

# kptv.com

## Neighbors Fear Great Danes Will Attack Again

POSTED: 6:59 pm PST November 3, 2008  
UPDATED: 7:25 pm PST November 3, 2008

**CLATSKANIE, Ore.** -- Neighbors said a man who breeds Great Danes is not keeping them secure, and they are attacking other pets -- and they worry people will be next.

On Monday, Bill Ferguson refused to talk about a couple of Great Danes seen outside his house.

A while back, when Ferguson apparently had six Great Danes on his property, a few of them got out and killed an alpaca at a neighbor's farm.

That's when Animal Control took four of them into custody, but neighbors said he is still breeding the dogs in bad conditions without adequate fencing.

Debi Sadler said last week the Danes attacked her black lab and her two white terriers.

And two of them suffered major injuries.

Sadler and her neighbors said they want the county to intervene before another pet or a person gets attacked.

"There's nothing to stop it other than us putting up a 6-foot fence. There's nothing to stop those dogs from coming onto our property and not only attacking our dogs, but our grandchildren, and it's very scary," said Sadler.

Ferguson has been cited in the past for keeping an animal known to harm livestock, but Animal Control officials said he is now following the law.

 [Neighbors Fear Great Danes Will Attack Again](#)

### Related To Story



- [Video: Neighbors Fear Great Danes Will Attack Again](#)

Copyright 2008 by [KPTV.com](#). All rights reserved.

This material may not be published, broadcast, rewritten or redistributed.