

Animal Shelter Advisory Board Minutes February 4, 2015

**STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF TARRANT
CITY OF BEDFORD**

The Animal Shelter Advisory Board of the City of Bedford, Texas met in a regular session at 2:00 p.m. in the Training Room of the Bedford Police Department, 2121 L Don Dodson Drive, on the 4th day of February, 2015 with the following members present

Eric Griffin	Deputy Police Chief (Staff Liaison)
Mark Bellinghausen	Animal Control Supervisor
Dr. Susan Read	Chairman
Barbara Richardson	Board Member
Karen Killian	Board Member

(The following items were considered in accordance with the official agenda posted on the 30th day of January, 2015)

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Dr. Susan Read called the meeting to order at 2:01 p.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- 1. Consider approval of the following Animal Shelter Advisory Board Minutes:**
 - a) November 12, 2014 regular meeting:**

Board member Karen Killian made the motion that the minutes taken on November 12, 2014, be approved.

Board member Barbara Richardson seconded the motion.

Minutes were approved by consent as written.

- 2. Report on shelter statistical data**

Chairman Dr. Read asked if we could get statistical reports prior to the meeting. Mr. Bellinghausen stated that would not be a problem.

The last quarter monthly statistic reports were distributed to the Board for review. Chairman Dr. Read said the numbers looked better. Less animals came into shelter, less were euthanized more were adopted and returned to owners. There still seems to be a problem with kittens getting back to their owners.

Chairman Dr. Read asked if the city offered low cost micro chipping for pets. Mr. Bellinghausen stated that low cost microchips were offered by the veterinarian the shelter utilizes for low cost spay/neuter for

pets adopted from the shelter at a cost of \$25. Chairman Dr. Read asked if we could consider low cost chipping for owned pets.

Board member Richardson stated that the Hurst Shelter and TCAP offer low cost micro chipping.

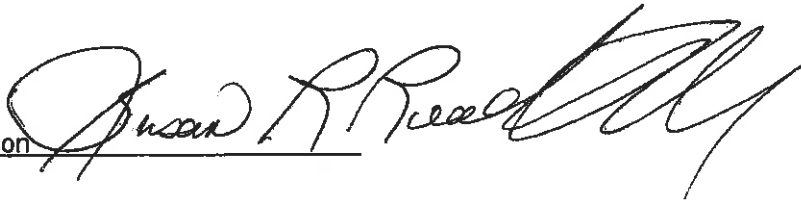
No new business on the agenda.

NEXT MEETING

3. The next meeting of the Animal Shelter Advisory Board will be held on May 13th at 2:00

Board member Killian asked if we could have the next Advisory Board Meeting on May 6th. Chairman Dr. Read said she would check her schedule to see if she was available. Mr. Bellinghausen stated there would be no problem changing the meeting if it was posted 72 hours prior

Chairperson

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Susan R. Read", written over a horizontal line. The signature is cursive and somewhat stylized.