

ANIMAL CONTROL ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES
January 6th, 2010

- CALL TO ORDER The March 3rd, 2010 meeting of the Animal Control Advisory Committee was called to order by Ed Varga At 7:00 p.m. at the McHenry County Department of Health Animal Control Division 100 N. Virginia St Crystal Lake IL 60014
- PRESENT Pat McNulty, ED Varga, Bud Alexander, Joe Kozlowski, and, Jeannette Everett, Anna May Miller, Betty Schlieben
- NOT IN ATTENDANCE Dr. Mehanovic, Jerry Rivard, Sara Denham
- APPROVAL OF MINUTES A motion to pass the minutes was made by Bud Alexander second by Jeannette Everett. The motion passed unanimously.
- PUBLIC PARTICIPATION There was no Public Participation.
- OLD BUSINESS Pat McNulty explained to the committee where Animal Control was with the changes in the Article XVII updates He told the Committee that the State Attorneys office was working with J. Rivard on changes.
Anna May Miller stated she had a concern from one of her constituents about the response from Animal Control involving wildlife. Pat McNulty stated that we only respond to calls reporting sick or injured.
- NEW BUSINESS Kara Plonczynski and Sue Wells shared information about the newly registered 501c3 named Friends of McHenry County Animal Control. They told the committee that they have put the animals on twitter, My-space, and Comcast on Demand and how they are increasing marketing efforts to get the word out about Animal Control; such as joining the Chamber of Commerce and attending mixers. They explained to the committee that their goal was to fund a spay/neuter clinic in McHenry County Animal Control. Pat

McNulty suggested they makeup a brochure to put out into the public to bring awareness to the organization.

OTHER BUSINESS

Pat McNulty distributed a resolution that was sent to the Illinois Department of Agriculture (IDA) regarding issues identified by Animal Control identifying a lack of response by the IDA to public complaints

Pat also stated that on Tuesday Kara gave a Power point presentation to the County Board and how well received it was. Anna May Miller agreed.

Pat McNulty also stated that the committee needs to update Committee member's terms. There are a few members those terms maybe up. Ed Varga being one of them. Bud Alexander was nominated by Jeannette Everett for Chairman replacing Ed Vargas's position and Joe Kozlowski was nominated for the vice Chairman position. We will address them at the next meeting in May.

INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION

The Committee had no comments or questions about the End of the Month report.

ADJOURNMENT

Requested a motion to adjourn the meeting.

A motion was made by Bud Alexander second by Joe Kozlowski. Meeting adjourned at approximately 8 pm.