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ORDINANCE 20-06

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING ITEM #16 OF SECTION 4 OF ORDINANCE 12-01 AND ADOPTING AN ORDINANCE PERTAINING TO PIT BULL OWNERSHIP, RESTRICTIONS AND REGULATIONS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF GRANDVIEW PLAZA, KANSAS:

SECTION 1: that portion of ordinance 12-01, section 4, item number 16 is repealed.

SECTION 2: PIT BULL OWNERSHIP, RESTRICTIONS, AND PROHIBITIONS

- A. All adult Pit Bulls within the City shall have an identification microchip implanted in the dog traceable to the current owner and registered with the City. Such microchip information shall be included in the dog's annual license application with the City. The owner, keeper, or harbinger shall assume and pay all costs associated with the microchip procedure.
- B. Adult Pit Bulls shall be altered:
 - 1. No person shall own, keep, or harbor an adult unaltered Pit Bull.
 - 2. Adult Pit Bulls shall be altered meaning that they shall be spayed or neutered.
 - 3. The owner, keeper, or harbor shall get the Pit Bull altered as soon as is medically feasible.
- C. No person shall own, keep, or harbor more than two altered Pit Bulls in a single residence. If two or more people reside in a single residence, they shall not exceed the two Pit Bull limit per residence.
- D. No person shall own, keep, or harbor a Pit Bull if they:
 - 1. In the past ten (10) years:
 - i. Were convicted of felony possession of a controlled substance under K.S.A. 21-5706 or a similar offense from another jurisdiction;
 - ii. Were convicted of felony possession or distribution of paraphernalia under K.S.A. 21-5709 or K.S.A. 21-5710 or a similar offense from another jurisdiction;
 - iii. Were convicted of felony cultivation or distribution of controlled substances under K.S.A. 21-5705 or a similar offense from another jurisdiction;

- iv. Were convicted of felony manufacturing of a controlled substances under K.S.A. 21-5703 or a similar offense from another jurisdiction;
 2. Are currently are registered as a drug or violent offender pursuant to the Kansas Offender Registration Act, K.S.A. 22-4901 et sequential.
- E. The City shall request and obtain conviction information from the Kansas Bureau of Investigation as part of the registration and licensing process.
- F. Pit Bull as used in Section 4 (#16) is defined as a canine that is:
 1. A Staffordshire Bull Terrier;
 2. An American Pit Bull Terrier;
 3. An American Staffordshire Terrier; or
 4. A dog which has the appearance and characteristics of being predominantly of the breeds of Staffordshire Bull Terrier, American Pit Bull Terrier, American Staffordshire Terrier, or any combination of these breeds.
 5. Not a dog with written certification from a veterinarian licensed by the State of Kansas, that the dog does not contain in its lineage any Staffordshire Bull Terrier, American Pit Bull Terrier, or American Staffordshire Terrier. It shall be unlawful to knowingly falsify a document certifying a canine's lineage.

SECTION 3. All ordinances and parts thereof that are inconsistent with any provision of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. Violation of this ordinance shall be an unclassified misdemeanor punishable by a fine of up to five hundred dollars and incarceration of up to 30 days.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall be effective upon publication as required by law.

Passed and adopted by the Governing Body of the City of Grandview Plaza, Kansas this 20th day of October, 2020.

CITY OF GRANDVIEW PLAZA, KANSAS

Rick Geike, Mayor

ATTEST:

Janet Young, City Clerk