

AGENDA

ANIMAL CONTROL BOARD

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Animal Control Board of the City of Amarillo, Texas, will meet in a work session at 10:30 am in the City Commission Conference Room 305 and will hold the regular scheduled public meeting at 11:00 am in the City Commission Chambers on the 3rd floor of City Hall, located at 509 SE 7th Ave on Thursday, the 21st of September 2006.

The items to be discussed are listed below:

- ITEM 1:** Approval of Minutes
- ITEM 2:** Departmental Updates
- a) Budget updates
 - b) Current statistics
- ITEM 3:** Consider an ordinance prohibiting barnyard fowl within in the city limits, with exceptions for specifically zoned locations.
- ITEM 4:** Consider an ordinance prohibiting the sale, trade or marketing of animals, etc. on roadways and parking lots.
- ITEM 5:** Consider an ordinance defining animal breeders and regulating animal breeding operations.
- ITEM 6:** Consider comments related to the Animal Control Board recommendation of August 21, 2006 to amend Sec. 8-2-1(5) to allow the verbal command of an animal on the premises of an owner or keeper as a definition of restraint.
- ITEM 7:** Presentation by Pets Are Worth Saving Committee and consideration of proposals to reduce euthanasia
- a) Differential pet licensing
 - b) Breeder permit
 - c) Family-friendly adoption services
- ITEM 8:** Public Comments
- Time is reserved for public comments from interested citizens pertaining to Animal Control matters, however the Animal Control Board can take no action.

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Mike McGee, Director of Animal Control