## CITY OF BAY CITY

## **RESOLUTION 03-01**

## A RESOLUTION SETTING FEES AND PENALTIES FOR THE LICENSING OF DOGS WITHIN THE CITY OF BAY CITY

WHEREAS the City of Bay City (City) has adopted an ordinance requiring all dogs within the City to be licensed, and

WHEREAS the City desires to set fees for licensing and other related fees by way of resolution;

NOW THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Bay City resolves as follows:

1) <u>Dog License Fees</u>: Dog license fees within the City shall be valid for a calendar year and are renewable on January 1 of each year. The fees shall be as follows:

1.1)	Dog License Fee – Unneutered	\$15.00
1.2)	Dog License Fee – Neutered	\$7.50
1.3)	Duplicate License	\$5.00
1.4)	Late Licensing Penalty (additional)	\$10.00

- 2) <u>Senior Citizen Discount</u>. The fees for senior citizens for the licensing fee only shall be one-half the regular rate. A senior citizen is defined as a resident of the City who is sixty-two (62) years of age or more on or before the first day of January of the year in which the fee is charged. All fees for duplicate licensing and late licensing penalties shall be the full charge.
- 3) <u>Neutered Fee.</u> Dog owners/keepers applying for the reduced neutered fee must present to the licensing department a certificate from a licensed veterinarian stating that the dog to be licensed has been neutered.
- 4) <u>Licensing after July 1</u>. For any license issued after July 1 of any year, the initial licensing fee shall be one-half the regular rate.
- 5) <u>Impoundment Fee</u>. In the event any dog is impounded by the City, the owner shall pay the following fees as a condition of release of the dog:
  - 5.1) The actual expense incurred in the housing and maintenance of the dog.
  - 5.2) The applicable license fee if the dog is unlicensed.

5.3) An administrative impoundment fee of:5.3.1) \$50.00 for the first impoundment;5.3.2) \$100.00 for any subsequent impoundment in a 24 month period.

PASSED and Approved by the City Council of the City of Bay City this <u>14th</u> day of <u>January</u>, 2003.

/s/ James A. Cole, Jr., Mayor James A. Cole, Jr., Mayor

ATTEST:

/s/ Linda M. Dvorak Linda Dvorak, City Recorder