

## EXEMPTIONS FOR ANIMAL LICENSE FEES

The Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors ordains as follows (omitting the parenthetical footnotes from the official text of the enacted or amended provisions of the County Ordinance Code):

**SECTION I. SUMMARY.** This ordinance amends section 416-6.004 of the County Ordinance Code to revise the exemptions to the dog or cat license fee.

**SECTION II.** Section 416-6.004 of the County Ordinance Code is amended to read:

### **416-6.004 - Exemptions.**

- (a) Nonresidents. The provisions of this article shall not apply to dogs or cats whose owners are nonresidents temporarily within the county for thirty days or less, nor to dogs or cats brought into the county to participate in any dog or cat show or field trial.
- (b) ~~Handicapped~~ Individuals with Disabilities. Dogs being raised, trained and used to aid ~~handicapped persons~~ individuals with disabilities shall be licensed without fee.
- (c) Government. Dogs owned or used by the county, municipal corporations, or other public agencies shall be licensed without fee.
- (d) ~~Senior Citizens. One dog kept in a household where the owner of the dog is over the age of sixty five shall be licensed without fee.~~

**(Ords. 2016-02 § 2, 80-97 § 2.)**

**SECTION III. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This ordinance becomes effective 30 days after passage, and within 15 days after passage shall be published once with the names of supervisors voting for and against it in the Contra Costa Times, a newspaper published in this County.

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