

CITY OF CHIPLEY

STAFF REPORT

SUBJECT: Ordinance No. 995 (First Reading) – Amendment to Chapter 6 - Animal Control

MEETING DATE

Tuesday, June 10 , 2025

PREPARED BY

Patrice Tanner, City Administrator

SUMMARY

This Ordinance, if approved, will amend Chapter 6 – Animal Control of the City Code of Chipley, Florida, addressing animal control by removing breed-specific regulations and introducing provisions for dangerous animals. It establishes clear definitions and measurements for noise nuisances, implements tiered penalties for violations, and outlines owner responsibilities and enforcement mechanisms. The ordinance also mandates community education on responsible pet ownership, ensures alignment with Florida Statutes.

RECOMMENDATION

City Staff recommend approval of First Reading of Ordinance No. 995.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Ordinance No. 995
2. Business Impact