

An Act relating to animals; creating Cody's Law; amending 4 O.S. 2001, Section 46, which relates to local regulation of dangerous dogs; removing prohibition of breed-specific regulations; defining terms; prohibiting ownership of certain dog without certificate of registration; providing for issuance of certificate of registration under certain circumstances; allowing city authority to issue certificate of registration under certain circumstances; permitting entities to charge annual fees; establishing maximum fee amount; requiring assignment of registration number upon issuance of certificate; requiring certain entity to tattoo or mark dog with registration number; requiring entity to maintain registration numbers; requiring issuance of certain collar; establishing registration requirements for current owners; restricting sale or transfer of dog; requiring notification to animal control authority for certain occurrences; providing for immediate confiscation of dog under certain circumstances; allowing for the housing or disposal of confiscated dogs; requiring reimbursement of certain costs; permitting owners to dispute classification of confiscated dog; providing procedures for written petition disputing classification; providing for hearing procedures; directing destruction of dog upon certain classification; providing an exception; allowing for return of dog to owner upon certain determination; requiring appeals of certain determination to district courts; prohibiting certain acts; providing penalty; establishing fine for certain occurrence; directing State Board of Health to adopt rules for the collection of certain data; specifying information to be collected; stating entities that data shall be collected from; providing for codification; providing for noncodification; and providing an effective date.