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6.04.010: OFFICE OF ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER CREATED

The position of Municipal animal control officer is created. The animal control officer shall have the same authority as otherwise provided by Utah or County law except as otherwise amended by contract. (Ord. 2017-4, 2017)

6.04.020: DOG POUND

The Governing Body may contract with some humane person as animal control officer, with an adjoining municipality or with the County for the purpose of providing suitable premises and facilities to be used by the Municipality as the dog pound. It shall be maintained in some convenient location and shall be sanitary and so operated as to properly feed, water and protect the dogs from injury. (Ord. 2017-4, 2017)

6.04.030: IMPOUNDING

It is the duty of every police officer or other designated official to apprehend any dog found running at large, not wearing his or her tag, or which is in violation of this chapter and to impound such dog in the pound or other suitable place. The animal control officer or some other designated official, upon receiving any dog, shall make a complete registry, entering the breed, color and sex of such dog and whether licensed. If licensed, he or she shall enter the name and address of the owner and number of the license. (Ord. 2017-4, 2017)

6.04.040: RECORD OF IMPOUNDING ANIMALS

The animal control officer shall keep a record of each animal impounded by him or her, the date of receipt of such animal, the date and manner of its disposal and if redeemed, reclaimed, or sold, the name of the person by whom redeemed, reclaimed, or purchased, the address of such person, the amounts of all fees received or collected for or because of the impounding, reclaiming or purchasing thereof, together with the number of any tag and the date of any tag exhibited or issued upon the redemption or sale of such animal. (Ord. 2017-4, 2017)

6.04.050: REDEMPTION OF IMPOUNDED DOGS

Any dog impounded as a licensed or unlicensed dog may be redeemed and taken from such pound by the owner or any authorized person, upon exhibiting to the supervisor or person having charge of the pound, a certificate of registry as provided in section 6.04.030 of this chapter, showing that the license imposed by this title has been paid for such dog and upon paying the person in charge of the pound an impounding fee of thirty dollars (\$30.00). (Ord. 2017-4, 2017)

6.04.060: DISPOSITION OF UNCLAIMED AND INFECTED DOGS

All unclaimed and infected dogs will be disposed of in accordance with the agreement between Millville City and the contracted animal shelter. (Ord. 2017-4, 2017)

6.04.070: INTERFERENCE WITH IMPOUNDING PROHIBITED

It is unlawful for any person to hinder, delay, interfere with, or obstruct the animal control officer or any of his or her assistants while engaging in capturing, securing, or taking to the dog pound

any dog or dogs liable to be impounded, or to break open or in any manner directly or indirectly aid, counsel, or advise the breaking open of any dog pound or ambulance, wagon, or other vehicle used for the collecting or conveying of dogs to the dog pound. (Ord. 2017-4, 2017)

6.04.080: PENALTY

The penalty for violation with this chapter shall be a Class B misdemeanor. (Ord. 2017-4, 2017)