

Exhibit 1 - Resolution to amend the Broward County Administrative Code

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2020-

2 A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY  
3 COMMISSIONERS OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA,  
4 PERTAINING TO ANIMAL CARE AND ADOPTION DIVISION  
5 FEES; AMENDING SECTIONS 40.9 AND 40.10 OF THE  
6 BROWARD COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE CODE  
7 ("ADMINISTRATIVE CODE"); PROVIDING FOR WAIVER  
8 OF IMPOUND AND BOARD FEES AND RABIES  
9 REGISTRATION TAG FEES; UPDATING EXISTING FEES;  
10 ESTABLISHING WELLNESS CLINIC FEES; AND  
11 PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, INCLUSION IN THE  
12 ADMINISTRATIVE CODE, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

13 WHEREAS, Section 40.9 of the Broward County Administrative Code  
14 ("Administrative Code") establishes fees and rates related to services provided by the  
15 Animal Care and Adoption Division;

16 WHEREAS, Section 40.9(a) of the Administrative Code provides the Director of  
17 the Animal Care and Adoption Division ("Director") with the authority to waive or reduce:  
18 (1) impound and board fees if the owners reclaim their dog or cat prior to it being  
19 impounded or within twenty-four (24) hours after arrival; (2) adoption or rescue fees for a  
20 limited period of time, as circumstances may require, including to address overcapacity  
21 and in connection with special events; and (3) rabies registration tag fees in connection  
22 with special programs that encourage spaying or neutering, or if a reduction or waiver  
23 ensures a positive outcome or release for a sheltered animal;

24 WHEREAS, Section 40.10 of the Administrative Code provides for the waiver of  
rabies registration tag fees for inoculated dogs and cats of individuals who meet federal  
low income guidelines in conjunction with the establishment of a permanent program for  
the Animal Care and Adoption Division's free sterilization clinics;

1 WHEREAS, on April 3, 2012, the Broward County Board of County Commissioners  
2 adopted Resolution No. 2012-271, authorizing the establishment of a financially feasible  
3 No Kill Strategic Plan with the intent to become a No Kill Community;

4 WHEREAS, expansion of the Director's authority to waive or reduce impound and  
5 board fees under certain circumstances including, but not limited to, overcapacity of the  
6 animal shelter, special events, where owners of dogs and cats meet federal low income  
7 guidelines, and where animals subject to the fees have been identified as "most at risk"  
8 would further Broward County's goal of becoming a No Kill Community;

9 WHEREAS, Section 40.9 of the Administrative Code also establishes fees related  
10 to the Animal Care and Adoption Division; and

11 WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners deems it in the best interests of  
12 the citizens of Broward County to update the fees related to the Animal Care and Adoption  
13 Division and establish new fees for the operation of a Wellness Clinic and the Animal  
14 Care and Adoption Division shelter, NOW, THEREFORE,

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16 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF  
17 BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA:

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19 Section 1. Section 40.9 of the Broward County Administrative Code is hereby  
20 amended to read as follows:

21 **40.9. Animal Care and Adoption Division Fee Schedule.**

22 The following fee schedule is hereby adopted:

- 23 a. *Impoundment and Boarding Fees.* Impound and board fees shall be paid  
24 by the owner of any dog or cat impounded. Released ear-notched feral or

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community cats that are part of any established colony shall have impound fees waived. Offenses are determined by the owner's name, not the animal's name. Impound fees are also applicable to dogs and cats redeemed or claimed from quarantine. The Animal Care and Adoption Division may set up a payment plan for individuals who cannot pay the entire amount of their fees at the time the animal is released. The Director, taking into account (i) owners who reclaim their dog or cat prior to it being impounded or within twenty-four (24) hours of after the animal's arrival, or (ii) owners who meet federal low income guidelines, may decrease or waive the impound and board fees. Additionally, the Director may decrease or waive the impound and board fees under certain circumstances including, but not limited to, overcapacity of the animal shelter and special events, if doing so increases the likelihood of a positive outcome or release for a sheltered animal. The Director shall submit a quarterly report to the Board of County Commissioners, summarizing the fees waived or decreased pursuant to this section.

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h. ~~Microchip Implanting~~ ..... 15.00

i. h. *Bite Animal Transportation Fee.* When an animal has bitten a person or other animal and the owner has failed to quarantine the animal at an approved quarantine facility within twenty-four (24) hours of after notification of the incident and

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an officer is dispatched to transport the animal to the shelter  
for quarantine ..... 75.00

~~j.~~ ~~Euthanasia or Cremation.~~

- 1. ~~Small Animal (0 - 20 lbs.)..... 35.00~~
- 2. ~~Medium Animal (21 - 50 lbs.)..... 50.00~~
- 3. ~~Large Animal (51 - 150 lbs.)..... 100.00~~

~~k.~~ ~~Animal Surrender Fees.~~

~~Non-County resident surrender fee..... 75.00~~

~~l.~~ ~~Permit Fees.~~

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3. ~~Breeder ..... 100.00~~ 500.00

~~m.~~ ~~Hearing Officer Fee Deposit (4-12.5)..... 500.00~~

~~n.~~ ~~Civil Penalties.~~ Any person cited for an infraction of  
Chapter 4 shall pay a civil penalty for each infraction.  
Offenses are determined by the owner's name, not the  
animal's name.

