



Request for City Council Committee Action from the Department of Regulatory Services

Date: August 22, 2012

To: Council Member Don Samuels, Chair – Public Safety, Civil Rights & Health Committee

Referral to: Council Member Betsy Hodges, Chair – Ways & Means/Budget Committee

Subject: Accepting Donations to Minneapolis Animal Care & Control

Recommendation: Accept in-kind donations of dog and cat food and supplies

Previous Directives: None

Department Information

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Approved by:

Gregory K. Stubbs, AICP, Director of Regulatory Services

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Presenters in Committee: Jeanette Wiedemeier Bower

Financial Impact

- No financial impact
- Action is within the Business Plan

Community Impact

- City Goals

Supporting Information

Minneapolis Animal Care & Control (MACC) received in-kind donations of dog and cat food, toys and treats, and animal supplies from the following individuals and groups: Renee Dayon, MACC Volunteers, Debra Ahlman, Alyssa Ambroz, Dr. Terri Derr and Kristan Miller

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By Samuels

Approving donations of dog and cat food and treats

WHEREAS, the City of Minneapolis is generally authorized to accept donations of real and personal property pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 465.03 for the benefit of its citizens, and is specifically authorized to accept gifts and bequests for the benefit of recreational services pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 471.17; and

WHEREAS, the following persons and entities have offered to contribute the gifts set forth below to the city:

Renee Dayon	1 Beef hide twist treats
MACC Volunteers	1 Kong ball, Kong stuff'n, twists raw hide beef sticks, 4 boxes IAMS dog biscuits (24 oz each), and 1 box Zuke's mini bakes dog biscuits (16 oz)
Debra Ahlman	4 Zuke's mini natural dog treats (16 oz each), and 1 Zuke's Natural Purrrz cat treats
Alyssa Ambroz	15 fleece tied blankets, 1 cat cage
Dr. Terri Derr	5 dog and cats Kong toys, 3 bags Kong Stuff'n morsels, 3 Kong Stuff'n Cream Cheese Spread for dog Kongs, 3 Kong Stuff'n Salmon Spread for cat Kongs, 1 poster
Kristan Miller	10 bags Milo's Kitchen dog treats (3 oz each), 10 bags Purina Beggin' Little dog treats (6 oz each)

WHEREAS, all such donations have been contributed to assist the city in providing Animal Care and meeting our goals of Responsible Pet Ownership, as allowed by law; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that it is appropriate to accept the donations offered.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF MINNEAPOLIS MINNESOTA, AS FOLLOWS:

The donations described above are accepted and shall be used for the animals cared for at Minneapolis Animal Care and Control.