



CITY OF LAUREL, MARYLAND

RESOLUTION NO. 5-2026

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF LAUREL, MARYLAND TO DISSOLVE THE NO-KILL COMMUNITY ANIMAL SHELTER CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED BY RESOLUTION NO. 6-2023

Sponsored by the President at the request of the Administration.

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of Laurel, Maryland adopted Resolution No. 6-2023 on July 10, 2023, establishing the No-Kill Community Animal Shelter Citizens Advisory Committee; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Committee was to provide input, guidance, and recommendations regarding the development and implementation of a no-kill community animal shelter initiative; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council have reviewed the current structure, effectiveness, and ongoing need for the Committee; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined that the Committee is no longer necessary in its current form, or that its responsibilities may be more effectively managed through existing City operations, partnerships, or administrative processes; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council desire to formally dissolve the No-Kill Community Animal Shelter Citizens Advisory Committee.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Resolution No. 6-2023 originally adopted on July 10, 2023 is hereby repealed in its entirety; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the No-Kill Community Animal Shelter Citizens Advisory Committee established by Resolution No. 6-2023 is hereby dissolved and all appointments to the Committee shall terminate upon the effective date of this Resolution; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all records, documents, and materials associated with the Committee shall be transferred to the Office of the City Clerk for the proper archiving according to the applicable records retention policy.

AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall take effect on the date of its adoption.

ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2026.

ATTEST:

SARA A. GREEN, CPM, MMC
City Clerk

BRENCIS D. SMITH
President of the City Council

APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2026.

KEITH R. SYDNOR
Mayor