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TOWN COUNCIL CONSENT AGENDA COMMUNICATIONS

AGENDA DATE: November 4, 2024

SUBJECT: Second Reading: Ordinance 2024-261, an Ordinance Amending Section 7-149 of the Johnstown Municipal Code to Prohibit the Sale of Dogs and Cats in Public Places

ACTION PROPOSED: Consider Ordinance No. 2024-261 on Second Reading

ATTACHMENTS: 1. Ordinance 2024-261, an Ordinance Amending Section 7-149 of the Johnstown Municipal Code to Prohibit the Sale of Dogs and Cats in Public Places

PRESENTED BY: Town Attorney, Avi Rocklin

AGENDA ITEM DESCRIPTION: For consideration is Ordinance 2024-261, an Ordinance Amending Section 7-149 of the Johnstown Municipal Code to Prohibit the Sale of Dogs and Cats in Public Places, which would accomplish the foregoing. Council approved Ordinance 2024-261 on first reading on October 21, 2024.

On November 20, 2023, the Town Council adopted Ordinance No. 2023-255, prohibiting, with limited exception, the sale of dogs and cats from pet shops. The Town Council expressed a desire to expand the prohibition to prohibit the sale of dogs and cats from public places, including streets, public rights-of-way, medians, parks, recreation areas and parking lots.

STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT:

- Organizational Excellence & Public Trust
 - *Strengthen public trust and confidence*
- Safe & Welcoming community
 - *Provide and maintain public safety services and awareness in our community*

LEGAL ADVICE:

The Town Attorney drafted Ordinance No. 2024-261.

The Community that Cares

FINANCIAL ADVICE:

NA

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve Ordinance No. 2024-261, on second reading.

Reviewed and Approved for Presentation,

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Town Manager