

**ORDINANCE NO 2025-005**  
**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 10 CHAPTER 3B OF THE MUNICIPAL  
CODE OF THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS  
REGARDING DOG LICENSING**

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Thornton is a validly organized and existing Home Rule Municipality within the purview of Article VII, Section 6(a) of the Illinois Constitution (1970), and the said Village, therefore, may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs; and

**WHEREAS**, Title 10, Chapter 3, provides for Animal Regulations; and

**WHEREAS**, the President and Board of Trustees wish to amend the Village Code by increasing the Dog License fee contained in 10-3B-2F from two dollars to five dollars.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois, as follows:

**SECTION 1:** That Title 10 Chapter 3B Section 2F entitled “FEE” shall be amended and shall read as follows:

**E. Fee.** The fee for a dog license shall be \$5.

**SECTION 2: Severability.** If any provision of this Ordinance, or the application of any provision of this Ordinance, is held unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, such occurrence shall not affect other provisions of this Ordinance, or their application, that can be given effect without the unconstitutional or invalid provision or its application. Each unconstitutional or invalid provision, or application of such provision, is severable, unless otherwise provided by this Ordinance.

**SECTION 3.** All ordinances or portions thereof in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 4.**      **Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval and publication as required by law.

Passed by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

APPROVED by me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

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Maxine Reynolds  
Village President  
Village of Thornton  
Cook County, Illinois

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ATTEST:

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Nikki Katakis Village Clerk  
Village of Thornton  
Cook County, Illinois