

Milford Animal Commission Minutes September 14, 2016

Members Present

M. Blake
S. Nierenberg
C. Harla
E. Leuchtner
C. Aronson, Orange Liaison

Also Present

S. Ellingson, director
Lt. S. Moore, PD
K. Dorney, volunteer

A motion was made by Commissioner Nierenberg and seconded by Commissioner Leuchtner. Motion carried.

A motion was made to accept the Wardens Report by Commissioner Leuchtner and seconded by Commissioner Nierenberg. Motion Carried.

Department Report: They did not need to evacuate the shelter due to the storm but were ready to go. The SART trailer is back in Milford. Scott reported that there was another hoarding case on Lafayette St., 33 cats and some newborn kittens that did not make it. The woman has been cooperative and after 3 days she will be charged \$15.00 a day per cat. Scott also shared that a Husky came in under quarantine and it howls all night bothering the neighbors resulting in complaints to the mayor. The owners are being asked to take the dog to their vet for quarantine. Scott checked with the City Clerk about the mail-in dog licenses and she felt that it was a good idea to put them in the pet stores. Scott will go to PetCo, Pet Supplies Plus, etc. to implement this.

Commission Report: Chairman Blake stated that the smell walking into the shelter is horrible because of the cats and since it wasn't a problem in the past she asked Scott to please take care of it. Chairman Blake asked about the status of the animals from Mayflower Place that the woman abandoned. Scott reported that there were 5 pets, 2 dogs that had to be put down because they were in such bad shape and 3 cats that got adopted, however, one went into renal failure and ultimately had to be put down.

Correspondence: Donations received: \$467.07.

Old Business:

Volunteer Update: There is a new volunteer who has been coming to do Tellington Touch with the animals to help them relax and feel more comfortable.

New Vehicle: Scott reported that he needs a new quote from Fleet Auto Supply for the package that contains the graphics, lights, etc.

A motion was made by Commissioner Nierenberg and seconded by Commissioner Harla to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned 13:02 hours.

Respectfully Submitted,
Pat Liptak