



Animal Shelter Advisory Committee
05/17/2018

Notice is hereby given of a regular meeting of the Animal Shelter Advisory Committee of the City of San Angelo to be held on May 17, 2018 at 12:00 PM at the McNease Convention Center – South Meeting Room, 501 Rio Concho Drive, San Angelo, Texas, for the purpose of considering the following agenda items.

1. Call to Order

2. Public Comment

Issues or items that are not on the agenda may be raised by the public at this time. Citizens should speak from the podium, begin by stating their name and limit remarks to less than three minutes. Committee members may request that a discussed item be placed on a future agenda. The Committee takes public comment on all Regular Agenda items during the discussion of those items.

3. Consent Agenda

- a. Consider approving the March 15, 2018 Animal Shelter Advisory Committee regular meeting minutes

4. Regular Agenda

- a. Discussion and possible action related to monthly shelter numbers for March 2018
- b. Discussion and possible action related to monthly shelter numbers for April 2018
- c. Discussion and possible action on animal control procedure for positive rabies specimens.
- d. Discussion and possible action on positive rabies specimens for 2018.

5. Follow Up and Administrative Issues

6. Adjournment

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the above notice of meeting was posted on the bulletin board at the City Hall of the City of San Angelo, Texas, on the 14th day of May 2018, at 10:00 a.m.

Morgan Chegwidden,
Asst. Director Neighborhood & Family Services

All agenda items are subject to action. The Animal Shelter Advisory Committee reserves the right to consider business out of posted.

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Requestor: Morgan Chegwidden, Assistant Director of Neighborhood Services, Neighborhood and Family Services, 325-657-4224

Meeting Date: May 17, 2018

Item type: Consent Item

Caption:

Consider approving the March 15, 2018 Animal Shelter Advisory Committee regular meeting minutes

Summary/History:

Attached are the draft minutes for the committee's consideration.

Financial Impact:

N/A

Other Information/Recommendation:

Staff recommends approval.

Attachments:

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| 1. | 180315 ASAC Minutes | 180315 ASAC Minutes.docx |
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Presentation:

None

Approvals/Reviews:

Morgan Chegwidden
Theresa James

Created/Initiated
Final Approval



Animal Shelter Advisory Minutes March 15, 2018

A regular meeting of the Animal Services Advisory Committee of the City of San Angelo was held on Thursday, March 15, 2018 at 12:00p.m. at the McNease Convention Center – South Meeting Room, 501 Rio Concho Drive, San Angelo, Texas, for the purpose of considering the following agenda items.

Committee Attendees: Timothy Davenport-Herbst, Carah Dunagan, Ryan Smith, Sandra Villarreal and Jenie Wilson
Staff Attendees: Bob Salas, Director of Neighborhood and Family Services
Morgan Chegwidden, Assistant Director of Neighborhood and Family Services

1. Call to Order

With a quorum of the committee members present, Chairman Ryan Smith called the regular meeting Animal Shelter Advisory Committee to order at 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 15, 2018 in the San Angelo McNease Convention Center, 501 Rio Concho Drive, San Angelo, Texas 76903.

2. Public Comment

No public comments were made.

3. Consent Agenda

- a. Consider approving the January 18, 2018 regular meeting minutes.

MOTION: Committee member Maurer made a motion, seconded by Committee member Wilson to approve the minutes. The motion carried unanimously six (6) ayes to zero (0) nays.

4. Regular Agenda

- a. Discussion and possible action related to monthly shelter numbers for January 2018.

A presentation was made by Neighborhood & Family Services Assistant Director Morgan Chegwidden. No action was taken on this item.

- b. Discussion and possible action related to monthly shelter numbers for February 2018.

A presentation was made by Neighborhood & Family Services Assistant Director Morgan Chegwidden. Committee member Maurer requested a report of rabid animals at future committee meetings. No action was taken on this item.

5. Follow Up and Administrative Issues

No items were stated.

6. Adjournment

MOTION: Committee member Villarreal made a motion, seconded by Committee member Davenport-Herbst to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried unanimously six (6) ayes to zero (0) nays.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:18 p.m.

