

**CITY OF CALEDONIA, MINNESOTA**

**ORDINANCE NO. 2016-004**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 92.04 OF THE CALEDONIA CODE OF ORDINANCES RELATING TO THE ANNUAL LICENSE FEE FOR DOGS AND CATS**

The City Council of the City of Caledonia, Minnesota hereby ordains as follows:

SECTION 1. That Sections 92.04(E) and 92.04(G) of the City Code are amended to read as follows (with the additions underlined and the deletions struckthrough):

(E)(1) The annual license fee shall be as follows:

(a) For each male or female dog or cat: ~~\$3~~ \$10

(b) For each altered male dog or cat or spayed female dog or cat: ~~\$2~~ \$8

(2) In applying for the latter type license, written proof is required from a licensed veterinarian that the animal being licensed has been neutered or spayed.

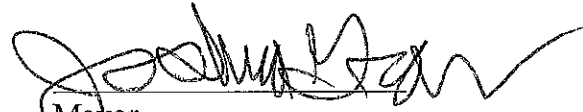
(3) The license fee shall be paid prior to January 1 of the license year. A late fee of \$2 will be assessed starting January 1 and every month thereafter. A person who becomes a resident of the City on or after January 1 or who acquires a dog or a cat on or after January 1 shall obtain a license for that dog or cat within 14 days of residence or acquisition. All dog or cat licenses whenever issued shall expire on December 31 following their issuance. The City Council may, by resolution, specify the manner of determining or proving the fact of age and date of acquisition of any dogs or cats.

(4) Private ownership cannot exceed three of either species. No more than three dog licenses or three cat licenses shall be issued to persons living at the same address.


~~(G) — The license fee shall be payable on or before March 1, excepting that after March 1 in a given year as to newly acquired dogs or cats and the dogs or cats of persons who become residents of the city, the licenses shall be obtained within 14 days of residence or acquisition. All dog or cat licenses whenever issued shall expire on December 31 following their issuance. The City Council may, by resolution, specify the manner of determining or proving the fact of age and date of acquisition of any dogs or cats.~~

This ordinance shall be in effect from and after the date of its final passage and publication as provided by law.

ADOPTED this 26<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2016, by the City Council of the City of Caledonia.

  
Mayor

ATTEST:

  
City Clerk-Administrator