# Dog Control Fees

**Introductory Local Law #1-2023**

A local law to amend the Town of Clarkson’s “Dog Licensing and Control Law of the Town of Clarkson”.

Be it enacted by the Town Board of the Town of Clarkson.

# Section 1. Repealer. The following provisions of Chapter 56 of the Code of the Town of Clarkson entitled ""Dog Licensing and Control Law of the Town of Clarkson" are repealed:

§56-13

# Section 2. New Matter. Chapter 56 of the Code of the Town of Clarkson entitled "Dog Licensing and Control Law of the Town of Clarkson" is amended by adding the following:

**§56-13 Redemption of Impounded Dogs.**

1. The owner of any dog impounded by the Town of Clarkson shall be entitled to redeem that dog within five business days, excluding the day the dog is impounded, from the day the dog is impounded, provided that the owner produces proof that the dog is licensed and identified and upon payment of a fee as from time to time may be set by the Town Board for the first, second, third, fourth, fifth & subsequent seizures. The fee schedule, as set by the Town Board, shall be on file in the Town Clerk's office.
2. In addition to the aforesaid seizure fee, the owner shall pay an impound fee (kennel fee) as from time to time may be set by the Town Board for each calendar day (or part of a calendar day) the dog is sheltered. The fee schedule, as set by the Town Board, shall be on file in the Town Clerk's office.
3. In the event that any seized dog is taken to a veterinarian during the period of impoundment, that owner must pay a transport fee for each trip to the veterinarian as from time to time may be set by the Town Board. The fee schedule, as set by the Town Board, shall be on file in the Town Clerk's office.

Section 3. **Effective Date.**

This local law shall take effect immediately.