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Plano Imposes Pet Licensing Late Fee

Effective Jan. 1, 2011, the City of Plano Animal Services Division will begin charging a \$10 fee for pet registrations not renewed within 13 months of the last registration. City ordinance requires all dogs, cats and ferrets to be registered on an annual basis. Pets with current registration receive a discount on their first impound fee if they are lost or picked up by Animal Services.

The annual registration fee for sterilized pets is \$10 and for unsterilized pets is \$30. A rabies vaccination certificate, including vaccination and expiration dates is required to obtain a registration. Proof of sterilization is required for the discounted rate. Discounted rates may apply for owners 60 and old or who receive low-income assistance, and for service animals who meet certain requirements.

Pet owners can register with the City of Plano online, by mail or in-person.

To register online, go to www.petdata.com where multiple pets can be registered at one time and required documents can be uploaded. A small per-transaction convenience fee applies.

To register by mail, send a copy of the current rabies certificate and other applicable documentation, along with a check payable to the City of Plano, c/o PetData, P.O. Box 141929, Irving, TX 75014.

To register in-person, visit a location below. Bring the current rabies certificate and applicable documentation. A small convenience fee may apply per transaction:

Arbor Hills Veterinary Centre, 3501 Midway Road Ste 290, Plano, TX 75093
(972) 781-2273

North Plano Animal Hospital, 3101 Legacy Drive, Plano, TX 75023
(972) 491-0360

Plano Animal Shelter, 4028 W Plano Pkwy, Plano, TX 75093
(972) 769-4360

For more information on pet registration in Plano, visit www.planoanimalshelter.org.

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