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Requestor: Morgan Chegwidden, Assistant Director of Neighborhood Services, Neighborhood and Family Services, 325-657-4224

Meeting Date: May 17, 2018

Item type: Regular Item

Caption:

Discussion and possible action related to monthly shelter numbers for March 2018

Summary/History:

March 2018 marked 2 years in a row where no adoptable animal was euthanized.

418 new animals arrived in the shelter during March. 135 were adopted, 68 were redeemed by their owner, 159 were euthanized and 242 were left in the shelter at month end.

Our live release rate was 72.04%.

15 citizens used the microchip clinic.

Financial Impact:

N/A

Other Information/Recommendation:

No action necessary at this time.

Attachments:

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| 1. | 180419 ASAC Monthly Intake - March | 180419 ASAC Monthly Intake - March.pptx |
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Presentation:

Yes

Approvals/Reviews:

Morgan Chegwidden
Theresa James

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March 2018

- 0 adoptable pets euthanized
- 24 months in a row
- 15 citizens using microchip clinic



March 2018

- 418 new arrivals
- 135 adopted
- 68 redeemed by owner
- 159 euthanized (feral, injured, sick, aggressive)
- 242 left in shelter
- 72.04% released live



March 2018

- 159 Euthanized
 - 89 cats
 - 60 dogs
 - 4 skunks
 - 6 other wildlife



March 2018

- 159 Euthanized
 - 60 Sick/Injured/Failure to thrive
 - 47 Feral (not sick)
 - 43 Aggressive/Bite Quarantine
 - 4 Wildlife
 - 5 Owner requested
 - 0 Time/Space





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Requestor: Morgan Chegwidden, Assistant Director of Neighborhood Services, Neighborhood and Family Services, 325-657-4224

Meeting Date: May 17, 2018

Item type: Regular Item

Caption:

Discussion and possible action related to monthly shelter numbers for April 2018

Summary/History:

April 2018 marked 25 months in a row where no adoptable animal was euthanized.

436 new animals arrived in the shelter during April. 185 were adopted/rescue transferred, 55 were redeemed by their owner, 156 were euthanized and 232 were left in the shelter at month end.

Our live release rate reached an all-time high of 73.68%. For the last six months, we've averaged a live release rate of 70.00%.

18 citizens used the microchip clinic.

Financial Impact:

N/A

Other Information/Recommendation:

No action necessary at this time.

Attachments:

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| 1. | 180517 ASAC Monthly Intake - April | 180517 ASAC Monthly Intake - April.pptx |
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Presentation:

Yes

Approvals/Reviews:

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April 2018

- 0 adoptable pets euthanized
- 25 months in a row



April 2018

- 436 new arrivals
- 185 adopted/rescue transferred
- 55 redeemed by owner
- 156 euthanized (feral, injured, sick, aggressive)
- 18 microchip clinic
- 232 left in shelter
- 73.68% released live



April 2018

- 156 Euthanized
 - 98 cats
 - 44 dogs
 - 9 skunks
 - 5 other wildlife



April 2018

- 156 Euthanized
 - 74 Sick/Injured/Failure to thrive
 - 35 Feral (not sick)
 - 32 Aggressive/Bite Quarantine
 - 10 Wildlife
 - 5 Owner requested
 - 0 Time/Space





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Requestor: Morgan Chegwidden, Assistant Director of Neighborhood Services, Neighborhood and Family Services, 325-657-4224

Meeting Date: May 17, 2018

Item type: Regular Item

Caption:

Discussion and possible action on animal control procedure for positive rabies specimens.

Summary/History:

The attached procedure outlines how the City of San Angelo Animal Services division handles positive rabies specimens. This process is in accordance with state health code and recommended practices by the Department of State Health Services.

Although quarantine and testing procedures have are quite common, the further steps necessary if a specimen is positive requires additional attention from my staff and cooperative efforts with our regional Department of State Health Services office.

Financial Impact:

N/A

Other Information/Recommendation:

No action necessary at this time.

