

# Overview of Marengo Farm Animal Requirements

## What Types of Farm Animals are Allowed?

Horses/Mules/Donkeys	Not Allowed	Cattle/Buffalo	Not Allowed
Sheep	Not Allowed	Goats	Not Allowed
Pigs	Pot-Bellied or Miniature Breeds Only	Ducks/Geese	Not Allowed
Chickens	Up To 8 Allowed	Wild Animals as Defined in Code Section 56.01(3)	Not Allowed

## Are There Any Restrictions for Chickens?

Each residentially or agriculturally zoned property can keep up to of eight (8) hens. Roosters are not allowed. Chickens must be confined in a well-ventilated coop, fowl house, or mobile coop known as a chicken tractor. If moved from the coop, the chickens must be caged in a pen designed to prevent their escape. Both shall be designed and constructed so as to be reasonably expected to prevent entry by dogs, cats, or other animals and shall be completely enclosed. The owner shall be responsible for sufficiently confining chickens to their property and prevent chickens from entering upon adjacent properties. Any coop, house, or fenced pen area shall be kept clean, sanitary, and free from accumulation of chicken excrement and objectionable odors. Food shall be stored in rodent-proof containers. Owners of any number of chickens are required to register their flock with City Hall. The cost of such registration, if any, will be set by resolution of the City Council.