

# ANIMAL SHELTER ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

Thursday, September 19, 2024 at 1:30 PM 213 North Race Street Everman, TX 76140

# **MINUTES**

#### 1. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

Judy Sellers called meeting to order at 1:35pm.

PRESENT
Judy Sellers
Alan Pierce
Dr. Patrick Reeves
Ray Rentschler (ACO)

Craig Spencer, City Manager

Mindi Parks, City Secretary

Absent:

Stephanie Boardingham

Susan Mackey

Sara Jones

- 2. INVOCATION
- 3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 4. CONSENT AGENDA
- 5. CITIZEN'S COMMENTS
- 6. DISCUSSION ITEMS
  - A. Animal Shelter Updates

Ray updated the board with the progress happening at the shelter. Emily Williams, Outreach Officer has been a huge help. Ray has displayed the numbers for the shelter on his slide and

over all the numbers have been down and that has been nice. He has also displayed the upgrades that have been completed at the shelter. The over flow Quarantine is a nice upgrade for the shelter.

## B. Possible new Ordinance changes

Most of the members that have viewed the Ordinance has shared that they like and are ok with this ordinance. This will be an ordinance that will be in Everman and Forest Hill and the goal is to have it concurrent in both cities. Forest Hill will have this go before their council first. This will go before one council at a time. Alan had some notes on this and gave those to Ray to incorporate those notes in the Ordinance.

### C. National Night Out

Other Upcoming Events

Ray is trying to get something together for National Night Out. He is working on that. Craig stated that the board members are more than welcome to come out and help out with the activities.

#### 7. CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

A. Continue discussion of possible ordinance changes

Motion made by Reeves, Seconded by Pierce to table this item.

#### 8. EXECUTIVE SESSION

#### 9. ADJOURN

Judy Sellers adjourned the meeting at 2:08pm.

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/s/ Mindi Parks City Secretary

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- B. Section 551.072 Purchase, Sale, Exchange, Lease, or Value of Real Property.
- C. Section 551.073 Deliberation Regarding Prospective Gift.
- D. Section 551.074 Personnel Matters.
- E. Section 551.087- Deliberation Regarding Economic Development Negotiations.
- F. Section 551.089 Deliberations Regarding Security Devices or Security Audits.

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