

BALTIMORE COUNTY ANIMAL SERVICES  
ADVISORY COMMISSION  
July 18, 2017

The twenty-second regular meeting of the Baltimore County Animal Services Advisory Commission was held on Tuesday, July 18, 2017 in the Main Conference Room of the Drumcastle Government Center. This meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m.

By the Chair Deborah Stone Hess. Members in attendance were: Deborah Stone Hess, Maryanne Bailey, Jamie DeRita-Rodriguez, Roy Plummer, Lavinia Ringgold (by phone), Jean Townsend, VMD and Julianne Zimmer (by phone).

**Minutes**

Minutes from the June 20, 2017 meeting were motioned and approved as submitted.

Motion

Motioned by: Jean Townsend

Second by: Maryanne Bailey

Decision: Approved

**Old Business – Circus Legislation**

Maryanne reported that Councilwoman Bevins is contemplating drafting legislation. Councilman Kach, Councilman Quirk, Councilwoman Almond and Councilman Marks will be supporting it. Hoping that the bill will be introduced in August. Councilman Jones appears to be opposed. It's unknown if Councilman Crandall supports or not.

**New Business**

Second Quarter Statistics

Here are the second quarter stats for 2017.

<b>A. Live Animal Count at Beginning of Qtr</b>	46	57
<b>B. Stray/At Large</b>		
B. Stray/At Large	262	497
C. Relinquished by Owner	138	222
D. Owner Requested Euthanasia	43	43
E. Transferred in from another Agency	0	0

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F. Other Live Intakes (impounds, births, animals placed in foster care, brought in for TNR, etc)	0	128
<b>G. TOTAL LIVE INTAKE DURING QTR (B+C+D+E+F)</b>	443	890
H. Adoption	104	224
I. Returned to Owner	145	18
J. Transferred to another Agency	122	214
K. Other Live Outcome (includes TNRs released)	0	160
L. Died/Lost in Care	1	8
M. Euthanasia- at Owner's Request	43	43
N. Euthanasia-All other than owner request	37	110
<b>O. TOTAL DISPOSITION DURING QTR</b>	452	777
<b>P. Live Animal Count at End of QTR (includes Fosters). (A+G - O)</b>	37	170

Summary of Liaison Committee Meeting

BCAS has a new website.

The Maryland 2000 has started, with 18 shelters participating. Deborah did a blog post on the Maryland 2000 and sent it to all members of the Commission.

The county has resumed its old policy of requiring Spay/Neuter surgery on the second impound instead of the first impound.

Emergency evacuation shelters that accept people, will take pets as well.

Foster care: 70 animals are currently in foster care, would like to locate 6 new fosters that would take Admin Hold dogs. Admin Hold dogs usually have a history of abuse and owner is being charged with a crime.

Float in July 4 Parade

BCAS had a float in a Fourth of July parade.

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### Commission Annual Report Update

Joy, Lavinia and Deb are working on the annual report, which will probably be finished in August.

### Chair Election in July

Roy motioned to re-elect Deb, Jean seconded and all approved.

Deb asked who would like to skip August meeting...all present approved.

### **Announcement of Next Meeting Date and Location**

September 26, 2017 at Drumcastle Government Center, 6401 York Road, Third floor, Main Conference Room

### **Adjournment**

Motion to adjourn:

Motion by: Jean Townsend, DVM

Second by: Maryanne Bailey

Motion approved.

Adjourned at 7:10 p.m.