## MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SENIOR SERVICES

"Two Dogs" Radio Script

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(Grumpy/growling dog sounds, coffee cup being placed in saucer)

DOG #1: Oh...there...see...there it is again. (Newspaper rustles)

DOG #2: (Has heard this a thousand times) Let it go, Buster.

DOG #1: No. As a dog...I find this ad offensive.

DOG #2: They're just telling people to check their pets for ticks.

DOG #1: Yeah...but they always show a dog in the picture.

Like we're the only ones that can get ticks.

DOG #2: (Sighs) Here we go.

DOG #1: Cats get ticks. Hamsters get ticks. Oh...and what

about ferrets! Ferrets get covered with them.

(Music up and under)

ANNOUNCER: No, matter what kind of pet you have, always do a

"tick check" before they enter your home.

Learn more about preventing tick-borne diseases from your local health department or the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services online.