NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND MARKETS DIVISION OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY 10B AIRLINE DRIVE, ALBANY, NY 12235

MUNICIPAL SHELTER INSPECTION REPORT - DL-90

Rating: Unsatisfactory30 Purpose: Inspection

DATE/TOA: 7/17/25 9:00 am

LACKAWANNA SHELTER 67 REDDON STREET LACKAWANNA NY 14218 Inspector #: 79

These are the findings of an inspection of your facility on the date(s) indicated above:

1. Shelter is structurally sound	Yes
2. Housing area and equipment is sanitized regularly	Yes
3. Repairs are done when necessary	Yes
4. Dogs are handled safely	Yes
5. Adequate space is available for all dogs	Yes
6. Light is sufficient for observation	Yes
7. Ventilation is adequate	Yes
8. Drainage is adequate	Yes
9. Temperature extremes are avoided	Yes
10. Clean food and water is available and in ample amount	Yes
11. Veterinary care is provided when necessary	Yes
12. Dogs are euthanized humanely, by authorized personnel	Yes
13. Complete intake and disposition records are maintained for all seized dogs	Yes
14. Dogs transferred for purposes of adoption in compliance with Article 7	Yes
15. Redemption period is observed before adoption, euthanasia or transfer	Yes
16. Owners of identified dogs are properly notified	Yes
17. Redeemed dogs are licensed before release	No
Two dogs released to owner without license. See remarks.	
18. Proper impoundment fees paid before dogs are released	Yes
19. Written contract or lease with municipality	Not Applicable
Municipality owned.	

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Town - City - Village Information for Inspection:

TCV CODE	TCV NAME
1427	City of Lackawanna

REMARKS:

Article 7, Sections 117.4 and 117.6, the DCO or shelter cannot release an "Article 7" dog unless the owner shows proof of a current license and proof that the correct impoundment fee has been paid; the new license number issued must also be recorded in order to determine compliance at the time of inspection. Even if the dog is harbored in a different municipality or state, the owner must provide proof of licensing before release. A current license from another municipality/state is acceptable. If there is no licensing entity in the municipality where the dog is harbored, then the dog can always be licensed to wherever it is currently staying (e.g. a family member, campground/seasonal or friend's address) or even the town/city hall's address, but it MUST have a current license in order to be released to the owner.

REPRESENTATIVE PRESENT FOR INSPECTION: Caitlin Adams REVIEWED BY: Inspector #: 074

TITLE: Dog Control Officer REVIEWED DATE: 07/18/2025