

ORDINANCE NO. 915

AN ORDINANCE TO LIMIT THE NUMBER OF DOGS AND OR CATS AND AMEND SECTION 2-120 OF CHAPTER II ANIMAL CONTROL AND REGULATION OF THE CITY CODE OF THE CITY OF CHETOPA AND ESTABLISH A PENALTY FOR VIOLATORS TO THIS SECTION.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF CHETOPA, KANSAS:

SECTION 1: That existing Section 2-120 of the City Code of the City of Chetopa, Kansas, be and is hereby amended to read as follows:

2-120 ANIMAL LIMITATIONS; PENALTIES. (a) No person or household shall own or harbor more than six (6) dogs of six months of age or older or more than one litter of pups, or more than six (6) cats of more than six months of age or more than one litter of kittens, or more than a total of six (6) dogs and cats more than six months of age in any combination, or engage in the commercial business of breeding, buying, selling, trading, training or boarding cats or dogs or both cats and dogs, without having obtained a license from the State of Kansas as an animal distributor, pet shop operator, pound or animal shelter, hobby breeder, research facility, animal breeder, retail breeder or kennel operator.

(b) The city treasurer shall collect an annual registration fee of \$1.00 for each neutered male dog and for each spayed female dog and \$25.00 for each unneutered male dog and for each unsprayed female dog, six (6) months of age or older and shall be payable before January 1st of each year without penalty from any individual licensed under subsection (a).

(c) Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of subsection (a), 30 (thirty) days after passage of this ordinance, will be fined \$10 per day per animal above six (6) months of age until they are removed from the city limits of the City of Chetopa.

(d) This section shall not apply to and will not be construed to require any license for a licensed veterinarian to operator an animal hospital.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF CHETOPA, LABETTE COUNTY, KANSAS THIS 3RD DAY OF JANUARY 2019.

Seal

Terry G. Robison

Mayor

Toni A. Crumrine

City Clerk