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: **Satisfactory365** Purpose: **Inspection**

DATE/TOA: **6/13/11 10:00 am**

NIAGARA CO SPCA
2100 LOCKPORT RD
NIAGARA FALLS NY 14304

Inspector #: **56**

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

A. Standards of Care

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

Gerber Animal Hospital or staff veterinary technician Kari McAlee-Miller provides this service.

12. Dogs are euthanized humanely, by authorized personnel	Yes

The staff veterinary technician and a certified euthanasia technician provide this service. A current NYS Health Dept issued certificate is posted.

13. Outdoor shelter complies with Article 26	Not Applicable

B. Records

1. Complete intake and disposition records are maintained for all seized dogs	Yes

A computer data system tracks all pertinent information on any animal in the facility .
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.

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

Dog owners apply for a dog license with the clerk of the town in which the dog is harbored.

5. Impound fees paid before dogs are released	Yes

Impound fees are paid to the clerk of the town in which the dog was seized.

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

Town - City - Village Information for Inspection:

TCV CODE	TCV NAME
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**