

ORDINANCE NO. 084-077

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF ADDISON, TEXAS, AMENDING CHAPTER 4. ANIMALS AND FOWL, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, TOWN OF ADDISON, TEXAS; SO AS TO DELETE THE PROVISION FOR REDEMPTION OF ADOPTED ANIMALS; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ADDISON, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Addison, Texas are hereby amended by amending Chapter 4. Animals and Fowl, Section 4-5. paragraph (j) (adoption of impounded cats or dogs authorized; redemption by owner) to read as follows:

(j) Adoption of impounded cats or dogs authorized. Any impounded cat or dog not wearing a registration certificate may be given up for adoption after seventy-two (72) hours, except for those under quarantine. Any impounded cat or dog wearing a registration certificate may be given up for adoption on the seventh day of confinement.

SECTION 2. That any person, firm, or corporation violating any of the provisions or terms of this ordinance shall be subject to the same penalty as provided for in the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance of the City as heretofore amended, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine not to exceed the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for each offense and that each day such violation shall continue to exist shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 3. That should any paragraph, sentence, subdivision, clause, phrase or section of this ordinance be adjudged or

held to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole or any part or provisions thereof other than the part so decided to be invalid, illegal or unconstitutional, and shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole.

SECTION 4. The importance of this ordinance creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity, and the ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its adoption.

DULY PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ADDISON, TEXAS, on this the 25 day of SEPTEMBER, 1984.

MAYOR

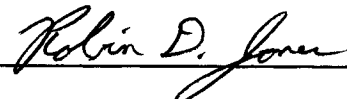


ATTEST:



ASSISTANT CITY SECRETARY

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



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