

City of Alpine
Animal Advisory Board Meeting
Thursday, November 12, 2020 6:00pm
BY ZOOM Minutes

1. Call to Order: Maria Curry, Chair, called the meeting to order at 6:07 P.M. The meeting was held by Zoom in the City of Alpine, Texas.
2. Determination of Quorum and Proof of Notice of Meeting: Chair Maria Curry, Vice-Chair Patsy Culver, Dr. Mary Dodson, Pat McCall, Amit Rangra, and Lauren Spear present and constituting a quorum. Meeting notice was posted pursuant to the Texas Open Meetings Act. Also present, Jennifer Stewart – Alpine Animal Services (AAS) Department Head.
3. Approval of Minutes from Animal Advisory Board (AAB) Meeting of October 27, 2020. Motion was made by Dr. Mary Dodson, seconded, and unanimously carried.
4. Information, Discussion and Action:
 - a. Discuss, consider, and take appropriate action on writing a wildlife feeding ordinance. Group discussed and reviewed sample wildlife feeding ordinances.
Motion was made by Pat McCall, seconded, and unanimously carried to write a wildlife feeding ordinance.
 - b. Discuss, consider, and take appropriate action on Trap, Neuter, Return (TNR) ordinance approach. Group reviewed approaches from 7 municipalities.
Motion was made by Amit Rangra, seconded, and unanimously carried to use a sponsorship approach and write a TNR ordinance.
 - c. Discuss, consider, and take appropriate action on adding a donation by “Get Out There” a rust and weather proof container in the immediate “welcome area” of the Alpine Dog Park (Kokernot Park), which would serve as a protective bin for hosting dog toys. Chair Maria Curry had asked Joshua Beman, CEO of “Get Out There” to provide dog toys to shelter instead and consider installing agility equipment in the dog park at a later date. “Get Out There” accepted the suggestion.
Motion was made by Amit Rangra, seconded, and unanimously carried to accept “Get Out There” generous donation of dog toys to the shelter, signage of their contribution at the dog park, and agility equipment donation at a later date for the dog park.
5. Adjournment: Motion to adjourn was made by Dr. Mary Dodson and seconded. Meeting adjourned at 6:30 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,
Patsy Culver, Vice-Chair
Next Meeting - January 12, 2020 @6:00pm