

ORDINANCE NO. 467-02

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF CITY COMMISSIONERS FOR THE CITY OF MANGUM, OKLAHOMA, ADDING A NEW CHAPTER TO BE CODIFIED IN TITLE 2, CHAPTER 5, CREATING A BOARD OF ANIMAL CARE AND CONTROL TO SERVE AS AN ADVOCACY BOARD AS IT RELATES TO ANIMAL CARE AND CONTROL, PROVIDE FUNDRAISING, AND OTHERWISE ASSIST IN THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE CITY'S ANIMAL CARE AND CONTROL; PROVIDING SEVERABILITY; AMENDING ALL ORDINANCES, POLICIES, OR RESOLUTIONS AT VARIANCE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of the City of Mangum, Oklahoma, the following:

Section 1. A new Title 2, Chapter 5 is created and will read as follows:

CHAPTER 5. — Board of Animal Care and Control

2–5–1. Board created; membership; appointment and terms.

There is hereby created a Board of Animal Care and Control (“BACC”) of the City. The board shall consist of five members, all of whom shall be electors of the City, appointed by the Board of Commissioners. Each appointed member shall hold office for a term of two years or until his successor takes office; except that in the first instance, two members shall be appointed for a term of office ending June 30, 2027 and three members shall be appointed for a term of office ending June 30, 2028.

2–5–2. Compensation, removal, and vacancies.

The members shall serve without compensation and shall be removable for cause by the Board of Commissioners if such member is charged with any crime, fails to attend meetings as scheduled in the same manner as provided for by state law, or fails to act in the best interest of Animal care and Control. The Board of Commissioners may fill any vacancies as provided for in section 2–5–1 of his Chapter.

2–5–3. Organization

The BACC may adopt rules in accordance with the ordinances of the City and the laws of the State of Oklahoma. Any adopted rules must be submitted to the Board of Commissioners for final approval.

2–5–4. Meetings

The BACC may establish its own meeting schedule as long as it meets at least quarterly (once every three months) and the meeting schedule does not otherwise conflict with the Board of Commissioners. Furthermore, any meeting must comply with the Oklahoma’s Open Meetings Act.

2–5–5. Powers and Duties

A. The BACC may act in accordance with the ordinances for the City and the laws of the State of Oklahoma.

B. The BACC will provide a quarterly report to the Board of Commissioners of its activities.

C. The BACC may engage in fundraising activities as long as any funds raised are donated to the City of Mangum and encumbered for use to further BACC's purpose. Any money raised through its efforts must be fully accounted and follow all auditing standards and requirements as imposed by State law on municipal finance.

Section 2. Severance

If any court with proper jurisdiction or any act by any legislature makes any provision of this ordinance invalid, the remainder of such ordinance will remain in full force and effect.

Section 3. Repealer

That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are repealed and amended to reflect the changes provided by this ordinance.

Section 4. Emergency Clause

It being immediately necessary for the preservation of public peace, health, and safety of the City of Mangum, Oklahoma, and its inhabitants, an emergency is declared to exist. By reason of the emergency, it is necessary that this ordinance goes into effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and publication.

Section 5. Publication

The City Clerk is authorized and directed to publish this ordinance in accordance with 11 O.S. § 14–106 & 14–107 in the Mangum Star-News within 15 days of its adoption and cause proof of such publication to be attached to this ordinance.

☐ ADOPTED and EMERGENCY DECLARED by three-fourths of all members of the Board of Commissioners this ____ day of _____, 2025.

☐ ADOPTED without emergency declared by three-fourths of all members of the Board of Commissioners this ____ day of _____, 2025. If no emergency declared, this ordinance will be effective 30 days after the passage of this Ordinance.

Jackie Menasco, Mayor

Attest:

Steve Kyle, Interim City Clerk