



Lake City Columbia County
Humane Society
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Lake City, FL 32055
(386)752-3191

July 27, 2022

Mr. Paul Dyal, City Manager
City of Lake City
205 North Marion Ave.
Lake City, FL 32055

RE: Lake City Humane Society City Funding Application

Dear Mr. Dyal:

The purpose of this letter is to advise the intent of the Humane Society regarding their funding request which was filed with the City of Lake City on July 14, 2022.

Currently the City of Lake City ("City") provides annual funding to the Humane Society for animal control and animal care services in the City of Lake City. There is no contract between the City and the Humane Society.

The Humane Society seeks to enter into a contract with the City to provide animal control and animal care services to the City of Lake City. This would negate the need to present an annual funding request, provide specific listing of responsibilities and duties of the parties and provide a reference for the provision of said services. Marlin Feagle, the Humane Society's attorney for this request, is preparing a draft contract that mirrors the animal control and animal care services the Humane Society furnishes Columbia County. He will forward a draft contract to the city attorney for review and comment.

Representatives of the Humane Society and their legal counsel would present the proposed contract to the City Council at a regularly scheduled City Council meeting. If further information is needed, or you wish to discuss, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,

Keith Williams, President