

**CITY OF STANWOOD
Stanwood, Washington**

ORDINANCE 1352

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF STANWOOD, WASHINGTON,
ADJUSTING BUSINESS LICENSE ANNUAL FEES AND AMENDING
SECTION 3.30.080 OF THE STANWOOD MUNICIPAL CODE.**

WHEREAS, the city council of the City of Stanwood has the authority to establish rates and fees by ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the city needs to adequately provide for the cost of providing business licensing services and economic development efforts; and

WHEREAS, the city's finance committee, based on its review of business license annual fees, recommends an adjustment in 2014 to provide for the cost of providing business license services and economic development efforts.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STANWOOD, WASHINGTON DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. SMC Section 3.30.080 Business license annual fees is hereby amended to read as follows:

3.30.080 Business license annual fees.

General	\$50.00 35.00
business	

Animal shelters, kennels, pet shops, grooming services, see SMC 3.30.100 Dog license and animal control fees.

Section 2. Severability. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this ordinance should be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this ordinance.

Section 3. Effective Date. This ordinance will become effective January 1, 2014.

PASSED by the City Council and APPROVED by the Mayor this 26th day of September, 2013.

CITY OF STANWOOD

By Leonard Kelly Mayor Pro Tem
Dianne White, Mayor

Attest:

By Greg Thramer
Greg Thramer, City Clerk

Approved as to form:

By Grant K. Weed
Grant K. Weed, City Attorney