OTTUMWA CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

SPECIAL MEETING NO. 34 Council Chambers, City Hall December 11, 2019 5:30 O'Clock P.M.

The meeting convened at 5:30 P.M.

Present were Council Member Berg, Stevens and Mayor Pro Tem Dalbey. Council Member Streeby and Roe were absent.

Berg moved, seconded by Stevens to approve the agenda as presented. All ayes.

Berg moved, seconded by Stevens that Res. No. 260-2019, setting the license fees for dogs effective January 1, 2020, be passed and adopted. City Attorney Keith reported the \$5 increase in dog license fees will assist in the funding of Heartland Humane Society's operations and will be paid quarterly. It is hopeful that residents will continue to license their dogs knowing that the increased fee will benefit Heartland directly. It should be noted that the criminal charge for failure to license a dog is \$75 plus court costs and surcharge for a total fine of \$161.25. Shelle Harvey and Don Darland, Heartland Humane Society Board Members, both stated they are behind this action 100% and are ready to move forward. They also stated that Heartland Humane will sell dog licenses this year. All ayes.

Mayor Pro Tem Dalbey inquired if anyone from the audience wished to address an item not on the agenda. There were none.

There being no further business, Berg moved, seconded by Dalbey that the meeting adjourn. All ayes.

Adjournment was at 5:39 P.M.

ATTEST: hristina Reinhard, City Clerk

CITY OF OTTUMWA. IOWA Matt Dalbey, Mayor Pro Tem