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DAN COSGROVE ANIMAL COMMISSION MINUTES

October 15,2024

Present: Marilyn Vailette, Melodie O'Connor, Bernice McKay, John Dendas and Eric Maass

Absent: Laurie VanWilgen, Gretchen Dale

Guest: Ellie Bloomquist

The meeting was called to order at 6:04 PM

<u>Minutes from August and September-</u> were reviewed, Melodie O'Connor made a motion to approve the minutes, Bernice McKay seconded the motion. The minutes were unanimously approved.

<u>Monthly Reports</u> — were reviewed, John Dendas made a motion to approve, Eric Maass seconded the motion. The reports were unanimously approved.

Updates from Last Month's Meeting:

Endowment Fund: money has arrived \$15,000. It will be called the DCAS medical and wellness fund. A letter is being drafted to past donors who have donated \$5000 and up with attachment form and instructions on how to donate.

Event ticketing: Eventbright is up and running successfully.

Shelter happenings: monthly volunteer orientation is filled for September and October.

Fundraisers: Upcoming Home event costs \$35.00. Sullivans wants to do another fundraiser date to be determined. Agway Adoption

Event is October 19th. There is a possibility of being part of the "Diamond for Dogs" act Water St. Jewelers. This needs further clarification

Other Marilyn has talked to Laura about the commission getting a monthly report regarding donations. Laura will provide donation amounts for each month starting in November.

Melodie O'Connor made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Bernice McKay seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously approved.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:50PM

Respectively submitted

Bernice McKay, Commissioner