



**RESOLUTION NO.**

**OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO**

**WHEREAS**, the County of El Dorado Board of Supervisors is authorized to adopt new fees, fee levels, and charges, pursuant to Government Code §54985 and adopted Resolution 025-2011 to implement revised Animal Services fees, fee levels, and charges effective April 1, 2011; and

**WHEREAS**, Resolution 025-2011 further determined that on occasion, extenuating circumstances may require certain fees for Animal Services be waived, discounted, or deferred and empowered the Chief Animal Control Officer to take such action when deemed to be in the best interest of the animal; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Animal Control Officer is the County employee with oversight of fee collection for Animal Services within the County of El Dorado; and

**WHEREAS**, the Health and Human Services Agency recommends authority to waive, discount, or defer Animal Services fees be delegated to the Director of the Health and Human Services Agency when such action is deemed to be in the best interest of the animal; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Animal Control Officer, or designee, shall make a recommendation to the Director of the Health and Human Services Agency for a waiver, discount, or deferral of Animal Services fees when determined to be in the best interest of the animal.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, the County of El Dorado Board of Supervisors hereby empowers the Director of the Health and Human Services Agency to waive, discount, or defer Animal Services fees when such action is deemed to be interest of the animal. Resolution 025-2011 is hereby replaced by this Resolution effective upon adoption, and the following fees, fee levels, and charges are as follows:

<b>FEE DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>AMOUNT</b>
<b>Adoptions:</b>	
Dog	\$120
Cat	\$80
Other Small Animals	\$15
Small Livestock	\$40
Large Livestock (Highest Bid Over Minimum Threshold Amount Set by Chief ACO)	Highest bid
Hold for Adoption Dog – one day hold (not applied toward adoption fee)	\$44
Hold for Adoption Cat – one day hold (not applied toward adoption fee)	\$35
<b>Dog Licensing:</b>	
Dog License – Altered / 1 year	\$20
Dog License – Altered / 3 year	\$50
Dog License – Unaltered / 1 year	\$100
Dog License – Unaltered / 3 year	\$150
Veterinarian License Sale Rebate (1 or 3 year license)	(\$5)
Duplicate License	\$18
Delinquent License Penalty (30 days past due / added to cost of license)	\$20

<b>Additional penalties for dogs-at-large without valid license:</b>	
Expired License (after 30 days – added to cost of license)	\$20
Never Licensed (added to cost of license)	\$100
<b>Potentially Dangerous Dogs (PDD) / Vicious Dogs (VD):</b>	
PDD/VD License with Investigation – 1 <sup>st</sup> year (single dog)	\$700
PDD/VD License with Investigation – 1 <sup>st</sup> year per additional dog(s) involved in the same Incident / Investigation and Annual Renewals	\$200
PDD/VD Replacement Dog License	\$20
PDD/VD Collar (enables PDD/VD identification, per Ordinance)	\$25
<b>Kennel Licensing:</b>	
Non-commercial Kennel License	\$305
Commercial Kennel License	\$355
Kennel Re-inspection(s) required within permit year due to violations (fee applicable to each re-inspection)	\$205
<b>County Established Impound Fees:</b>	
Small Animal Impound – 1 <sup>st</sup> (same household, per animal)	\$75
Small Animal Impound – 2 <sup>nd</sup> (same household, per animal)	\$200
Small Animal Impound – 3 <sup>rd</sup> or more (same household, per animal)	\$350
Small Animal Field Release	\$50
Large Animal Impound – 1 <sup>st</sup> (same household, per animal)	\$175
Large Animal Impound – 2 <sup>nd</sup> (same household, per animal)	\$300
Large Animal Impound – 3 <sup>rd</sup> or more (same household, per animal)	\$450
Large Animal Field Release (plus add'l officer(s) charged at hourly rate x actual time incurred)	\$150
<b>Board &amp; Care (fee/per day):</b>	
Dogs	\$27
Cats	\$18
All other small animals	\$9
Large Animal / Livestock	Per Contract
Owner Release of Animal (no fee for strays)	\$60
<b>Miscellaneous:</b>	
Microchip (Owner Request)	\$25
Animal Products (e.g., cat carriers)	At Cost
Quarantine Initiation / Administration Fee (If quarantined at shelter other charges also apply)	\$75
Fluorescent Rabies Antibody (small animal)	\$160
Fluorescent Rabies Antibody (large animal)	Varies due to size / weight
Veterinary Care	As charged
Euthanasia (owner release – animal unadoptable)	\$60
Dead Animal Pick Up	Hourly Rate (below) x incurred time
Vaccination Administration (plus vaccine cost)	\$10

Kennel Attendant Hourly Rate (adjust annually based on adopted budget)	\$90
Animal Control Officer Hourly Rate (adjust annually based on adopted budget)	\$100

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014, by the following vote of said Board:

Attest:  
James S. Mitrisin  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

Ayes:  
Noes:  
Absent:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk

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Norma Santiago, Chair, Board of Supervisors