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ORDINANCE 1325

## AMENDING CHAPTER 3

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 3, ENTITLED "ANIMALS", OF THE  
CODE OF THE CITY OF CHARLOTTE.

BE IT ORDAINED by the city council of the City of Charlotte,  
North Carolina, that:

Section 1. Chapter 3, §3-11, of the city code shall be  
deleted in its entirety and a new section is substituted in lieu  
thereof to read as follows:

"Sec. 3-11. Restraint of animals.

It shall be unlawful for any person owning  
or having possession, charge, custody or control of  
any animal, excluding cats, to keep such animal upon  
his own premises or off the premises unless such  
animal is under sufficient physical restraint such  
as a leash, cage, bridle, or similar effective device  
which restrains and controls the animal, or within a  
vehicle, or adequately contained by a fence on the  
premises or other secure enclosure. If a responsible  
adult is physically outside on the land with the  
animal, on the land where the owner of the animal resides,  
then this section shall not apply during the duration  
of time the animal is in the company and under the con-  
trol of that adult and the animal is on the premises.  
"Adult" is defined as eighteen (18) years of age or  
older.

Animal control officers shall have the authority  
provided in G.S. §160A-186 to seize any animal, ex-  
cluding cats, allowed to run at-large in violation of  
this §3-11. This shall include the authority, in  
carrying out and performing their lawful duties, to  
enter upon private property, not including entry into  
a dwelling unit or other similar building, when the  
animal control officer has observed that animal run-  
ning-at-large in violation of this section and such  
entry upon private property shall not be deemed to be  
a trespass.

It shall be unlawful for any person to interfere,  
to threaten, or otherwise prevent an animal control  
officer from carrying out and performing their lawful  
duties, as described above, under this section."

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Section 2. Chapter 3, §3-25, second complete paragraph beginning with the words "The City license fee" and ending with the words "for successive years", shall be deleted in its entirety and a new second paragraph is substituted in lieu thereof to read as follows:

"The City license fee for fertile dogs and cats for the 1983 City license tag, for fiscal year 1983 (July 1, 1982 through July 30, 1983), shall be fifteen (\$15.00) dollars and for the 1984 City license tags and subsequent license tags (fiscal year 1984 and for successive years thereafter) shall be twenty (\$20.00) dollars. The City license tag for sterilized dogs and cats shall be five (\$5.00) dollars for a 1983 City license tag and for successive years".

Section 3. This ordinance shall be effective upon adoption.

Approved as to form:

Henry W. Underhill Jr.  
City Attorney

Read, approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, in regular session convened on the 11th day of April, 1983, the reference having been made in Minute Book 80 and is recorded in full in Ordinance Book 32 at Page 13-14.

Pat Sharkey  
City Clerk

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ORDINANCE 1326-X

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 1184-X, THE 1982-83 BUDGET ORDINANCE, ESTIMATING STATE GRANTS FROM THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR SIGNALIZATION OF STATE MAINTAINED STREET INTERSECTIONS.

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BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina;

Section 1. That the sum of \$300,000 is hereby estimated to be available from North Carolina Department of Transportation State Grants for the signalization of state maintained street intersections.

Section 2. That the sum of \$300,000 is hereby appropriated to General Capital Improvements Program Fund 2010; Account Number 393.00 Traffic Signal Improvements.

Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 4. This ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption.

Approved as to form:

  
City Attorney

Read, approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, in regular session convened on the 11th day of April, 1983, the reference having been made in Minute Book 80 and is recorded in full in Ordinance Book 32 at Page 15.

Pat Sharkey  
City Clerk