ORDINANCE NO. 116

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION V. (b)(c) OF ORDINANCE NO. 104 PROVIDING FOR A DOG IMPOUNDMENT FEE OF FIFTEEN DOLLARS PAYABLE TO THE CITY CLERK AND A BOARDING CHARGE OF TWO DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS FOR EACH TWENTY-FOUR HOURS OR FRACTION THEREOF THAT A DOG HAS BEEN IMPOUNDED, THE SAME BEING PAYABLE TO THE VETERINARIAN.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BASEHOR, KANSAS:

That Section V. (b) and (c) of Ordinance No. 104 shall be amended as follows:

(b) FAILURE OF OWNER TO REDEEM. If a dog is not redeemed by the owner. After impoundment of a dog which can be identified by the license tag, the city animal control officer shall attempt to notify the owner and the owner may claim his dog within three (3) days after notification. If the owner does not claim his dog, or if no claim is made on a dog of unknown ownership after ~~five~~ four (~~5~~ 4) days, the animal control officer shall dispose of the dog in a humane manner by: (1) Euthanasia, using a method approved by the humane society of the United States; or (2) Release for adoption by a new owner who shows evidence of ability and intention to provide the dog with an appropriate home and humane care, provided that no unspayed female dog shall be released for adoption unless the spaying fee has been paid and a certificate issued for the animal by a licensed veterinarian certifying that the fee has been paid, and the dog will be brought in for spaying within five (5) days, or if too young, that it will be brought in for spaying at the age of five (5) months.

(c) FEES. An owner redeeming a dog from impoundment shall pay, before release, an impoundment fee of Fifteen ($15.00) Dollars to the City Clerk plus a boarding charge as charged to the City by the veterinarian for each twenty-four (24) hours or fraction thereof that the dog has been impounded. Plus a license fee, or certificate of license.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Clarence I. Worley
Clarence I. Worley, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sylvia Lovvorn
Sylvia Lovvorn, City Clerk

Passed this 12 day of April, 1977.

Approved this 12 day of April, 1977.