Attachments:

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| 1. | 180517 ASAC Positive Rabies Procedure | 180517 ASAC Positive Rabies Procedure.pptx |
| 2. | 180517 ASAC Positive Rabies Procedure | 180517 ASAC Positive Rabies Procedure.docx |

Presentation:

Yes

Approvals/Reviews:

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April 19, 2018



Positive Rabies Specimen

- What animals are tested?
 - If human or pet animal exposure, five high risk species
 - Skunk, raccoon, coyote, fox, bat
 - If no exposure but any mammal showing signs of rabies
 - Five high risk species
 - Cattle
 - Pets



Positive Rabies Specimen

- Clinical signs of rabies include
 - Change in behavior
 - Unexplained paralysis
 - Unsteady gait
 - Less common – not eating, pawing at mouth, difficulty swallowing, seizures, appearance of choking, chewing bite site, hypersensitivity to touch/sound



Positive Rabies Specimen

- How are animals tested?
 - If under quarantine, and showing signs of rabies, euthanize and test
 - If stray or wildlife, euthanize and test



Positive Rabies Specimen

- If human victim, refer to physician
 - Rabies post-exposure protocol available
 - Cannot force victim to receive treatment



Positive Rabies Specimen

- Positive exposure to pet
- Pet is current on rabies vaccine
- Immediately receives rabies vaccine booster
- Home isolation for 45 days
 - Remove from other pets
 - Limit exposure to humans
 - Wear gloves when feeding/water/handling



Positive Rabies Specimen

- Positive exposure to pet
- Pet is not current on rabies vaccine
- Immediately receives rabies vaccine series (x3)
- Home isolation for 90 days
 - Remove from other pets
 - Limit exposure to humans
 - Wear gloves when feeding/water/handling





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April 19, 2018





The City of

San Angelo, Texas

72 West College Avenue, San Angelo, TX 76903

Animal Services (325) 657-42247

Requirements for Exposure to a Positive Rabies Specimen

- City ordinance requires a quarantine period of 10 days for animals which have bitten or been bitten. For a positive rabies incident, the animal must be quarantined at the shelter or at your veterinarian.
- Once the positive exposure is known, a booster vaccine is recommended immediately.
 - If your pet is current on rabies vaccination, only one booster is needed as soon as possible.
 - If your pet's rabies vaccination has lapsed, three boosters are necessary.
- An isolation period is required by state law.
 - If your pet is current on rabies vaccination, a 45 day isolation period is required.
 - If your pet's rabies vaccination has lapsed, a 90 day isolation period is required.
- During the home isolation period, follow safe handling practices with your pet.
 - Do wear latex gloves every time you feed and water your pet.
 - Do report any signs of illness or unusual behavior to animal control immediately such as:
 - Change in behavior (friendlier, aggressive).
 - Unexplained paralysis, particularly at the exposure site.
 - Difficulty drinking or swallowing.
 - Do keep separated from other pets.
 - Do use a leash for outside walking.



Requestor: Morgan Chegwiddden, Assistant Director of Neighborhood Services, Neighborhood and Family Services, 325-657-4224

Meeting Date: May 17, 2018

Item type: Regular Item

Caption:

Discussion and possible action on positive rabies specimens for 2018.

Summary/History:

As requested at a prior meeting, this agenda item serves to describe the positive rabies specimens that we've collected this year. Year-to-date, our community has four confirmed specimens which tested positive for rabies. There has not been any human exposure in any of these instances.

Specimen 3875
January 23, 2018
Paul Ann Neighborhood
Skunk
Confirmed exposure to pet dog
Dog was current on rabies vaccine, held in home isolation for 45 days

Specimen 3881
February 27, 2018
Near Goodfellow Air Force Base
Skunk
No human or other animal exposure, observed behaving suspiciously

Specimen 3888*
March 21, 2018
Wall, Texas
Skunk
Confirmed exposure to pet dog
Dog was current on rabies vaccine, held in home isolation for 45 days

Specimen 3899*
April 19, 2018
Skunk

*Outside city limits

Financial Impact:

N/A

Other Information/Recommendation:

No action necessary at this time.

Attachments:

1. 180517 Positive Rabies Specimens

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Presentation:

Yes

Approvals/Reviews:

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2018 Positive Rabies Specimen

- Specimen 3875
- January 23, 2018
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2018 Positive Rabies Specimen

- Specimen 3899*
- April 19, 2018
- NE of Goodfellow Air Force Base
- Skunk
- Confirmed exposure to pet dog
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