



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

**Date:** August 24, 2011

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

**Subject:** Accepting Donations to Minneapolis Animal Care & Control

**Recommendation:** Accept in-kind donations of dog beds; canine education posters; towels; and dog food/treats

**Previous Directives:** None

### Department Information

Prepared by: Jeanette Wiedemeier Bower, Minneapolis Animal Care & Control (MACC)

Approved by:

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Henry Reimer, Interim Director of Regulatory Services

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Dana Banwer, Director of Licensing & Environmental Services

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Dan Niziolek, Manager of Animal Care & Control

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 an in-kind donation of Kuranda dog beds from Britt and Rick Gage. MACC also received an in-kind donation of canine educational posters and bookmarks from Anne Hendrickson, towels from Margaret Josal, and dog food, medicine and treats from Jo Baer.

**Resolution 2011R-**

**By Samuels  
Approving acceptance of a gift of Kuranda Dog Beds**

Whereas community members Britt and Rick Gage have contacted Animal Care and Control desiring to donate 68 dog beds to provide greater animal care to the Animal Shelter;

Whereas community member Anne Hendrickson donated four canine educational posters and 100 bookmarks to the Animal Shelter;

Whereas community member Jo Baer donated Science Diet Nature's Best dog food (15 lb), Greenies dog treats (27 oz), Healthy Select dog chews (8 oz), 60 chewable Rimadyl anti-inflammatory pills, and Beneful dog food (70 oz);

Whereas community member Margaret Josal donated six standard bath towels;

Whereas, Section 465.03 of Minnesota Statutes requires such gift acceptance be made by resolution of City Council, adopted by a two-thirds majority of its members and expressing such terms in full;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by The City Council of The City of Minneapolis:

That Britt and Rick Gage's offer to provide to Animal Care and Control 68 Kuranda dog beds shall be accepted as a gift on behalf of the City of Minneapolis; and

That Anne Hendrickson's offer to provide to Animal Care and Control four canine educational posters and 100 bookmarks shall be accepted as a gift on behalf of the City of Minneapolis; and

That Jo Baer's offer to provide to Animal Care and Control Science Diet Nature's Best dog food (15 lb), Greenies dog treats (27 oz), Healthy Select dog chews (8 oz), 60 chewable Rimadyl anti-inflammatory pills, and Beneful dog food (70 oz) shall be accepted as a gift on behalf of the City of Minneapolis; and

That Margaret Josal's offer to provide to Animal Care and Control six standard bath towels shall be accepted as a gift on behalf of the City of Minneapolis.