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SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

FORM APPROVED COUNTY COUNSEL
BY: JINNY HARRIS 6/17/10
DATE

FROM: Community Health Agency, Department of Animal Services

SUBMITTAL DATE:
June 17, 2010

SUBJECT: Amend Ordinance No. 560, "Providing for Low-Cost, Non-Profit, Public Spay and Neuter Clinics for Dogs and Cats"

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1) Introduce and set for Public Hearing the adoption of Ordinance No.560.3, amending Ordinance No. 560.2, which establishes low-cost spay and neuter clinics for the public;
- 2) Authorize the Clerk of the Board to place an advertisement for the Public Hearing in the appropriate local publications; and
- 3) Upon the close of the Public Hearing, adopt Ordinance No. 560.3.

BACKGROUND: On November 2, 1976, the Board of Supervisors adopted Ordinance No. 560, (Cont'd)

Robert Miller, Director for Animal Services

RM:BW:arj

FISCAL PROCEDURES APPROVED
ROBERT E. BYRD, AUDITOR-CONTROLLER
By: Russell Dominick 6/23/10
Departmental Concurrence

FINANCIAL DATA	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$ N/A	In Current Year Budget:	No
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ 0	Budget Adjustment:	No
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$ 0	For Fiscal Year:	10/11

SOURCE OF FUNDS:	Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Requires 4/5 Vote	<input type="checkbox"/>

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: APPROVE
Michael R. Shetler
County Executive Office Signature by Michael R. Shetler

Consent
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 Dept's Recomm.:
 Per Exec. Ofc.:

Prev. Agn. Ref.: Item 9.15 of July 14, 2009
 District: All
 Agenda Number:

3.69

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Subject: Amend Ordinance 560 Low Cost Public Spay and Neuter

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BACKGROUND:

which provides for Low-Cost Public Spay and Neuter for dogs and cats.

In accordance with Board of Supervisors policy number B-4, County Departments may evaluate existing rates for services on an annual basis, and make recommendations for changes. The Department last updated rates on July 14, 2009, Agenda Item 9.15. The Department has reviewed the impact of the cost of providing services relative to the rate structure, and is proposing rate changes to specified services provided by the Department of Animal Services and to incorporate and establish a rate for Spay and Neutering Clinic and Bus Services provided by contract.

The proposed rate increases are based on other low-cost clinics within Riverside County that provide Spay and Neutering services to the public. The proposed rates for contract services are based on the cost of providing those services.

The amendment to this Ordinance contains fee revisions, as outlined in Exhibit "A."

FINANCIAL DATA

These proposed fees have been reviewed by the County Auditor/Controller. Pending Board of Supervisors approval of the Ordinance, the Department will return with budget adjustments if necessary.

These fees are not based on cost recovery but result in a county subsidy to provide low cost spay and neuter.

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Section 5. This Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after its adoption.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY
OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

By: _____
Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:
CLERK OF THE BOARD

By: _____
Deputy

(SEAL)

APPROVED AS TO FORM

June 17, 2010

By: 

JINNY R. YANG

Deputy County Counsel

EXHIBIT A

**Riverside County Community Health Agency
Department of Animal Services**

Ordinance 560 – Providing for Low-Cost, Non-Profit, Public Spay and Neuter Clinics for Dogs and Cats

Description	Current Rate	Proposed Rate	Increase/(Decrease)
Spay and Neuter Fee – Dog	\$75	\$85.00	\$10
Spay and Neuter Fee – Cat	\$35	\$40.00	\$5
Spay and Neuter Clinic – Full Day of Service	N/A	\$6862.00	\$6862
Spay and Neuter Bus – Full Day of Service	N/A	\$5285.00	\$5285

Ordinance Timeline

Type	Date	BOS Agenda #	Effective
Adopted – 560.1	December 11, 2007	9.7	January 10, 2008
Adopted – 560.2	July 14, 2009	9.15	August 13, 2009