

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND  
OFFICE OF THE BUDGET

BILL NO. 11-16

DATE: January 28, 2016

FISCAL NOTE

**BILL: AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING: ANIMAL CONTROL – DOG AND CAT  
LICENSE FEES AND ADOPTION FEES**

SUMMARY OF LEGISLATION

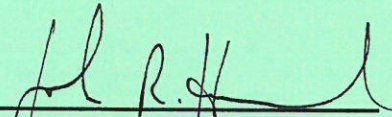
This bill reduces the fee for a one-year dog or cat license from \$4 to \$2 and a three-year dog or cat license from \$10 to \$5 for County residents under the age of 60 years. This bill also eliminates adoption fees collected for the neutering and spaying of adopted dogs and cats.

FISCAL IMPACT

This bill reduces dog and cat licensing revenues by 50% and eliminates adoption fees, thereby reducing General Fund Revenues. Using the average revenue generated over the last three fiscal years, this bill results in an annual revenue reduction of \$185,476.

**License and Adoption Fee Revenue**

	FY13	FY14	FY15	Average	Reduction
License Revenue	187,484	176,570	183,957	182,670	(91,335)
Adoption Fees	107,311	92,888	82,223	94,141	(94,141)
Lost Revenue					(185,476)

  
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Budget Officer

1/28/2016  
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