

**Before the Board of Supervisors in and for the
County of Monterey, State of California**

Resolution 11-171

Amending Article I.a. of the Monterey County)
Master Fee Resolution effective July 1, 2011, to)
adjust fees relating to oversight and services)
provided by the Health Department's.)
Environmental Health Bureau, Animal Services,)
pursuant to the attached Fee Schedule.....)

THE MONTEREY COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FINDS:

- A. Section 1.40.010 of Chapter 1.40 of Monterey County Code provides that all fees, penalties, refunds, reimbursements and charges of any kind by the County may be specified in the Monterey County Fee Resolution.
- B. The Health Department's Environmental Health Bureau, Animal Services, fees and charges are appropriate to specify in the Monterey County Master Fee Resolution, Article I.a. for fiscal year 2011-12.
- C. This action to modify charges to meet operational expenses is statutorily exempt from environmental review [Pub Res. Code sec. 21080 subd. (b)(8)].
- D. Any and all adjustments to charges for these Animal Services reflect no more than the actual reasonable cost of the service or benefit received by the payor.
- E. By Constitutional definition, these Animal Services charges are not a 'tax' and are exempt from voter approval pursuant to Article XIII C section 1(e)(1) - (2) of the California Constitution (Charges imposed for specific benefit, service, product, or privilege granted or provided directly to payor).

THE MONTEREY COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS RESOLVES:

- I. Article I.a. of the Monterey County Fee Resolution is amended effective July 1, 2011, for Fiscal Year 2011-12 with all schedules, tables, fees, taxes, penalties, and charges contained therein are hereby adopted as described in the attachment to this Resolution.
- II. All prior Resolutions regarding such fees are hereby repealed.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 14th day of June, 2011, upon motion of Supervisor Salinas, seconded by Supervisor Armenta by the following vote, to wit:

AYES: Supervisors Armenta, Calcagno, Salinas, Parker, and Potter

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

I, Gail T. Borkowski, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey, State of California, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an original order of said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book 75 for the meeting on June 14, 2011.

Dated: June 17, 2011

Gail T. Borkowski, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
County of Monterey, State of California

By 
Deputy

ARTICLE I.A
HEALTH DEPARTMENT – ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH BUREAU
ANIMAL SERVICES SECTION

Attachment 2

A. License fees for dogs for the periods indicated	Fee
1) 1 month - 6 months	
a) Unaltered	\$20.00 each
b) Altered	\$10.00 each
2) 7 months - 1 year	
a) Unaltered	\$45.00 each
b) Altered	\$15.00 each
3) 13 months - 2 years	
a) Unaltered	\$65.00 each
b) Altered	\$20.00 each
4) 25 months - 3 years	
a) Unaltered	\$75.00 each
b) Altered	\$30.00 each
5) License fees for altered dogs owned by citizens 60 years of age or older 1 month – 3 years	\$10.00 each
B. Voluntary license fees for cats	
1 month – 3 years	
a) Unaltered	\$15.00 each
b) Altered	\$10.00 each
C. Late fees for failure to obtain a license	\$20.00 each
D. Duplicate license tag	\$5.00 each
E. License transfer fee	\$5.00 each
F. Permits	
Kennel (fees to cover all appropriate animals housed at kennel)	
1) a) 1 to 5	\$125 year
b) 6 to 10	\$190 year
c) 11 to 20	\$315 year
d) 21 to 30	\$440 year
e) 31+	\$625 year
2) Boarding Kennel (no animals actually owned by kennel)	
a) 1 to 20	\$285 year
b) 21 +	\$345 year
3) Pet shop (offering animals for sale):	\$300 year
4) Kennel & pet shops late fee	\$75 per permit

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5)	Re-application for permit within 60 days after being denied a permit		50% of applicable fee
G.	Shelter impound fees		
1)	Dog or Cat redeemed at shelter		
a)	1st impound in a 1-year period	\$35.00	each
b)	2nd impound in a 1-year period	\$45.00	each
c)	3rd impound in a 1-year period	\$60.00	each
d)	4th impound in a 1-year period	\$125.00	each
e)	5th impound in a 1-year period	\$140.00	each
2)	Other animals	\$50.00	hr/officer
	if emergency	\$75.00	hr/officer
H.	Shelter impound fines (Mandated by AB1856)		
1)	Dog or cat--unaltered		
a)	First impound fine	\$35.00	each
b)	Second impound fine	\$50.00	each
c)	Third impound fine	\$100.00	each
I.	Field release back to owner		
1)	Dogs must be licensed and cats have to have current rabies vaccination and wearing identification		
a)	First impound in a 1-year period-- <u>altered only</u>	\$25.00	each
b)	First impound in a 1-year period--unaltered	\$40.00	each
c)	Second and subsequent field impounds not available--must redeem at shelter		
2)	Other animals	\$50.00	hr/officer
	if emergency	\$75.00	hr/officer
J.	Rescue fees		
1)	Non-emergency	\$50.00	hr
2)	Emergency	\$75.00	hr
K.	Boarding fees		
1)	Dog or cat	\$15.00	day
2)	Other animals	\$15.00	day plus actual costs of food
3)	Quarantine/isolation	\$17.00	day
L.	Home quarantine fees		
1)	10-day home quarantine	\$50.00	each
2)	14-day home quarantine	\$50.00	each
3)	30-day home quarantine	\$100.00	each
4)	180-day home quarantine	\$150.00	each

