

## FISCAL IMPACT NOTE

Resolution: R-64-20

Title: Animal Control – Canine Leash Laws

**Date:** November 18, 2020

This resolution adds fines to the Fiscal Year 2021 Fines Schedule concerning violations of City Code Sections 8.04.050 and 8.04.06 that regulate dogs at large and dogs in public recreation areas. The City Code currently gives the authority for animal control to Anne Arundel County's Animal Control Unit. According to the Office of Law, the legislation proposed can co-exist with the current code; however, there may be confusion since constituents may contact both agencies. If this resolution passes, the City may assess the related fine revenue; however, we cannot determine the amount.

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