## ORDINANCE NO. 611

## AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF JEFFERSON, IOWA, 2017, BY AMENDING PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO THE IMPOUNDMENT AND MICROCHIPPING OF DOGS UNDER SECTION 55.17

Be it enacted by the City Council of Jefferson, Iowa:

SECTION 1. Section Amended. Section 55.17 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Jefferson, Iowa, 2017, is amended by adding this second paragraph thereto:

All dogs impounded shall have an electronic identification device, otherwise known as a microchip, placed under the dog's skin prior to release from impound and the owner shall pay the fee in the amount set in the schedule of fees adopted by the city council by resolution for the installation of the electronic identification device. If a contractor implants an electronic identification device in a dog pursuant to this section, the contractor shall retain the fee.

SECTION 2. Repealer. Any and all resolutions and ordinances, or parts thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. Severability. If any section, provision or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any section, provision or part thereof not adjudged invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 4. When effective. This ordinance shall be in effect after its final passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Finally passed by the Council and approved on July 26, 2022.
Attest:  Matt Gordon, Mayor  Roxanne Gorsuch, City Clerk
I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was published in The Jefferson Herald or August 4, 2022.