## 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: 11/14/16 2:00 pm

TOWN OF HAMLIN DOG SHELTER 80 RAILROAD AVE HAMLIN NY 14464 Inspector #: 56

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	
3. Repairs are done when necessary	Yes
4. Dogs are handled safely	Yes
5. Adequate space is available for all dogs	
6. Light is sufficient for observation	
7. Ventilation is adequate	
Noticeable ammonia fumes were present in the upper kennel area.	
8. Drainage is adequate	

An irritating odor of ammonia was present in the upper level of the shelter despite the kennels being clean and free from excrement. Since almost all of the kennels are made of impervious materials, it was determined that the source of the odor was from the drains. SEE "REMARKS"

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	Yes

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Town - City - Village Information for Inspection:

TCV CODE	TCV NAME
2603	Town of Clarkson
2606	Town of Hamlin
2611	Town of Parma

## **REMARKS:**

In a phone call with DCO Dave Maynard he agreed the odor was likely from the drains as they do not angle down properly and waste water collects in pools. A request was made and approved by the town to correct the problem within the next few weeks, Plans are for more thorough flushing of the drains and application of an odor neutralizing product until repairs are made. Re-inspection of the shelter will be conducted in approximately 30 days.

REPRESENTATIVE PRESENT FOR INSPECTION:

**Caroline Thompson** 

REVIEWED BY: Inspector #: 14

TITLE: Assistant DCO

REVIEWED DATE: 11/17/2016