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RESOLUTION NO. 123-2023  
OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO

RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING ANIMAL SERVICES FEE SCHEDULE

**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

**WHEREAS**, the County of El Dorado has reviewed and analyzed the current Animal Services fee structure established via Resolution 143-2016; and

**WHEREAS**, the County, having completed said analysis which included a review of Animal Services operations (personnel, indirect and overhead, supervision and equipment costs) and a full cost recovery analysis, as well as comparison against prevailing fees charged in surrounding counties, as applicable; and

**WHEREAS**, the County has determined that on occasion, extenuating circumstances may require that certain of the fees outlined hereto be waived, discounted, or deferred, and that the County Chief Animal Control Officer shall be empowered to take such action when it is deemed to be in the best interest of the animal; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that effective September 23, 2023, Board Resolution No. 143-2016 is hereby replaced by this Resolution, and the fees, fee levels, and charges attached hereto as Exhibit A "Animal Services Fees" shall be implemented.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the 25<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2023, by the following vote of said Board:

Attest:  
Kim Dawson  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

Ayes: Thomas, Hidahl, Turnboo, Parlin, Laine  
Noes: None  
Absent: None

By:

*Thupa Schaffner*  
Deputy Clerk

*Wendy Thomas*

Chair, Board of Supervisors

Wendy Thomas

# **Exhibit A** **Animal Service Fees**

## **El Dorado County HHSA - Animal Services**

<b>Fee description</b>	<b>Amount</b>
<b>ADOPTION FEES</b>	
Adoptions - Dog	\$ 120.00
Adoptions - Senior Dogs (6+ years old)	\$ 60.00
Adoptions to Veterans - Dog/Cat	\$ -
Adoptions - Cat/Kitten	\$ 40.00
Adoptions - Other Small Animals (rabbits, rodents, etc)	\$ 20.00
Adoptions - Small livestock	\$ 50.00
Adoptions - Large livestock	\$ 150.00
Adoptions - Exotic animals	\$ 40.00
<b>LICENSE FEES</b>	
Dog License - Altered / 1 year	\$ 20.24
Dog License - Altered / 2 yr	\$ 40.48
Dog License - Altered / 3 year	\$ 50.00
Dog License - Unaltered / 1 year	\$ 75.00
Dog License - Unaltered / 2 yr	\$ 125.00
Dog License - Unaltered / 3 year	\$ 150.00
Veterinarian License Sale Rebate (1 or 3 year license)	\$ (5.00)
Duplicate Tag	\$ 5.00
Delinquent License Penalty	\$ 20.00
Dogs impounded w/o valid license - expired license (inc. microchip @EDCAS)	\$ 20.00
Dogs impounded w/o valid license - never licensed (inc. microchip @EDCAS)	\$ -
Dogs impounded w/o valid license - never licensed - 3-6 months (inc. microchip @EDCAS)	\$ 5.00
Dogs impounded w/o valid license - never licensed - 6 months to <1 year (inc. microchip @EDCAS)	\$ 20.00
Dogs impounded w/o valid license - never licensed - 1 year and over (inc. microchip @EDCAS)	\$ 100.00
<b>DANGEROUS DOG LICENSE FEES</b>	
PDD/VD License with Investigation - 1st year (single dog)	\$ 700.00
PDD/VD License with Investigation - 1st year (per additional dog)	\$ 100.00
PDD/VD Replacement Dog Tag	\$ 20.00
PDD/VD Collar	\$ 25.00
<b>FACILITY LICENSE FEES</b>	
Grooming Facility License	\$ 200.00
Non-Commercial Kennel License	\$ 327.13
Commercial Kennel License	\$ 400.00
Kennel reinspections required within permit year due to violations	\$ 249.60
<b>IMPOUND FEES</b>	
Small Animal Impound - 1st (incl State-required microchip)	\$ 80.00
Small Animal Impound - 2nd (same household, per animal)	\$ 184.97
Small Animal Impound - 3rd (same household, per animal)	\$ 250.00
Small Animal Impound - 4th (same household, per animal)	\$ 333.95
Small Animal Impound - 5th or more (same household, per animal)	\$ 333.95
Small Animal Field Release - license purchase required	\$ 50.00
Large Animal Impound - 1st	\$ 250.00
Large Animal Impound - 2nd (same household, per animal)	\$ 350.00
Large Animal Impound - 3rd or more (same household, per animal)	\$ 450.00
Large Animal Field Release	\$ 150.00
Unaltered Animal Impound - 1st	\$ 35.00
Unaltered Animal Impound - 2nd (same household, per animal)	\$ 50.00
Unaltered Animal Impound - 3rd (same household, per animal)	\$ 100.00
Impound - Animal brought to shelter (inc. State-required microchip)	\$ 40.00
<b>BOARD &amp; CARE FEES</b>	



Board & Care - Dogs (per day)	\$ 29.69
Board & Care: Cats (per day)	\$ 10.00
Board & Care: all other small animals (per day)	\$ 19.79
Board & Care: Large animal / Livestock (per day)	\$ 57.73
<b>OWNER SURRENDER FEES</b>	
Owner Surrender of Animal	\$ 60.00
Owner Surrender - Litter	\$ 100.00
<b>MICROCHIP &amp; MISCELLANEOUS FEES</b>	
Microchip (owner request)	\$ 10.09
Microchip (owner request) - discount if purchasing license	\$ 5.00
Animal Products (e.g., cat carriers)	Actual Cost
Quarantine Initiation/Administration	\$ 100.00
Fluorescent Rabies Antibody (small animal)	\$ 150.00
Fluorescent Rabies Antibody (large animal)	\$ 325.00
Vaccine Administration	\$ 14.79
De-worming	\$ 3.30
Wound Treatment	Actual Cost
General Veterinary Treatment	Actual Cost
LPV Testing	Actual Cost
<b>SPAY &amp; NEUTER FEES</b>	
Spay - Cat	\$ 70.00
Neuter - Cat	\$ 55.00
Spay - Dog	\$ 150.00
Neuter - Dog	\$ 100.00
<b>EUTHANASIA FEES</b>	
Euthanasia	\$ 60.00
Euthanasia with Owner Present	\$ 120.00
<b>DEAD ANIMAL PICK UP/DISPOSAL FEES</b>	
Dead Animal Pick up (hourly, one hour minimum)	\$ 175.00
Animal Disposal - Dog	\$ 60.00
Animal Disposal - Cat	\$ 60.00
<b>ADMIN FEES/HOURLY RATES</b>	
Administrative Citation	\$ 100.00
Animal Shelter Attendant	\$ 98.97
Public Services Asst/Sr Office Assistant	\$ 78.56
Animal Services Officer	\$ 116.29
Health Program Specialist	\$ 121.60
Animal Shelter Supervisor	\$ 126.36
Animal Services Officer Supervisor	\$ 168.54
Veterinarian Hourly Rate (includes overhead)	\$ 56.23