

Animal Shelter Advisory Committee

DEPARTMENT:	Animal Services

FROM: Kim Peckler, Animal Services Manager

MEETING: March 8, 2023

SUBJECT:

Receive a report and hold a discussion regarding the upcoming renewal of the spay and neuter contract. (*Staff Contact: Lisa Duello, Neighborhood Services Director*)

SUMMARY:

The 3 year contracts for veterinarian services for the Spay/Neuter Program are up for renewal. The Spay/ Neuter program requires that all animals adopted from the shelter be sterilized and have current rabies vaccinations. The program is intended to assist in reducing the population of unwanted animals in the Burleson area and the State of Texas.

The contract with Burleson Small Animal Clinic and Texas Coalition for Animal Protection (TCAP) spay and neuter contracts expire on September 18, 2023. All local Burleson veterinarians will be afforded the opportunity to bid on the new contract. The renewal process will be initiated this summer 2023.

OPTIONS:

N/A – informational only

RECOMMENDATION:

No action is required of the committee; this item is informational only and for general discussion.

PRIOR ACTION/INPUT (Council, Boards, Citizens):

N/A

FISCAL IMPACT:Budgeted Y/N:YFund Name:General FundFull Account #:001-4514-323.1000Amount:\$105,000

This program is funded through the city adoption fees and scheduled by mutual agreement. The contract will be in effect for a period of three (3) years.

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