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ORDINANCE NO. 19611

AN ORDINANCE introduced by City Manager Norton N. Bonaparte, Jr., amending City of Topeka Code § 6.20.120 and § 6.30.100, concerning permit fees for cats and dogs and specifically repealing said original sections.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF TOPEKA:

Section 1. That section 6.20.120, Fees, of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended to read as follows:

**Fees.**

(a) The fees for permits required by this chapter for each permit year are as follows:

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| (1) | For each unspayed or nonneutered dog                              | <del>\$8.00</del> <u>20.00</u>  |
| (2) | For each spayed or neutered dog                                   | <del>\$5.00</del> <u>8.00</u>   |
| (3) | For any kennel or pet shop covering all dogs kept during the year | <del>\$40.00</del> <u>80.00</u> |

(b) No fee shall be required of any humane society or veterinary hospital.

Section 2. That section 6.30.100, Fees, of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended to read as follows:

**Fees.**

(a) The fees for the permit required by this article, for each permit year, are as follows:

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| (1) | For each nonneutered cat                                 | <del>\$8.00</del> <u>20.00</u>  |
| (2) | For each neutered cat                                    | <del>\$5.00</del> <u>8.00</u>   |
| (3) | For any pet shop, covering all cats kept during the year | <del>\$40.00</del> <u>80.00</u> |

31 (b) No fee under this article shall be required of any humane society or  
32 veterinary hospital.

33 ~~(c) No fee under this article shall be required of any pet shop with a valid cat~~  
34 ~~permit.~~

35 Section 3. That original § 6.20.120 and § 6.30.100 of The Code of the City of  
36 Topeka, Kansas, are hereby specifically repealed.

37 Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its  
38 passage, approval and publication in the official City newspaper.

39 Section 5. All ordinances, resolutions or rules, or portions thereof, inconsistent  
40 with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby rescinded or repealed.

41 Section 6. Should any section, clause or phrase of this ordinance be declared  
42 invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the same shall not affect the validity of this  
43 ordinance as a whole, or any part thereof, other than the part so declared to be invalid.

44 PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council July 26, 2011.

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52 William W. Bunten, Mayor

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55 Brenda Younger, City Clerk  
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