

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF COLLIER COUNTY
DOMESTIC ANIMAL SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Naples, Florida, August 19, 2014

LET IT BE REMEMBERED, that the Collier County Domestic Animal Services Advisory Committee in and for the County of Collier, having conducted business herein, met on this date at 6:30 PM in REGULAR SESSION at Domestic Animal Services Training Room, Davis Blvd., East Naples, Florida, with the following members present:

CHAIRMAN: Michael Simonik
VICE CHAIRMAN: Cindy Harrold
Marjorie Bloom
Aimee Leteux
James Seabasty
Sergeant David Estes
Mary Baker

ALSO PRESENT: Darcy Andrade, Director, DAS
Kyra Lynch, Animal Control Supervisor, DAS
Kellie Carroll, Administrative Assistant, DAS

I. Call to Order

Chairman Michael Simonik called the meeting to order at 6:33p.m.

II. Attendance

Attendance was taken and a quorum established.

Kellie Carroll presided over the projector displaying the Agenda packet.

III. Approval of Agenda

Michael Simonik moved to approve the agenda as written. There was a second and the motion carried unanimously, 7-0.

IV. Approval of Minutes of the June 17, 2014 Regular Meeting

Mary Baker moved to approve the Minutes of the June 17, 2014 Meeting, as presented. There was a second and the motion carried unanimously, 7-0.

V. Old Business

A. Director's Report

Darcy Andrade advised of the open Operations Manager position. Ms. Andrade also requested suggestions for the topic of the next Town Hall Meeting. A general Questions and Answers with DAS staff was decided upon. A summary of the July 22nd Recue Group Meeting was provided. Observance of 'Remember Me Thursday' on September 25th will also include a DAS open house and late hours for adoptions.

VI. New Business

A. The Paws in the Park fundraiser event was discussed.

B. An update on DAS social media campaigns was provided by **Darcy Andrade**.

VII. Public Comment

Patty Teulet discussed volunteer concerns and the Memorial Garden.

Kelly Hyland discussed an incident of a dog left in a hot car.

Michele Antonia discussed better breed descriptions of adoptable dogs to decrease emphasis of bully breeds and DNA testing of dogs.

Heather Carr suggested that the dogs being left in cars could be a topic for the Town Hall Meeting.

VIII. Advisory Board Member Comments

Marjorie Bloom discussed breed identification

Sgt. Dave Estes thanked **Darcy Andrade** and **Kyra Lynch** for assistance with a recent grow-house and cockfighting case.

June 17, 2014

Michael Simonik reported 504 transfers from Domestic Animal Services to Humane Society Naples. Mr. Simonik also inquired on information related to capital improvement plans for the Immokalee shelter.

Michael Simonik moved to adjourn. Motion received a second and was carried 7-0.

The next regularly scheduled Advisory Board Meeting will be October 21, 2014 at 6:30 in the Domestic Animal Training Room, Davis Blvd., Naples, Florida

There being no further business for the good of the County, the meeting was adjourned by the order of the Chair at 7:20 PM.

COLLIER COUNTY DOMESTIC ANIMAL SERVICES

Chairman Michael Simonik

These minutes approved by Board/Committee on _____ as presented _____ or as amended _____.