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: **12/2/25 1:15 pm**

**BUFFALO CITY SHELTER**
**380 NORTH OAK STREET**
**BUFFALO NY 14213**

Inspector #: **79**
Inspector #: **074**

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

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| **1. Shelter is structurally sound** | Yes |
| **2. Housing area and equipment is sanitized regularly** | No |
| *Kennels D7, E1, E10 and I5 show noticeable chewing damage along the wall framing the guillotine door which cannot be properly cleaned and sanitized.* | |
| **3. Repairs are done when necessary** | No |
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| **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** | Yes |
| **18. Proper impoundment fees paid before dogs are released** | Yes |
| **19. Written contract or lease with municipality** | Not Applicable |
| *Municipality owned.* | |

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. 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. Repair or replace damaged sections to prevent dogs from ingesting any materials that may come loose from chewing and clawing the enclosure.**

REPRESENTATIVE PRESENT FOR INSPECTION: **Jen Butera**
TITLE: **Shelter Director**

REVIEWED BY: **Inspector #: 074**
REVIEWED DATE: **12/09/2025**