

ARTICLE A3.000 ANIMAL CONTROL FEES

(a) City license fee:

(1) Sterilized: \$5.00.

(2) Non-sterilized: \$10.00.

(b) Adoption fee, includes sterilization, rabies vaccination, applicable vaccinations, heartworm or Feline Triple Testing, worming, and microchip:

(1) Dog: \$140.00

(2) Cat: \$140.00

(c) **Daily Care fee:**

(1) Animal Single day: \$20.00.

(2) Each day thereafter: \$10.00.

(d) **Quarantine fee:**

(1) Cat/small dog/puppy: \$20.00 day.

(2) Dog over 50 lbs.: \$25.00 day.

(3) Any impoundment fee may be reduced if the owner agrees to have the animal rabies vaccinated, microchipped, and sterilized and the owner pays the fees related to that service.

(e) **Microchip fee:**

(1) Cat/Dog: \$20.00.

(f) **Impoundment fee (Dog or Cat):**

(1) First offense:

(A) Sterilized: \$25.00.

- (B) Unsterilized: \$75.00.
- (2) Second offense:
 - (A) Sterilized: \$50.00.
 - (B) Unsterilized: \$150.00.
- (3) Third offense
 - (A) Sterilized: \$75.00.
 - (B) Unsterilized: \$225.00
- (4) Any impoundment fee may be reduced if the owner agrees to have the animal rabies vaccinated, microchipped, and sterilized by the Animal Services Division and the owner pays the fees related to that service.
- (g) **Owner relinquish fee:**
 - (1) Single: \$25.00.
 - (2) Litter: \$45.00.
- (h) Quarantine relinquish fee:
 - (1) Single: \$50.00
 - (2) Litter: \$75.00
- (h) **Multi-pet permit:**
 - (1) Application fee: \$5.00 per pet over the pet limit.
 - (2) Annually: \$50.00 per household.
- (i) **Breeder permit:**
 - (1) Application fee: \$5.00.
 - (2) Annually: \$100.00.

(j) **Rescue permit:**

(1) Application fee: \$5.00.

(2) Annually: \$50.00.

(k) **Kennel permit:**

(1) Application fee: \$5.00.

(2) Annually: \$100.00.

(l) **Beekeeping Permit:**

(1) Application Fee: \$5.00

(2) Annually: \$50.00

(m) **Dangerous animal registration:**

(1) \$250.00 annually (\$50 mandatory fee pursuant to Tex. Health and Safety Code § 822.043 and \$200 administration fee).

(n) **Guard dog registration**

(1) Annually: \$250.00.

(o) **Owner dead animal removal:**

(1) \$40.00 per animal

(p) **Deposit for live traps:**

(1) \$50.00 (refundable).

(q) **Removal of animals from non-city traps:**

(1) \$40.00 per animal

(r) **Failure to spay or neuter:**

(1) \$281.00

- (s) The Animal Services Manager may authorize the waiver or reduction of fees for special events, activities, and certain circumstances in which the intended result is to reduce the number of animals being housed by the Animal Services Division.

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