## Milford Animal Commission Minutes October 11, 2017

#### Members Present

M. Blake

- K. Dorney
- C. Harla
- S. Stanek
- S. Nierenberg

Members Absent none

Meeting Called to order at 12:00 pm.

A motion to accept the warden's report was made by Commissioner Nierenberg and was seconded by Commissioner Dorney. Motion carried.

### Department Report

- 1. Officer Ellingson will be placing cats and the Shepherd on Pet Finders this week.
- 2. Officer Ellingson trapped four adult cats and one kitten at Caswell Cove. He will still be trapping.
- 3. We have four kittens and three adult cats at the shelter. Kittens are on meds for upper respiratory.
- 4. Officer Ellingson explained new rabies management laws.
- 5. Officer Ellingson is expecting more budget cuts.

### Old Business

1. Volunteer update – none.

Donations to shelter - \$381.57

### New Business

- 1. Shelter railings have been painted.
- 2. Air conditioning needs to be repaired. Officer Ellingson will contact public works.
- 3. Setting up a petty cash account was discussed.
- 4. Milford Bank is having an adoption event on Saturday October 14<sup>th</sup> from 11:00 to 4:00. Commissioner Stanek was surprised that we were not invited to participate.
- 5. Commissioners are going to volunteer to socialize the kittens at the shelter.

# <u>Also Present</u>

S. Ellingson, DirectorLt. S. Moore, P.D.C. Aronson, OrangeLiaison

## Commissioner Report

1. Commissioner Blake inquired about the Paige Liptak fund. Officer Ellingson reported that we were waiting on the Parks department to put the bench and plaque up.

Commissioner Blake reported that ex-commissioner Ed Leuchtner was moved to assisted living and would like company and maybe bring a cat for him to spend time with.

## **Correspondence**

Commissioner Dorney is keeping up with special thank you notes, and Jane send notes to all that donate.

Commissioner Nierenberg made a motion to adjourn and was seconded by Commissioner Dorney. Meeting adjourned at 1:10 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Shelley Steeves