

**ORDINANCE NO. 2003-3**

**Amending Dog License Fees in Ordinance No. 99-5**

**WHEREAS.** the General Assembly finds that the dog license fees must be increased to meet the cost of regulating and enforcing Ordinance No. 1999-5; and

**WHEREAS.** the General Assembly finds that enforcing and administering the regulations in Ordinance No. 99-5 concerning the regulation of dogs will promote the health, safety, and general welfare of the Ophir Community;

**NOW, THEREFORE.** THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE TOWN OF OPHIR ORDAINS:

**Section 1: ORDINANCE NO. 99-5 AMENDED**

Ordinance No. 99-5 is hereby amended as follows:

**Section 4. Dog License Required** is amended by repealing Paragraph B. and re-enacting a new paragraph B. to read as follows:

"B. The Annual Licensing Fees are as follows:

	<u>Neutered or Spayed</u>	<u>Not Neutered or Spayed</u>
1. First Dog per residence	\$ 15.00	\$ 40.00
2. Second Dog per residence	\$ 30.00	\$ 70.00
3. Third and each subsequent dog per residence.	\$150.00	\$ 150.00

**Section 2: EFFECTIVE DATE**

This Ordinance shall take effect 30 days after final adoption.

**Read and approved on first reading on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of January, 2003**

**Read and approved on second and final reading on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2003**

By: Monica Carey  
Monica Carey, Mayor

Attest: Heidi Daniels  
Heidi McDaniels, Town Clerk

Eric James Heil  
Approved as to Form: Eric James Heil, Town Attorney