## Milford Animal Commission Minutes December 14, 2016

Members Present

M. Blake

S. Nierenberg

S. Stanek

C. Harla

K. Dorney

C. Aronson, Orange Liaison

Also Present

S. Ellingson, Director Lt. S. Moore, PD

Meeting called to order at 12:05. A motion to correct the minutes from the November meeting to change the statement "in contact with Pet-Co about selling licenses to "in contact with Pet-Co to see if they would display mail in license forms for Milford". A motion to accept the minutes with corrections was made by Commissioner Nierenberg and seconded by Commissioner Stanek. Motion carried.

Department report: There are 2 dogs available for adoption, one, a Sharpei mix, is in need of eye surgery. Two people are interested in adopting this dog. Scott requested that donation money be used for the surgery. Estimate from the surgeon is \$2557.71. Commissioner Nierenberg made a motion to pay for the dogs surgery out of the donation fund, Commissioner Harla seconded motion to pay for dogs eye surgery out of donation account. Motion carried unanimously. Scott reported that they have a Chihuahua referred by DCF. A 32 year old woman with drug addiction left behind the dog a cat and 2 kittens. Scott also handed out packets of legislative information, to be read at their leisure, that he thought would be of interest to the Commission.

Commission report: Chairman Blake welcomed the New Commissioner, Karen Dorney, who is replacing Commissioner Leuchtner.

Correspondence: Karen Dorney to be sworn in on January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2017. Donations for December 2016: \$746.00.

License survey: ongoing

Volunteer update: no volunteers at this time.

New Vehicle: Money moved, just waiting for final "OK" from Mayor Blake. If he "OK"s it, it may be 2 to 3 months before department gets vehicle.

A motion to adjourn was made by Commissioner Harla and seconded by Commissioner Nierenberg. Motion carried. Adjourned at 12:55.

Respectfully Submitted by, Pat Liptak