

ORDINANCE NO. 654

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 521 BY PROVIDING REGULATIONS ON THE SELLING OR GIVING AWAY CERTAIN ANIMALS; AUTHORIZING THE CITY POUNDKEEPER TO ADOPT PET SHOP REGULATIONS; MAKING IT UNLAWFUL TO KILL BIRDS; PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION HEREOF; PROVIDING OTHER MATTERS RELATED THERETO; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.

The Board of Commissioners of the City of Las Vegas do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 42 of Ordinance No. 521 is hereby amended to read as follows:

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- (b) It shall be unlawful for any concessionaire of any carnival, fair, or other amusement park or amusement affair, to give as prizes in any game of chance, any live animals, birds, fish or reptiles, and it shall further be unlawful to use any animals, birds, fish or reptiles in said carnival, fair or other amusement place as targets, or in any unusual manner. This subsection shall not be construed to prohibit the display of animals, birds, fish or reptiles in proper facilities for educational or show purposes.

SECTION 2. That the Clark County Humane Society, Poundkeeper for the City of Las Vegas, shall adopt rules and regulations for the operation of pet shops. Such rules and regulations shall first be approved by the Board of Commissioners.

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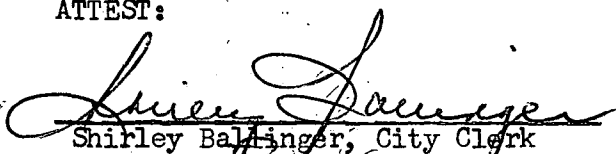
SECTION 4. Any violation of this ordinance, or any provision herein contained shall constitute a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not to exceed Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars, and/or six (6) months in the City Jail, or a combination of both.

SECTION 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon its final reading and adoption, and final publication as in the next section provided.

SECTION 7. The City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Las Vegas shall cause this ordinance to be published once a week for two successive weeks immediately following its reading and adoption, in the Las Vegas Review Journal, a daily newspaper published in the City of Las Vegas.

ATTEST:

  
Shirley Ballinger, City Clerk

APPROVED:

  
C. D. Baker, Mayor

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Voting "Aye": Commissioners Bunker, Fountain, Sharp, Whipple and Mayor Baker.

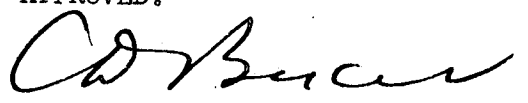
Voting "Nay": None

Absent: None

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C. D. BAKER  
Mayor

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Voting "Naye": None.

Absent: None.

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C. D. BAKER  
Mayor

ATTEST:  
SHIRLEY BALLINGER  
City Clerk  
July 24, 31

# AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF NEVADA,  
COUNTY OF CLARK.

ss.

A. F. Schellack

....., being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is Foreman of the LAS VEGAS REVIEW-JOURNAL, a daily newspaper, of general circulation, printed and published at Las Vegas, in the County of Clark, State of Nevada, and that the attached was continuously

published in said newspaper for a period of Two (2) insertions from July 24, 1955 to July 31, 1955

inclusive, being the issues of said newspaper for the following dates, to-wit:

July 24, 31, 1955

That said newspaper was regularly issued and circulated on each of the dates above named.

SIGNED

*A. F. Schellack*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of August, 1955.

NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA

My Commission Expires April 14, 1957.