

**Milford Animal Commission Meeting  
October 20, 2021**

**Attendees:**

Scott Ellingson  
Sara Nierenberg  
Cherie Aronson  
Cathy Kamen  
Sue Stanek

Meeting started at 10:09 a.m.

Minutes of the October 20, 2021 meeting were approved by Sue and seconded by Cathy.

Wardens Report accepted by Cathy and seconded by Sue.

Dogs from fighting ring doing fine. They are still the property of the state so we can only feed them and cannot walk them. The oldest dog can have a blanket but not the others as it is a choking hazard. Cathy will call the state ACO to talk about the restrictions.

Cathy posted a wish list on Amazon and we received a lot of donations as a result of the post.

Marilyn has resigned her position as Chairman of the Animal Commission and will need to be replaced. Cathy suggested doing something for Marilyn and commission may donate a bench. After the next meeting on December 8 we may do something for her as she has been on the commission for 30+ years and Cathy will find out where we could put the bench, maybe at the dog park or Animal Control property. Marilyn and Ed's name would be on the bench plaque.

Two shredders were donated to Animal Control by Pat Liptak.

List of donations attached to the commission package. Whenever we ask for donations, the community has been very generous.

Deanna Jacobs visited the Animal Commission meeting to suggest using COVID recovery money for air conditioning for dog kennels. We currently have proposed to get sliding windows for kennels. As long as the windows are open, air conditioning would not work. Deanna would volunteer to help out. Letter from a different person sent to the Mayor along the same lines as Deanna made. We have been working for some time on these items.

Next meeting will be held on December 8 at 10:00 a.m.

Meeting adjourned at 11:43 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Anna Accetta