ORDINANCE NO. 322

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO 191 AN ORDINANCE FOR THE CONTROL, REGISTRATION, KEEPING OF ANIMALS AND FOWL WITHIN THE CITY OF WALTON, KANSAS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WALTON, HARVEY COUNTY, KANSAS. Section 1: Section 1-104(a) shall be amended as follows:

(a) No person shall permit an animal that they keep or harbor to run at large within the corporate city limits.

Section 2: Section 1-105(c) shall be amended as follows:

(c) Any animal running at large or without a proper dog tag shall be impounded and taken to an animal shelter. Any person keeping or harboring an animal that is running at large shall be fined for the first offense of an animal running at large \$50.00. For a second offense within a one year period, the harborer shall pay a fine of \$100.00. The third offense within a one year period, the owner or harborer shall pay a fine of \$150.00. On the fourth offense within a one year period the dog cannot return to Walton.

The harborer of any animal that does not have a proper tag as required by this ordinance shall pay a fine of \$10.00.

Any animal running at large in violation of the terms of this article or any untagged animal which is required by this article to be covered by a license and/or vaccinated may be reclaimed by its owner upon payment of the boarding fee for the animal. No impounded animal will be released to the owner/harborer unless they have a receipt showing payment of fine to the city.

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the official newspaper of the City of Walton, Kansas

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 7th day of May, 2012.

Mayor

Attest:

City Clerk