

ORDINANCE NO. 190

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 130, SECTION 7;
PROVIDING IMPOUNDMENT PROCEDURES AND COST LEVYS
ASSOCIATED WITH SAID ACTION; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE
DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that it is in the
best interests of the people of the City of Mexico Beach that this
ordinance be enacted, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF MEXICO BEACH, FLORIDA:

Section 1. Impoundment Procedures (amending Section 7,
Ordinance No. 130). Whenever any animal shall be impounded under the
provisions of this ordinance, the Chief of Police shall make an effort
to locate the owner thereof. If the owner cannot be found, a notice
shall be posted for five (5) days at the door of the City Hall,
describing the animal and requiring the owner to reclaim the same. In
order to reclaim any impounded animal the owner or keeper thereof shall
be required to pay the impounding charges, together with an additional
fee to be determined by the City Council to defray costs incurred by
the City of Mexico Beach pursuant to said impoundment.

1. For each animal impounded in violation of this ordinance
a first time fee of five (5) dollars will be paid to duly authorized
persons appointed for this duty.

2. Second and subsequent infractions will result in the
animal being transported as expeditiously as possible to the Panama City
Animal Shelter. The current service charge for transportation is twenty-
five (25) dollars payable to the Panama City Animal Shelter for services
rendered.

3. In addition the City of Mexico Beach will levy a five (5)
dollar pick up fee and a three (3) dollar subsistence fee for each day
the animal remains in the City's care prior to transportation to the
animal shelter.

4. To retrieve an animal that has been impounded within the
city, the owner will be required to pay all fees that were necessary to
impound the animal plus fees for immunization and tag if not previously
purchased and registered.

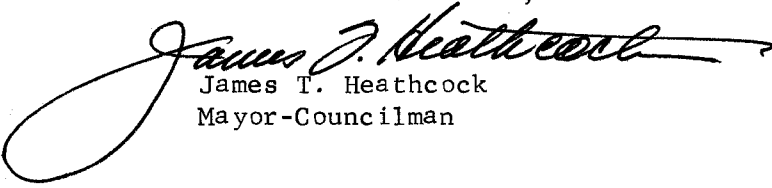
5. To retrieve an animal that has been transported to the
Panama City Animal Shelter, the owner will be required to show a receipt
issued by the City of Mexico Beach showing that owner financial obliga-
tions to the City have been met prior to animal release.

Section 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict
herewith are repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect as provided by law.

INTRODUCED at a regular meeting of the City Council on May 13,
1986, and ADOPTED by the City Council on June 10, 1986

CITY OF MEXICO BEACH, FLORIDA


James T. Heathcock
Mayor-Councilman

ATTEST:


Patricia L. Hutchinson
City Clerk