

TOWN OF ALTA

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-R-6

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ALTA DOG LICENSES TO BE ASSIGNED, SETTING LICENSE FEES, AND AUTHORIZING A DRAWING FOR NEW AND FORFEITED TOWN OF ALTA CLASS A, B, OR C DOG LICENSES, TO BE CONDUCTED IF NECESSARY

WHEREAS, the Alta Town Council has adopted an Animal Control ordinance (5-2) that allows for the licensing of dogs within Town boundaries to qualified applicants, and instructs the Council to annually review and impose limits on the number of Class A, B, C, and D licenses and that allows a drawing to be held to determine the recipients of new and forfeited licenses;

WHEREAS, the Animal Control Ordinance allows the Town Council to annually establish license fees;

WHEREAS, Town of Alta Resolution No. 2020-R-7 established that there shall be 27 Class A dog licenses in effect, 44 Class B dog licenses in effect, 14 Class C dog licenses in effect, and 10 Class D licenses;

WHEREAS, 26 Class A licenses, 41 Class B licenses, and 13 Class C licenses are currently held by eligible individuals; and

WHEREAS, the Alta Town Council acknowledges that numerous qualified individuals have contacted the Town's administrative staff seeking to apply for a dog license;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. In consideration of the watershed and licensee compliance, the Town Council finds that the limit of dog licenses in Class A shall be 28, in Class B shall be 44, in Class C shall be 13, and in Class D shall be 10.

Section 2. Fees for licenses shall be as follows: watershed tag \$25 (one-time fee); annual dog license \$125; annual license for spayed or neutered dog \$100 (no dog will be licensed as spayed or neutered without proof that sterilization was performed); Class D temporary dog license (authorization letter) issued for 14 days or less \$50; and Class D temporary dog license (authorization letter) issued for more than 14 days shall be \$125. The Mayor shall have discretion to waive fees for Class D licenses in whole or in part for cause shown as the Mayor deems reasonable.

