

**MUNICIPAL SHELTER INSPECTION REPORT - DL-90**Rating: **Unsatisfactory30**Purpose: **Inspection**DATE/TOA: **9/25/25 11:00 am****BUFFALO CITY SHELTER  
380 NORTH OAK STREET  
BUFFALO NY 14213**Inspector #: **79**  
Inspector #: **85**  
Inspector #: **074**

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

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| <b>1. Shelter is structurally sound</b>   | Yes            |
| <b>2. Housing area and equipment is sanitized regularly</b>   | No             |
| <i>Kennels A4, A7, C10, D2, E10 and I4 show noticeable chewing damage along the wall framing the guillotine door which can not be properly cleaned and sanitized.</i> |                |
| <b>3. Repairs are done when necessary</b>   | No             |
| <i>Kennels A4, A7, C10, D2, E10 and I4 show noticeable chewing damage along the wall framing the guillotine door.</i>   |                |
| <b>4. Dogs are handled safely</b>   | Yes            |
| <b>5. Adequate space is available for all dogs</b>  | Yes            |
| <b>6. Light is sufficient for observation</b>   | Yes            |
| <b>7. Ventilation is adequate</b>   | Yes            |
| <b>8. Drainage is adequate</b>  | Yes            |
| <b>9. Temperature extremes are avoided</b>  | Yes            |
| <b>10. Clean food and water is available and in ample amount</b>  | Yes            |
| <b>11. Veterinary care is provided when necessary</b>   | Yes            |
| <b>12. Dogs are euthanized humanely, by authorized personnel</b>  | Yes            |
| <b>13. Complete intake and disposition records are maintained for all seized dogs</b>   | Yes            |
| <b>14. Dogs transferred for purposes of adoption in compliance with Article 7</b>   | Yes            |
| <b>15. Redemption period is observed before adoption, euthanasia or transfer</b>  | Yes            |
| <b>16. Owners of identified dogs are properly notified</b>  | Yes            |
| <b>17. Redeemed dogs are licensed before release</b>  | Yes            |
| <b>18. Proper impoundment fees paid before dogs are released</b>  | Yes            |
| <b>19. Written contract or lease with municipality</b>  | Not Applicable |
| <i>Municipality owned.</i>  |                |

Town - City - Village Information for Inspection:

TCV CODE	TCV NAME
1426	City of Buffalo

REMARKS:

All enclosures housing seized dogs must be structurally sound and kept in good repair to keep the dog contained and to protect it from injury. There must be no rust, jagged edges or sharp points. Damaged areas of kennels must be repaired or replaced to prevent dogs from ingesting any materials that may come loose from chewing and clawing the enclosure. All surfaces within the primary enclosure must be replaced or repaired when worn or damaged. Dirty, rough and absorbent materials protect microorganisms and are difficult to clean, disinfect and deodorize.

REPRESENTATIVE PRESENT FOR INSPECTION: Mario LoTempio

REVIEWED BY: Inspector #: 074

TITLE: Interim Shelter Director / Senior

REVIEWED DATE: 09/26/2025