

AN ORDINANCE REVISING ORDINANCE NO. 13 TO ADD CITY LICENSING OF ALL DOGS WITHIN THE CITY OF PELICAN BAY, TEXAS, PROVIDING THAT ALL DOGS BE VACCINATED AGAINST RABIES, PROVIDING AN OFFENSE FOR REMOVAL OF TAGS, OTHERWISE CONTINUING ORDINANCE NO. 13 IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT, CONTINUING SEVERABILITY CLAUSE, A PENALTY CLAUSE, AND PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN FOR THE CITY OF PELICAN BAY, TEXAS.

I.

It shall be unlawful for any person within the City of Pelican Bay, Texas, to own, keep, possess, harbor, or to allow to remain upon their premises under his control, any dog, male or female, without having a license and identification tag as hereafter provided.

II.

Identification tags will be provided, by the City of Pelican Bay, Texas, with a one time fee of FIVE DOLLARS (\$5.00), payable in advance. Thereafter, the fee for lost tag will be ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00), payable in advance.

III.

No license shall be issued for any dog owned, kept, possessed, harbored or allowed upon the premises of any person and under his control unless said dog shall have first been vaccinated against rabies by a veterinarian duly licensed to practice in the State of Texas, within twelve (12) months prior to the issuance of such license. There shall be delivered to the City Hall offices of the City of Pelican Bay, Texas, a certificate signed by such veterinarian stating that said dog has been properly vaccinated against rabies, giving date of vaccination thereof, and upon receipt of certificate and the payment of license fee, as provided in this section, the City shall then issue a receipt and numbered tag.

IV.

Such metal tag as heretofore mentioned shall be securely fastened in some manner to such dog. It shall be unlawful for any person to remove such tag from any dog without the written permission of the owner of such dog.

V.

The City of Pelican Bay shall keep a register of all tags issued in which shall be entered the name of the applicant, description of the dog, the number of the tag issued and the date of issuance.

VI.

Any person that violates, disobeys, neglects or refuses to comply with, or resists the enforcement of, any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined not more than TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$200.00) for each offense. Each violation shall constitute a separate offense and shall be punishable as such.

PASSED AND ADOPTED, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1985.  
TO BECOME EFFECTIVE, this 1st day of July, 1985.

APPROVED:

BY: *Daniel L. Howard, Jr.*  
Daniel L. Howard, Jr., Mayor

ATTEST:

BY: *E. Ann Leather*  
E. Ann Leather, City Secretary