

CODE ORDINANCE

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Public Hearing: 06/21/16
Adopted: 06/21/16

**MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH
ORDINANCE SERIAL NO. 16-074**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY APPROVING THE REMOVAL OF SPECIFIC DOLLAR AMOUNTS FOR RATES AND FEES FROM CODE AND REPLACING THEM WITH REFERENCE TO THE ASSEMBLY'S POWER TO SET RATES AND FEES BY RESOLUTION.

BE IT ENACTED:

Section 1. Classification. This ordinance is of a general and permanent nature and shall become a part of the Borough Code.

Section 2. Amendment of section MSB 24.07.030 (F) is hereby amended as follows:

(F) The mushing facility license fee shall be
[\$150] set by Assembly resolution.

Section 3. Amendment of section MSB 24.10.070 (A) is amended as follows:

(1) The license fee for a dog or cat shall be
[\$15] set by Assembly resolution if the animal is spayed or neutered. For animals that are not spayed or neutered the license fee shall be [\$30] set by Assembly resolution. The license tag shall remain current for three years. If the animal is spayed or neutered and microchipped, the lifetime licensing fee

shall be [\$30] set by Assembly resolution. For animals that are microchipped but are not spayed or neutered the lifetime licensing fee shall be [\$60] set by Assembly resolution.

(2) The licensing fee for an animal that is newly adopted from the animal care and regulation shelter shall be [\$15] set by Assembly resolution. The license tag shall be current for the life of the animal since the animal is microchipped before leaving the shelter.

(3) To license five or more dogs or five or more cats housed in the same location, a kennel or cattery license is required. The fee for licensing of the kennel or cattery shall be [\$75] set by Assembly resolution. There is no charge for licensing each animal listed under a kennel or cattery license. The kennel or cattery license shall last for three years.

Section 4. Amendment of section MSB 24.26.050 (D) (2) is amended as follows:

(D) (2) There shall be an [\$100 per year] annual inspection fee imposed as a condition of release for animals classified as Level 3 or 4 set by Assembly resolution.

Section 5. Amendment of section MSB 24.26.070 (B) is amended as follows:

(B) For Level 3 or 4 classifications, said property shall be inspected at a minimum of every six months during the life of the classification with the owner being responsible for the costs of said inspection as a condition of release. The Level 3 or 4 annual classification inspection fee shall be [set at \$100] **set by Assembly resolution.**

Section 6. Amendment of section MSB 24.26.080 (A) is hereby amended as follows:

(A) An owner of a classified animal, including an animal classified under a repealed classification scheme, may apply to the chief animal care and regulation officer, in writing, to have the classification reduced, modified, or removed in accordance with this section upon payment of outstanding fees, including a review fee [of \$35] **set by Assembly resolution,** and showing that:

Section 7. Amendment of section MSB 24.26.080 (C) is hereby amended as follows:

(C) Requests for termination, modification, or reduction of a classification may be submitted to the chief animal care and regulation officer upon proof of

compliance with requirements in MSB 24.26.070(A), but no more than once each year. All requests for termination, modification, or reduction shall be accompanied by a review fee [of \$35] set by Assembly resolution.

Section 8. Effective date. This ordinance shall take effect July 1, 2016.

ADOPTED by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this 21 day of June, 2016.


VERN HALTER, Borough Mayor

ATTEST:


LONNIE R. McKECHNIE, CMC, Borough Clerk

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PASSED UNANIMOUSLY: Beck, McKee, Colligan, Mayfield, Doty, and Kowalke

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