

ORDINANCE NO. 1041

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON, AMENDING CHAPTER 7.04 OF THE REDMOND MUNICIPAL CODE CONCERNING ANIMAL CONTROL TO REVISE FEES FOR DOG AND CAT LICENSES.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON,
DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 7.04.040 of the Redmond Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

7.04.040 Dog and Cat Licenses - Fees. Dog and cat licenses shall be issued by the animal control authority upon application and payment of an annual license fee made payable to the county comptroller according to the following schedule:

For the license year beginning April 1, 1982, the sum of eighteen dollars for dogs and ten dollars for cats; provided that when proof is submitted that such dog or cat has been neutered or spayed, the fee shall be eight dollars for dogs and five dollars for cats;

For the license year beginning April 1, 1983, the sum of nineteen dollars for dogs and eleven dollars for cats; provided that when proof is submitted that such dog or cat has been neutered or spayed, the fee shall be nine dollars for dogs and six dollars for cats;

For the license year beginning April 1, 1984, the sum of twenty dollars for dogs and twelve dollars for cats; provided that when proof is submitted that such dog or cat has been neutered or spayed, the fee shall be ten dollars for dogs and seven dollars for cats.

City residents sixty-five years of age or older shall be entitled to purchase a special permanent license for the life-time of cats or dogs for which they are the registered owners when said animals are maintained at said owner's registered address. Eligible residents may purchase the special permanent animal licenses according to the following fee schedule:

For the license year beginning April 1, 1982, the sum of eighteen dollars per licensed dog and ten dollars per licensed cat;

For the license year beginning April 1, 1983, the sum of nineteen dollars per licensed dog and eleven dollars per licensed cat;

For the license year beginning April 1, 1984, the sum of twenty dollars per licensed dog and twelve dollars per licensed cat;

Such residents shall not be required to annually purchase a new license for the lifetime of such licensed animals; provided, that no person shall be granted more than three permanent animal licenses for any combination of three cats and dogs for which they are the registered owner; provided further, that the animal control

authority is authorized to enact the necessary rules and procedures to efficiently implement the program. The annual license fee shall become due and payable on April 1st of each year. Applications for a dog or cat license shall be on forms provided by the animal control authority. No proration of a license fee for a portion of the calendar year shall be made. All license tags issued herein shall be securely affixed to a substantial collar, harness or other means which shall be worn by the dog at all times. As an alternative to a license tag, an animal may be identified as licensed by being tattooed on its right ear or on its inside right thigh or groin with a license number approved or issued by the animal control authority.

Section 2. Section 7.04.060 of the Redmond Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 7.04.060 Dog and Cat Licenses - Nonapplicability

The provisions of this chapter shall not apply to dogs or cats in the custody of a veterinarian or animal shelter or whose owners are nonresidents temporarily within the City for a period not exceeding 30 days.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect five days after passage and publication by posting as provided by law.

CITY OF REDMOND

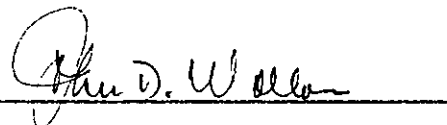

MAYOR, CHRISTINE T. HIMES

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

CITY CLERK, PAUL F. KUSAKABE

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY:

BY



FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK: March 11, 1982
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL: March 16, 1982
SIGNED BY THE MAYOR: March 18, 1982
POSTED: March 18, 1982
EFFECTIVE DATE: March 23, 1982