CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 2175

AN ORDINANCE relating to Animal Control and amending the license fee due date and late penalty; and amending Bellevue City Code Section 8.04.035.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 8.04.035 of the Bellevue City Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

8.04.035 Application for license-fees. Dog and cat licenses shall be issued by the animal control authority upon application and payment of an annual license fee in the sum of \$5.00 for dogs, except that when proof is submitted that such dog has been neutered or spayed the fee shall be \$3.00, and \$3.00 for cats, except that when proof is submitted that such cat has been neutered or spayed the fee shall be \$2.00. The annual license fee shall become due and payable on April 1 of each year. Applications for a dog or cat license shall be on forms provided by the animal control authority. The application shall list the name, address and phone number of the owner of the animal and such information shall be kept, conveniently indexed, by the licensing official together with the number of the license issued. The license shall expire each year on the 31st day of March following the date of issuance. No proration of a license fee for a portion of the calendar year shall be made.

Section 2. Section 8.04.055 of the Bellevue City Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

8.04.055 Penalty. A late penalty in the sum of ten dollars shall be charged to each owner who does not obtain the required license until after April 30 of any year and the sum of twenty-five dollars shall be charged on all applications received after June 30 of each year, provided, however, that a dog or cat acquired after April 1 of any year shall be licensed within 60 days from the date of its acquisition and in such cases the additional fee of ten dollars shall be charged only on applications received after the expiration of that 60 day period.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force five (5) days after its passage, approval and legal publication.

PASSED by the City Council this 6 day of and signed in authentication of its passage this 6 day of day of 1975.

(SEAL)

Richard M. Foreman, Mayor

Approved as to form:

Lee Kraft, City

Attest:

Patricia K. Weber, City Clerk

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