

ORDINANCE NO. 1181

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ARTICLE 2 "DEFINITIONS", SECTION 2.03 "DEFINITIONS" OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SPRINGFIELD, SARPY COUNTY, NEBRASKA TO REVISE THE DEFINITION OF VETERINARY SERVICES TO ADD DEFINITIONS FOR VETERINARY SERVICES, SMALL ANIMAL AND VETERINARY SERVICES, REGULAR WITH LIVESTOCK, TO REVISE THE DEFINITION OF KENNEL, COMMERCIAL, AND TO ADD A DEFINITION FOR DOGGY DAYCARE; TO REPEAL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE EFFECTIVE DATE HEREOF.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SPRINGFIELD, SARPY COUNTY, NEBRASKA:

Section 1. Approval of Amendment to Zoning Ordinance. On March 11, 2025, the Springfield Planning Commission conducted a public hearing on the matter of amending Section 2.03 of the zoning ordinance to revise the definition of Veterinary Services to add definitions for Veterinary Services, Small Animal and Veterinary Services, Regular with Livestock, to revise the definition for Kennel, Commercial, and to add a definition for Doggy Daycare and reported a recommendation of approval to the City Council. On March 18, 2025, the City Council held a public hearing on said proposed amendment to the zoning ordinance and found and determined that said proposed amendment to the zoning ordinance is advisable, in the best interests of the City, and consistent with the Comprehensive Plan. The City Council further found and determined that public hearings were duly held and notices given. Therefore, the City Council hereby approves said proposed amendment to the zoning ordinance as set forth in this Ordinance.

Section 2. Amendment to Zoning Ordinance. Pursuant to Section 11.01 of the Springfield Zoning Ordinance, Section 2.03 is hereby amended as follows:

2.03.04 D

DOG DAYCARE shall mean a facility providing such services as canine day care for all or part of a day, obedience classes, training, grooming, or behavioral counseling, provided that overnight boarding is not permitted.

2.03.11 K

KENNEL, COMMERCIAL shall mean any lot or premises on which three or more dogs, cats or non-farm/nondomestic or any combination thereof (more than two dogs and two cats), at least four months of age, are ~~groomed~~, bred, boarded, trained, or sold for a fee.

2.03.22 V

VETERINARY SERVICES, SMALL ANIMAL shall mean a building or part of a building used for the care, diagnosis, and treatment of sick, ailing, infirm, or injured DOMESTIC ANIMALS, and those DOMESTIC ANIMALS who are in need of medical or surgical attention.

VETERINARY SERVICES, REGULAR WITH LIVESTOCK shall mean the care, diagnosis, and treatment of sick, ailing, infirm, or injured DOMESTIC ANIMALS AND LIVESTOCK, and those DOMESTIC ANIMALS AND LIVESTOCK who are in need of medical or surgical attention.

Section 3. Repeal Ordinances in Conflict. All other ordinances in conflict are hereby repealed.

Section 4. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 18TH DAY OF MARCH, 2025.

(SEAL)



Attest:

Barbara Heninger
City Clerk

Robert Roelund
Mayor