

City of West Branch, IA – Animal Control Commission

Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, June 14, 2022 – 6:30 PM – West Branch City Council Chambers

Present: Alen Beyer, DVM (Chair), Leesa Johnson, Nate Bartz

Absent: Amy Lynch and Ashley Wildman

Next meeting: Tuesday, August 9, 2022 – 6:30 PM – West Branch City Council Chambers

1. Call to Order – Dr. Beyer

2. Roll Call – Dr. Beyer

3. Announcements

- None

4. Discussion

- Meeting Minutes from previous month's Animal Control Commission Meeting were submitted. Leesa moved to approve; Nate seconded. Motion carried.
- Update on Ordinance Changes – Currently being reviewed by City Attorney prior to being submitted for approval by City Counsel.
- Dog Park Expansion Project
 - Adam Kofoed – Spoke of online fundraising. Should be able to add additional donation line on city's website (this will allow for tracking, auditing, and refunds (if needed). Fundraising for the Dog Park Expansion Project would compete with fundraising for Hoover Hometown Days, so the desire would be to begin this after Hoover Hometown Days fundraising has been completed.
 - Will explore fundraising options with city after Hoover Hometown Days (August).
 - Dr. Beyer spoke to the urgency of the fundraising was primarily around the \$3000 down-payment for the fence to hold the quote.
 - Melissa is currently determining the best location for the new bench.
- Police Report – No new issues to report.
- Adjourn Meeting
 - Leesa moved to adjourn; Nate seconded. Motion carried.