CAC Meeting Minutes

MULTNOMAH COUNTY ANIMAL SERVICES COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE COMMITTEE MEETING

Attendees: Susan Getty, Paige Espana, Megan Mautemps, Nancy Fedelem, Johnathan

Goodwin, Kristina Burns Wade Sadler, Jessica Roberts

Absent: Christine Croskey, Marci Jo Ashby, Linda Caradine, Kaite Gerloff, Glenda Hughs

Date: Monday January 13, 2020

Time: 6:00 pm to 8:00pm

Place: Room 126 of the Multnomah Building

Discussion Items

6:30 Welcome

• 5 members of the public attended

UPDATES:

6:35 MCAS Position Updates

- **Director** Open Recruitment
- AC and CS Ops Supervisors Closed
- Veterinarian and CVT Closed
- ACO2 and Dispatcher Closed
- Volunteer Coordinator Posting is Closed, applications being screened

6:40 Volunteer Coordinator/Program Changes

- Restructuring volunteer program and would like to see:
- More collaboration with staff
- More structure
- More clarity of positions

Examples of possible improvement:

- Build foster program for pets in crisis
- Staff support Such as Kennel Cleaning
- Better representation of community as a whole

6:55 Financial Audit Follow-Up

- Audit is complete, recommendations being drafted at this time
- Many changes already in effect since first audit
- Some recommendations may be ongoing

7:05 FAC-1 program update

• University of Wisconsin site visit recap and recommendations

- Here for 3 days shadowing staff and operations
- In process of putting together formal recommendations

Examples of possible recommendations:

- Pet retention top priority
- ACO's to provide more resources
- Restructuring fee enforcement
- Hold times and the implementation of these hold times

7:15 Term Limits for CAC members and recruiting plan discussion

- 5 CAC members terms are expiring at the end of March.
- Would like to post recruitment by the beginning of February.
 - Office of community involvement input
 - o Equity manager input
 - o Post for 30 days
- Mirror process for last recruitment.
- Additional meeting in February dedicated to this process.

• Kennel Update

• Still waiting on design approval

• Website update

• Still in progress - March-April launch date is not likely.