

**ORDINANCE NO.  
1567**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LLANO, TEXAS AMENDING CHAPTER 14, ANIMALS, ARTICLE VI, IMPOUNDMENT, SECTION 14-182, FEES FOR IMPOUNDMENT OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF LLANO; PROVIDING FOR A REPEALER CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; PROVIDING FOR PROPER NOTICE AND MEETING.**

**WHEREAS**, City Staff have prepared and submitted to the City Council a suggested amendment to the City's Animal Control Ordinance regarding the fees charged for impoundment of animals at City-owned facilities; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council is of the opinion and finds that the adoption of this amendment to the City's ordinances will promote the public health, safety, or general welfare;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LLANO, TEXAS:**

**I**

Chapter 14, Animals, Article VI, Impoundment, Section 14-182 is hereby amended in its entirety to read as follows:

**§ 14-182 Fees for impoundment.**

- a) Quarantine at city-owned facilities: Five dollars (\$5.00) per day in addition to daily kennel fee (total of \$20.00 per day).
- b) Impoundment for animals running at large \$50 for 1<sup>st</sup> offense, \$75 for second offense and \$150 for third offense in addition to a daily kennel fee of \$15 per day. The impoundment fee is at the discretion of the Animal Control Officer.
- c) Impoundment for any reason other than quarantine: twenty-five dollars \$25.00 for the first day, plus a flat fee of fifteen dollars \$15.00 per day thereafter.

**II**

The provisions of this Ordinance shall be cumulative of all other ordinances or parts of ordinances governing or regulating the same subject matter as that covered herein; provided, however, that all prior ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby expressly repealed to the extent that such inconsistency is apparent.

**III.**

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the Ordinance. The City Council of the City of Llano hereby declares that it would have passed this Ordinance and each section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses, or phrases be declared unconstitutional or invalid.

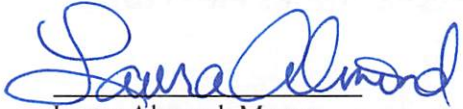
**IV.**

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage and publication as may be required by governing law.


V.

It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was passed was open to the public as required and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

**PASSED AND APPROVED, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of July 2025.**



Laura Almond, Mayor



Kim Wagner, TRMC, CPM, City Secretary