DOÑA ANA COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 2019-62

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A FEE SCHEDULE FOR BITE QUARANTINE ANIMALS HELD AT THE COUNTY COURT HOLD FACILITY

WHEREAS, the Animal Control Codes Enforcement ("ACCE") Department is tasked with protecting pets from cruelty they may face from irresponsible owners, and

WHEREAS, as part of that mission, ACCE currently operates the live evidence facility wherein seized animals are held and cared for while criminal cases are being adjudicated against their owners, and

WHEREAS, the ACCE does not currently house bite quarantine animals at its facility;

WHEREAS, space is available and in an effort to alleviate intakes and housing at the local shelter (ASCMV) for these specific cases, and

WHEREAS, ACCE has developed a proposed fee schedule based on current fees from the local shelter (ASCMV), and

WHEREAS, ACCE proposes the following fee schedule and full reimbursement for any veterinarian costs that are incurred before releasing an animal back to its owner;

$28.00 impound fee (for 1st impound)
$38.00 impound fee (for 2nd impound)
$48.00 impound fee (for 3rd impound)
$78.00 impound fee (for 4th and subsequent impounds)

$15.00 Daily quarantine fee ($150.00 total)

Rabies vaccination fee $10.00 (if no proof of current rabies is produced)

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that ACCE shall charge the aforementioned fees to those animal owners in Doña Ana County who have been quarantined for the required ten (10) days related to an animal being cared for by ACCE,

ACCEPTED AND APPROVED this 9th day of July 2019, by the Board of County Commissioners of Doña Ana County, New Mexico.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF DOÑA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

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