## TOWN OF HARWINTON SPECIAL TOWN MEETING Tuesday, January 21, 2014

# ORDINANCE CONCERNING REDEMPTION FEES FOR IMPOUNDED ANIMALS

# Section 1. Authorization.

This Ordinance is adopted pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes, Sections 22-332 and 22-333, as amended.

## Section 2. Redemption fees.

The Town of Harwinton hereby adopts the following fees for impounded animals held at the Harwinton Animal Control Facility (a/k/a/ the "Dog Pound"):

- (a) The redemption fee for an impounded animal shall be \$15.00, plus the cost of advertising said animal for redemption.
- (b) The amount to be paid for the full cost of detention and care of an impounded or quarantined animal shall be \$25.00 per day or part of a day, during which such animal is impounded or quarantined to be paid in full at the time such animal is redeemed. The Animal Control Officer may make equitable adjustments to these fees for cats and to encourage adoption of animals as an alternative to destruction.
- (c) In the event the legislature amends the statutes to increase said fees, the fees charged by the Town of Harwinton shall increase accordingly as of the effective date of such legislation.

#### Section 3. Effective date.

This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days after publication of a summary of its provisions in accordance with Connecticut General Statutes, Section 7-157 (b).

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