURT:

*Steven R. Jensen*  
Steven R. Jensen, Chief Justice

ATTEST:

*[Signature]*  
Clerk of the Supreme Court  
(SEAL)

PARTICIPATING: Chief Justice Steven R. Jensen, Justices Janine M. Kern,  
Mark E. Salter, Patricia J. DeVaney and Scott P. Myren.