



ANIMAL CONTROL BOARD

The mission of the Animal Control Board is to promote the public health, safety, and general welfare of the citizens of the City of Reading and to ensure the humane treatment of animals by regulating the care and control of animals within the City.

July 19, 2023

6:30 p.m.

Agenda

Virtually

Join Zoom Meeting

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Meeting ID: 419 292 6522

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I. Call to Order

II. Public Comment

Public comment will be accepted in writing through an email to michelle.smith@readingpa.gov by 3:00 pm on the day of the meeting. The comment received will be read into the record. Public comment can also be provided during the public comment section of the meeting by registering before 3 pm the day of the meeting at the email above.

III. Approval of Minutes – April 12, 2023

IV. Animal Control Agency Report

V. Old Business

- 936 N 5th St – more than 6 dogs/cats
- 438 N 9th St – keeping chickens

- 1029 Spring St – rabbits
- 318 Pine St – more than 6 dogs/cats
- 1048 Mulberry St
- 100 Neversink St
- Rooster / chicken complaints
- Animal Ordinance amendment
 - Adding regulations regarding guard dogs to Code Red / Code Blue
 - Six Dogs / Cats versus Animal Point System
- Pet Store Ban – Pittsburgh, PA and Bellevue, PA examples attached
- Zoning Ordinance amendment – no update

VI. New Business

- 618 Thorn St
- 1023 Douglass St

VII. Other Matters

VIII. Next Meeting Date – as needed or December 2023

IX. Adjourn