

ORDINANCE NO. 14-\_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 102 (DEFINITIONS), 106 (ANIMALS KEPT ON PREMISES; SANITARY REQUIREMENTS), AND 110 (SPECIFIC ANIMALS PROHIBITED; EXCEPTIONS) OF ARTICLE 7 (REGULATION OF ANIMALS – GENERAL PROVISIONS), ADDING A NEW SECTION 108 (REGISTRATION OF HOOFED PETS) TO ARTICLE 8 (REGULATION OF ANIMALS – DOGS AND CATS), AND AMENDING SECTION 102 (HOOFED ANIMALS KEPT ON-PREMISES; ZONING REQUIREMENTS) OF ARTICLE 9 (REGULATION OF ANIMALS – HOOFED ANIMALS), ALL OF CHAPTER 6 (NEIGHBORHOOD VITALITY/COMMUNITY HEALTH) OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS 2001, AS AMENDED, PERTAINING TO HOOFED PETS

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS:

Section 1. Sections 102 (Definitions), 106 (Animals Kept on Premises; Sanitary Requirements), and 110 (Specific Animals Prohibited; Exceptions) of Article 7 (Regulation of Animals–General Provisions of Chapter 6 (Neighborhood Vitality/Community Health) of the Code of the City of Colorado Springs 2001, as amended, are amended to read as follows:

**6.7.102: DEFINITIONS:**

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**HOOFED PET: Any goat weighing less than one hundred (100) pounds at maturity.**

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PET: Any domesticated or wild animal which is fed, harbored or allowed to remain at or in the vicinity of a residence in the City by any person, excluding

- A. Any hoofed animal **other than a hoofed pet**;

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**6.7.106: ANIMALS KEPT ON PREMISES; SANITARY REQUIREMENTS:**

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**G. Hoofed pets are limited to two (2) per household or dwelling. The maximum number of dogs, cats and hoofed pets in any household or dwelling shall not exceed four (4) total animals**

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**6.7.110: SPECIFIC ANIMALS PROHIBITED; EXCEPTIONS:**

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**B. Hoofed Pets: It shall be unlawful for any person to keep any:**

- 1. Unaltered male hoofed pets over the age of two (2) months.**
- 2. Hoofed pet with horns or horn buds over the age of two (2) months.**

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Section 2. Article 8 (Regulation of Animals – Dogs and Cats) of Chapter 6 (Neighborhood Vitality/Community Health) of the Code of the City of Colorado Springs 2001, as amended, is amended to add a new Section 108 (Registration of Hoofed Pets) to read as follows:

**6.8.108: REGISTRATION OF HOOFED PETS:**

**The owner or keeper of a hoofed pet must register the hoofed pet with the City's animal control services provider immediately after acquiring the animal. The fee for the required hoofed pet registration shall be twelve dollars (\$12.00).**

Section 3. Section 102 (Hoofed Animals Kept On-Premises; Zoning Requirements) of Article 9 (Regulation of Animals–Hoofed Animals) of Chapter 6

(Neighborhood Vitality/Community Health) of the Code of the City of Colorado Springs 2001, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

**6.9.102: HOOFED ANIMALS KEPT ON-PREMISES; ZONING REQUIREMENTS:**

A. **Except as provided in subsection D of this section**, hoofed animals may be kept only upon compliance with the provisions of the City's Zoning Code.

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C. **Except as provided in subsection D of this section**, the shed, shelter, pen, enclosure or grazing area for hoofed animals shall be located as provided in the City's Zoning Code.

D. **Owners and keepers of hoofed pets are exempt from the provisions of subsection 7.3.105(L) of this Code with respect to their hoofed pets. Notwithstanding the immediately preceding sentence, in the event any owner or keeper of one or more hoofed pets also owns other animals that are subject to the provisions of 7.3.105(L), the number of hoofed pets kept on the premises shall be counted towards the total number of animals permitted under subsection 7.3.105(L) of this Code.**

Section 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its final adoption and publication as provided by charter.

Section 5. Council deems it appropriate that this ordinance be published by title and summary prepared by the City Clerk and that this ordinance shall be available for inspection and acquisition in the office of the City Clerk.

Introduced, read, passed on first reading and ordered published this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014.

Finally passed: \_\_\_\_\_

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Keith King, Council President

Delivered to Mayor on \_\_\_\_\_.

**Mayor's Action:**

- Approved on \_\_\_\_\_.
- Disapproved on \_\_\_\_\_, based on the following objections:

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Steve Bach, Mayor

**Council Action After Disapproval:**

- Council did not act to override the Mayor's veto.
- Finally adopted on a vote of \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_.
- Council action on \_\_\_\_\_ failed to override the Mayor's veto.

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Keith King, Council President

ATTEST:

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Sarah B. Johnson, City Clerk