

ORDINANCE NO. _____

1 AN ORDINANCE amending Chapter 8.14 of the Lincoln Municipal Code (Child
 2 Care Programs) by amending Section 8.14.037 relating to fees for plan review and certificates of
 3 compliance for child care programs, and Section 8.14.150 relating to the reinstatement fee for
 4 suspended certificates of compliance, to authorize the City Council to establish or revise such
 5 fees by resolution; and repealing Sections 8.14.037 and 8.14.150 of the Lincoln Municipal Code
 6 as hitherto existing.

7 BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Lincoln, Nebraska:

8 Section 1. That Section 8.14.037 of the Lincoln Municipal Code be amended to
 9 read as follows:

10 **8.14.037 Child Care Program; Fees.**

11 (a) ~~The following fees are required~~ The City Council may, by resolution, from time
 12 to time establish or revise fees for the following:

- 13 (1) Plan review for new, remodeled, or relocated child care programs ~~\$115.00~~
- 14 (2) Fees for certificate of compliance (initial or renewal):
 - 15 ~~School-age child care program \$115.00~~
 - 16 ~~_____ All other child care programs:~~
 - 17 ~~_____ Providing care for less than four hours per day . . . \$115.00~~
 - 18 ~~_____ Providing care for four or more hours per day with:~~
 - 19 ~~_____ 50 or less children \$145.00~~
 - 20 ~~_____ 51 to 100 children \$170.00~~
 - 21 ~~_____ 101 or more children \$200.00~~
 - 22 ~~_____ (The number of children shall be based~~
 - 23 ~~_____ on licensing capacity, if applicable.)~~

24 (b) Any person issued a new certificate of compliance after July 31 and before
 25 December 15 of each year shall pay 67% of the annual fee. Any person issued a new certificate

1 of compliance on or after December 15 and before February 1 shall pay the initial fee and such
2 permit shall be valid until January 31 of the following year.

3 (c) Fees shall be payable to the Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department and the
4 Health Director shall deposit the fees at the City Treasurer's Office. The City Treasurer shall
5 credit the fees to the Health Fund. No fees shall be refunded.

6 Section 2. That Section 8.14.150 of the Lincoln Municipal Code be amended to
7 read as follows:

8 **8.14.150 Suspended Certificate of Compliance; Reinstatement Fee.**

9 Any operator eligible for reinstatement as provided in this chapter; shall pay a
10 reinstatement fee of ~~\$115.00~~ as the City Council may, by resolution, from time to time establish
11 or revise in addition to any other applicable fees. The Health Director shall not reinstate the
12 certificate of compliance until the reinstatement fee is paid.

13 Section 3. Any and all fees in effect on August 1, 2014, under the sections
14 amended by this ordinance shall remain in effect until such time as the City Council passes a
15 resolution establishing or revising said fees as authorized herein.

16 Section 4. That Sections 8.14.037 and 8.14.150 of the Lincoln Municipal Code as
17 hitherto existing be and the same are hereby repealed.

18 Section 5. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after
19 passage and publication in one issue of a daily or weekly newspaper of general circulation in the
20 City, according to law.

Introduced by:

14-102

Approved as to Form & Legality:

City Attorney

Approved this ___ day of _____, 2014:

Mayor