

ANIMAL CARE SERVICES CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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APPOINTMENT: Seven (7) members appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council as follows:

- A. Two (2) members who are animal care professionals to include at least one (1) licensed veterinarian; one (1) may include but not be limited to a licensed veterinarian, veterinary technician, or a person actively involved in the operation of an animal control/humane society agency. Members appointed pursuant to this subsection A shall be residents of the greater Sacramento metropolitan area.
- B. Two (2) members shall be actively involved in the operation of an animal welfare organization. Members appointed pursuant to subsection B shall be residents of the greater Sacramento metropolitan area.
- C. Three (3) members at-large representing the community, and shall not be animal care professionals or affiliated with an animal welfare organization. Members appointed pursuant to this subsection C shall be residents of the City of Sacramento

TERM: Three (3) year term. Two term limit applies. A successor appointed to complete an unexpired term shall be eligible to serve up to two consecutive terms in addition to the unexpired term.

MEETING INFO: Monthly on the last Tuesday at 6:00 p.m., New City Hall, 915 I Street, Room CH1217, Sacramento, CA 95814

COMPENSATION: \$50.00 per meeting attended, not to exceed \$100.00 per month.

POWERS & DUTIES: The powers and duties of this board include:

- 1. Provide advisory recommendations to the Mayor and City Council on strategies, policies, and programs designed to assure quality care for the animals housed at the City's Animal Care Services Center, increase awareness of animals available for adoption, importance of spay/neuter of animals, assist in soliciting input from the community relating to use of unclaimed spay/neuter deposits, educate the community regarding the humane treatment of animals, and other matters related to animal care responsibilities.
- 2. Provide a forum for public discussion of the city's efforts to bring about positive change and improvements at the Animal Care Services Center.
- 3. Serve as a liaison to the Mayor, Council, and City staff on behalf of the community in matters related to animal care services.