

PORTERVILLE ANIMAL CONTROL COMMISSION  
January 8, 2018  
Meeting Minutes

Meeting called to order at 5:50pm

Pledge of allegiance led by Chair Pizanis

Roll Call:

Present: Vice Chair Penaloza, Chair Pizanis and Commissioner Castaneda.  
Absent: None

Oral Communications:

No one came forward

Reports: Shelters stats for October, November, December 2017

Chair Pizanis noted that there were a lot of euthanized animals but Lt. Standridge said it was a combination of 3 months and that the numbers were still down compared to summer. Vice Chair Penaloza said that he was at the adoption event at Grocery Outlet from this past Saturday and noted that there were 8 adoptions that day.

Scheduled Matters

1. Shelter update-Lt Standridge advised that the plans are ready and now have to be reviewed by the architect. Chair Pizanis asked about taking a trip to the new shelter and Lt. said that once the building is cleaned up they can all plan a meeting out there.
2. Facebook requests- no new updates. Vice Chair Penaloza offered to take pictures and give them back to be posted. Lt. Standridge said that would be great and to come to any events that he could make. Chair Pizanis would like to make a post about keeping dogs warm during the winter and to be aware of cold temperatures.

Oral Communications from Public:

No one came forward

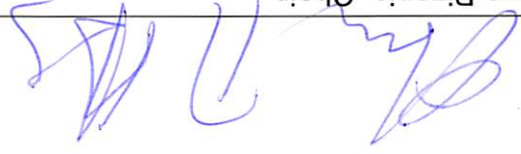
Other Matters

Commissioner Castaneda resigned due to relocation. He no longer can make meetings.

Lt. Standridge advised that they have been posting about a vacancy but there is a lack of applicants. Lt. Standridge also stated that he has a new volunteer in the works and currently has a live release coordinator in background. Another kennel-tech has been hired and is awaiting for her background to be finished. Chair Pizanis would like to get the shelter to work with the ASPCA in Visalia in some way. Lt. Standridge says that once she gets information maybe they can have some collaboration but it would all depend on the capacity.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:20pm

Respectfully submitted by Yuriko Fernandez

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'Yuriko Fernandez', written over a horizontal line.

Florenza Pizanis, Chair