

## MUNICIPAL SHELTER INSPECTION REPORT - DL-90

Rating: **Satisfactory365**Purpose: **Inspection**DATE/TOA: **6/13/11 10:00 am**

NIAGARA CO SPCA  
 2100 LOCKPORT RD  
 NIAGARA FALLS NY 14304

Inspector #: **56**


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

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### A. Standards of Care

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| 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            |
| <i>Gerber Animal Hospital or staff veterinary technician Kari McAlee-Miller provides this service.</i>   |                |
| 12. Dogs are euthanized humanely, by authorized personnel  | Yes            |
| <i>The staff veterinary technician and a certified euthanasia technician provide this service. A current NYS Health Dept issued certificate is posted.</i> |                |
| 13. Outdoor shelter complies with Article 26   | Not Applicable |

### B. Records

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| 1. Complete intake and disposition records are maintained for all seized dogs  | Yes |
| <i>A computer data system tracks all pertinent information on any animal in the facility.<br/>The DL-18 is still in use by the shelter when DCOs impound dogs in the receiving area provided to municipalities at any time of day.</i> |     |
| 2. Dogs transferred for purposes of adoption go to approved facilities only  | Yes |
| 3. Holding period is observed before adoption or euthanasia  | Yes |
| 4. Redeemed dogs are licensed before release   | Yes |
| <i>Dog owners apply for a dog license with the clerk of the town in which the dog is harbored.</i>   |     |
| 5. Impound fees paid before dogs are released  | Yes |
| <i>Impound fees are paid to the clerk of the town in which the dog was seized.</i>   |     |
| 6. Impound fees in addition to state mandated fees are set by local law or ordinance   | Yes |
| 7. Written contract or lease with municipality   | Yes |

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**Town - City - Village Information for Inspection:**

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<b>TCV CODE</b>	<b>TCV NAME</b>
2903	Town of Lewiston
2904	Town of Lockport
2913	City of Lockport
2905	Town of Newfane
2906	Town of Niagara
2908	Town of Porter
2901	Town of Cambria
2911	Town of Wheatfield
2915	City of North Tonawanda
2914	City of Niagara Falls
2907	Town of Pendleton

**REMARKS:**

**Inv. Charles Tironne and Asst Inv. Maren Robinson from the State of NY Office of the Inspector General were also present at this inspection.**

**All is in good order.**

**REPRESENTATIVE PRESENT FOR INSPECTION:**

**Kari McAlee-Miller**

**TITLE: Veterinary Technician/Kennel**

**REVIEWED BY:**

**Inspector #: 14**

**REVIEWED DATE:**

**06/15/2011**