

ORDINANCE #265

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 2-3-5 TO MARTIN CITY CODE TITLE TWO
CHAPTER THREE, DOGS AND CATS**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF MARTIN, BENNETT COUNTY,
SOUTH DAKOTA

That Martin Code 2-3-5 is hereby amended to read as follows:

2-3-5 APPREHENSION OF DOGS OR CATS

(1) It shall be the duty of the City of Martin's then acting Police force, or other person officially designated, to apprehend dogs or cats in violation of Code sec. 2-3-4. The designated official shall make a complete registry upon apprehending any dog or cat, entering the breed (if known), color, and sex of such dog or cat. The designated official shall enter the name and address of the owner (if known), the number of the license tag, if any, and location of where the dog or cat was found. The designated official may euthanize unlicensed dogs or cats pursuant to Code sec. 2-3-6(1)(iii).

This Ordinance shall be in force from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

Authority: SDCL 21-10-6; SDCL 9-29-12; SDCL 9-29-13

Dated this 14 day of May, 2025.

CITY OF MARTIN
A Municipal Corporation

By: _____
Gary Rayhill, Mayor

ATTEST:

By: _____
Finance Officer

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