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Mail carrier injured in dog attack

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A postal worker was taken to hospital with serious leg injuries after she was attacked by a large dog yesterday on Beach Road.

Animal Control seized the dog and it will remain quarantined for 10 days, said city spokesperson Debbie Spence. That is the standard time for rabies tests.

The dog is believed to be an Azores cattle dog, sometimes known as a Portuguese Fila, Spence said.

Investigators will try to determine if the animal should be classified as a dangerous dog.

The length of the investigation will depend on when staff can speak with the victim and what she says, Spence said.

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