

Exhibit "E"

Chapter 10 - ANIMALS

ARTICLE II. KEEPING ANIMALS

Division 3. RESTRAINT; IMPOUNDMENT

Sec. 10-119. Redemption of Impounded animals

(a) The owner shall be entitled to resume possession of any impounded animal upon payment of the impoundment and daily board fees and microchip fees (if applicable) and compliance with vaccination-registration requirements; provided application for such possession, with payment of all required fees, is made within 72 hours after impoundment, or within such time after impoundment as may be agreed to by the animal control officer and such owner, if such agreement is made within such 72-hour period and such additional time does not exceed ten days total impoundment time.

(b) Adoption, spaying and neutering:

(1) Whenever an unlicensed dog or cat is adopted, such owner shall be required to pay a rabies vaccination fee to the animal control officer. The animal control officer shall thereupon issue a receipt for such fee, and the holder thereof may have such animal vaccinated for rabies by any veterinarian licensed to practice veterinary medicine in the state who has agreed to administer such rabies vaccination receipts. Any rabies vaccination shall be obtained by the owner or purchaser of such dog or cat within seven days after obtaining custody of such dog or cat. The animal control officer shall maintain and make available to any owner or purchaser of any dog or cat a list of veterinarians honoring such receipts. In addition, the owner or purchaser of any dog or cat shall be required to obtain a license tag for such dog or cat at the time of such sale or redemption.

(2) The adopting person shall comply with all the adoption conditions and surgery conditions for the adopted animal as set forth in the contract.

(3) Should the adopted animal be lost or die before the adoption and surgery conditions as set forth in the contract have been complied with, such loss or death shall be reported in person or by mail to the animal control shelter not later than seven days after its occurrence.

(4) All animals adopted from the shelter are required to be spayed or neutered.

(5) The adopter shall forfeit the surgery deposit in the event that such surgery deposit has not been redeemed

within 30 days after the date the surgery was due to be performed.

(6) The forfeiture of such surgery deposit shall in no way release the adopter from the obligation of having the

required surgery performed.

(7) The provisions of this section shall only apply to dogs and cats of the age of four months or more, excluding

the provisions for spaying/neutering which are set out in subsection (c) (4) of this section.

(d) The owner shall not be entitled to possession of any animal held under quarantine or observation for rabies until a

written release is obtained by the observing veterinarian and until all fees have been paid.

The payment of such fees

may be deferred until the animal is eligible for release.

(e) Any dog or cat impounded and not reclaimed by the owner within five (5) days may be humanely destroyed. If the

animal control officer determines that any unclaimed dog or cat is reasonably healthy, currently vaccinated against

rabies, and should not constitute a threat to public or animal health of the community, the animal control officer may

offer such dog or cat for adoption. If not adopted, the animal shall be humanely destroyed.

(f) The animal control officer shall approve all applications for adoption of unclaimed animals. Adopted animals must

comply with all registration and vaccination provisions of this chapter. If any impounded animal, other than a dog or

cat, is not claimed by the owner within seven days, the animal shall be held for such time as the animal control officer

deems reasonable, considering the animal's probable value, condition of health and suitability for use. Upon

expiration of such reasonable time, the animal control officer may offer the animal, if suitable, to be sold by posting

the date of sale, the animal's description and sale location for five full days on the city hall bulletin board, on the

courthouse door and on one other public place in the city. Animals not suitable for sale will be humanely destroyed.