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~~o.~~ ~~Clinic Shelter Veterinarian Service Fees.~~

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~~p.~~ ~~Cardboard Carriers (when redeeming impounded animal)..... 5.00~~

~~q.~~ ~~Wellness Clinic: Veterinarian Service Fees.~~

- 1. ~~Vaccines.~~
- (a) Dogs.

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- (1) Puppy package (8-14 weeks old).  
Includes exam, Bordetella, DHPP  
(Distemper, Hepatitis, Parvovirus, and  
Parainfluenza) vaccinations, dewormer,  
and microchip ..... \$55.00
  
- (2) Basic package. Includes exam, Rabies,  
Bordetella, DHPP (Distemper, Hepatitis,  
Parvo, and Parainfluenza) vaccinations,  
dewormer, and microchip..... 60.00
  
- (3) Deluxe package. Includes exam,  
Rabies, Bordetella, DHPP (Distemper,  
Hepatitis, Parvo, and Parainfluenza)  
vaccinations, microchip, dewormer, and  
sterilization surgery ..... 200.00
  
- (b) Cats.
  - (1) Kitten package (8-14 weeks old).  
Includes exam, FRPCP (Feline  
Chinotracheitis, Calicivirus, Panleuk,  
and Chlamydophila) vaccinations,  
dewormer, and microchip..... 45.00
  
  - (2) Basic package. Includes exam, FRPCP  
(Feline Rhinotracheitis, Calicivirus,  
Panleuk, and Chlamydophila)  
vaccinations, dewormer, and microchip ..... 50.00

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- (3) Deluxe package. Includes exam, FRCPC (Feline Rhinotracheitis, Calicivirus, Panleuk, and Chlamydoghila) vaccinations, dewormer, microchip, and sterilization surgery ..... 90.00
- 2. Microchip implanting ..... 20.00
- 3. Heartworm test ..... 20.00
- 4. Heartworm preventive. Price is dependent on type of animal (dog or cat) and weight..... 30.00 to 80.00
- 5. Flea and tick treatment. Price is dependent on type of animal (dog or cat) and weight..... 20.00 to 100.00
- 6. Dental packages (dogs and cats).
  - (a) Level 1. Cleaning and polishing, no extractions ..... 238.00
  - (b) Level 2. Cleaning and polishing with up to four (4) extractions, bloodwork included ..... 472.00
  - (c) Level 3. Cleaning and polishing with more than four (4) extractions, bloodwork included ..... 633.00
- 7. Sterilization services.
  - (a) Dogs.
    - (1) 0-50 lbs..... 80.00
    - (2) Over 50 lbs. .... 140.00
  - (b) Cats.
    - (1) Male..... 25.00

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1 (2) Female .....40.00

2 8. Euthanasia. Performance of procedure is subject to sole  
3 discretion of County veterinarian ..... 30.00

4 Section 2. Section 40.10 of the Broward County Administrative Code is hereby  
5 amended to read as follows:

6 **40.10. Animal Care and Adoption Division Waiver.**

7 The Board of County Commissioners hereby waives the fees pursuant to  
8 Section ~~40.38(d)~~ 40.9(c), Broward County Administrative Code, for ~~licenses~~ rabies  
9 registration tags for inoculated dogs and cats of individuals who meet federal low income  
10 guidelines in conjunction with the establishment of the permanent program for the Animal  
11 Care and Adoption Division's free sterilization clinics.

12 Section 3. Severability.

13 If any portion of this Administrative Code Resolution is determined by any court to  
14 be invalid, the invalid portion will be stricken, and such striking will not affect the validity  
15 of the remainder of this Administrative Code Resolution. If any court determines that this  
16 Administrative Code Resolution, in whole or in part, cannot be legally applied to any  
17 individual, group, entity, property, or circumstance, such determination will not affect the  
18 applicability of this Administrative Code Resolution to any other individual, group, entity,  
19 property, or circumstance.

20 Section 4. Inclusion in the Broward County Administrative Code.

21 It is the intention of the Board of County Commissioners that the provisions of this  
22 Administrative Code Resolution become part of the Broward County Administrative Code  
23 as of the effective date. The sections of this Administrative Code Resolution may be  
24 renumbered or relettered and the word "resolution" may be changed to "section," "article,"

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