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Revised

TOWN OF NEWBURGH

**INTRODUCTORY LOCAL LAW NO. __ OF THE YEAR 2025
AMENDING CHAPTER 104 ENTITLED
"SCHEDULE OF FEES"
OF THE CODE OF THE TOWN OF NEWBURGH:
IMPOUNDMENT FEES, ADOPTION FEES AND
RABIES VACCINATION FEES FOR DOGS AND CATS
EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1, 2025**

BE IT ENACTED by the Town Board of the Town of Newburgh, County of Orange as follows:

SECTION 1 - TITLE

This Local Law shall be referred to as "A Local Law Amending Chapter 104 entitled 'Schedule of Fees' of the Code of the Town of Newburgh: Impoundment Fees, Adoption Fees and Rabies Vaccination Fees for Dogs and Cats Effective September 1, 2025".

SECTION 2 - AMENDMENTS TO CHAPTER 104

Chapter 104 entitled "Schedule of Fees" of the Town of Newburgh Municipal Code is amended as follows:

- A. Subsection 104-6(C) of Section 104-6 entitled "Dog licenses and impoundment fees" of Chapter 104 entitled "Schedule of Fees" of the Town of Newburgh Municipal Code be and hereby is amended to read as follows:

"(C) Impoundment fees. Fees for dogs that are impounded are as follows:

(1) For the first impoundment of any dog owned by that person: ~~\$4050~~, and ~~\$1530~~ for each additional 24 hours or part thereof for the first impoundment of any dog owned by the dog owner plus costs pursuant to Code § 56-8. In the case where the dog owner has been notified that the dog is at the Town Dog Shelter, this ~~\$15 30~~ shall apply. In case there is not notification made to the dog owner advising him or her that the dog is at the Town Dog Shelter, this ~~\$15 30~~ shall not apply.

(2) For the first 24 hours or part thereof: ~~\$5060~~, and ~~\$15 30~~ for each additional 24 hours or part thereof for the second impoundment within one year of the first impoundment of any dog owned by that person plus costs pursuant to Code § 56-8.

(3) For the first 24 hours or part thereof: ~~\$75~~85, and ~~\$15~~30 for each additional 24 hours or part thereof for the third impoundment within one year of the first impoundment of any dog owned by that person plus costs pursuant to Code § 56-8

(4) For the first 24 hours or part thereof: ~~\$100~~110, and ~~\$15~~30 for each additional 24 hours or part thereof for the fourth and subsequent impoundments within one year of the first impoundment of any dog plus costs pursuant to Code § 56-8."

B. Subsection 104-6(D) of Section 104-6 entitled "Dog licenses and impoundment fees" of Chapter 104 entitled "Schedule of Fees" of the Town of Newburgh Municipal Code be and hereby is amended to read as follows:

"(D) Fee for adopted dog or cat. Fees for dogs and cats that are adopted from the Town Shelter are as follows:

(1) For any cat ~~or other than a~~ kitten: \$75 125.

(2) For any kitten \$150

(2) For any puppy: \$75 200.

(3) For any dog other than a puppy except for a senior dog adopted by a person 65 years of age or older: \$75 150.

(4) For any senior dog adopted by a person 65 years of age or older: \$0"

C. Subsection 104-6(D) of Section 104-6 entitled "Dog licenses and impoundment fees" of Chapter 104 entitled "Schedule of Fees" of the Town of Newburgh Municipal Code be and hereby is amended to read as follows:

"E. Fees for rabies vaccinations. Any dog redeemed by the owner or adopted from the Town Dog Shelter will be subject to the following fees for rabies vaccinations given by a veterinarian:

(1) For any dog redeemed by the owner: ~~\$30~~40.

(2) ~~For any dog adopted from the shelter: \$22.~~"

SECTION 3 - UNCONSTITUTIONALITY OR ILLEGALITY

If any clause, sentence, paragraph, word, section or part of this local law shall be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, word, section or part thereof directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment shall have been rendered.

SECTION 4 - EFFECTIVE DATE

This Local Law shall take effect on the later of the date it is filed in the Office of the New York State Secretary of State in accordance with Section 27 of the Municipal Home Rule Law or September 1, 2025.