



**Animal Advisory Board Agenda
May 30, 2023**

Minutes Resolution

Discussion Item

Agenda Description:

Discussion on Animal Services updates.

Background Information:

- Introduction of the new manager, and new staff members
- Cleanup and reorganization of the shelter
- Adoption events and shot clinics for the public
- Reestablished donations from Walmart; established a new relationship with Operation Kindness
- Changes in vendors for better pricing and service
- Disease control and challenges
- Expanded presence on social media (adopt-a-pet, Petfinder, etc.)
- Feral cat program
- Increased enforcement of city ordinances
- Future planning (TxDOT underpass)
- Ordinance Updates
 - Dog at Large
 - Trapping
 - Dismissed citations and final remedies
 - Proof of rabies for surrenders
 - Refusal of owner surrenders due to space availability
 - Failed adoptions to be processed as owner surrenders
 - Adjustment of adoption fees for puppies and kittens

Keeping of Fowl and Livestock (2.05.006)

Financial Information:

N/A

City Contact and Recommendations:

Amber Bransom

Attachments:

- April 2023 Shelter Statistics