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M.	Adoption fees		
1)	Dog	\$145.00	each
2)	Cat	\$80.00	each
3)	Rabbit	\$40.00	each
4)	Hoofed livestock	\$50.00	each
N.	Spay neuter deposit		
1)	Dog – spay or neuter	\$75.00	each
2)	Cat – spay	\$75.00	each
3)	Cat – neuter	\$45.00	each
O.	Rabies vaccination deposit or fee		
1)	Dogs and cats	\$15.00	each
2)	Other animals	\$15.00	each
P.	Microchip implants and registration		
1)	Chip implant	\$26.00	each
Q.	Owned animals brought to shelter		
1)	Dogs and cats	\$25.00	each
2)	Litter with parent animal	\$50.00	litter
3)	Litter without parent animal		
	a) 2 to 5 animals	\$30.00	litter
	b) 6 to 10 animals	\$55.00	litter
	c) 11 animals and up	\$75.00	litter
4)	Dead on arrival dogs and cats	\$5.00	each
5)	Small animal	\$5.00	each
6)	Hoofed livestock that can be accommodated at shelter	\$25.00	each
R.	Owner requested euthanasia--fee for service		
1)	Dogs		
	a) Small to medium	\$45.00	each
	b) Large to extra large	\$60.00	each
2)	Cats	\$30.00	each
3)	Litters	\$5.00	each animal
4)	Small animal	\$5.00	each
5)	Hoofed livestock that can be accommodated at shelter	\$75.00	each
S.	Owned animal emergency assistance		
1)	Dog/Cat during business hours	\$50.00	hr/officer
2)	Dog/Cat after business hours	\$75.00	hr/officer
3)	Other species that officer can handle	\$50.00	hr/officer
	If emergency (2 hr. minimum)	\$75.00	hr/officer

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T. Animal trap rental		
1) Cat traps		
a) Refundable deposit	\$75.00	
b) Daily (1 week maximum with prior arrangement)	\$5.00	day
2) Dog traps		
a) Refundable deposit	\$150.00	
b) Daily (1 week maximum with prior arrangement)	\$5.00	day
U. Rabies testing		
1) Debraining/lab services	\$150.00	each
V. Reports and/or file copies		
1) Returned checks	\$25.00	each
2) Copy fee	\$0.12	sheet
W. Cart carriers	\$3.00	each
X. Dog leash	\$1.00	each
Y. Dangerous dog fee - potentially dangerous dog per Administrative Hearing Officer or Administrative Law Judge, as defined by <i>Food & Agricultural Code Sections 31602-31603</i>	\$200.00	year
Z. Nuisance abatement hearing	\$50.00	hr/officer
1 hr. minimum—20 hrs. maximum		per hearing
AA. Clinic fees		
1) Dog spay	\$110.00	each
2) Dog neuter	\$100.00	each
3) Cat spay	\$85.00	each
4) Cat neuter	\$45.00	each
5) Additional fee if animal is in heat	\$15.00	each
6) Additional fee if animal is pregnant	\$25.00	each
7) Dewclaw removal (attached)	\$25.00	each
8) Dewclaw removal (pair-attached)	\$50.00	each
9) Dewclaw removal (unattached)	\$12.50	each
10) Dewclaw removal (pair-unattached)	\$25.00	each
11) Umbilical hernia	\$10.00	each
12) Ear mites procedure (clean ears)	\$10.00	each
13) Ear mite medication	\$12.50	each
14) Rabbit neuter or spay	\$35.00	each
15) FIV/FELV Test	\$15.00	each
16) Pain medication	\$10.00	per dose
17) Obese animal additional surgical fee	\$25.00	per animal
18) FvrCP	\$10.00	each
19) Da2pp	\$10.00	each
20) Tooth extraction	\$12.00	each

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21) Heartworm testing	\$20.00 each
22) Grooming/shaving	\$1.00 per minute
23) Unilateral retained testicle removal	\$35.00 each
24) Unilateral retained monorchid crypt	\$65.00 each
25) Bilateral crypt	\$97.00 each
26) Miscellaneous surgery (e.g. biopsy, bump removal)	\$2.00 minute plus actual lab fees

AB. Class – may be offered in lieu of citation \$100.00 per class