

MUNICIPAL SHELTER INSPECTION REPORT - DL-90

Rating: **Pending**

Purpose: **Inspection**

DATE/TOA: **1/14/21 2:30 pm**

**NORTH COUNTRY SPCA
7700 STATE ROUTE 9N
ELIZABETHTOWN NY 12932**

Inspector #: **65**

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 | Not Applicable |
| 2. Housing area and equipment is sanitized regularly | Not Applicable |
| 3. Repairs are done when necessary | Not Applicable |
| 4. Dogs are handled safely | Not Applicable |
| 5. Adequate space is available for all dogs | Not Applicable |
| 6. Light is sufficient for observation | Not Applicable |
| 7. Ventilation is adequate | Not Applicable |
| 8. Drainage is adequate | Not Applicable |
| 9. Temperature extremes are avoided | Not Applicable |
| 10. Clean food and water is available and in ample amount | Not Applicable |
| 11. Veterinary care is provided when necessary | Not Applicable |
| 12. Dogs are euthanized humanely, by authorized personnel | Not Applicable |
| 13. Complete intake and disposition records are maintained for all seized dogs | Not Applicable |
| 14. Dogs transferred for purposes of adoption in compliance with Article 7 | Not Applicable |
| 15. Redemption period is observed before adoption, euthanasia or transfer | Not Applicable |
| 16. Owners of identified dogs are properly notified | Not Applicable |
| <i>DCOs are responsible for owner notifications.</i> | |
| 17. Redeemed dogs are licensed before release | Not Applicable |
| 18. Proper impoundment fees paid before dogs are released | Not Applicable |
| 19. Written contract or lease with municipality | No |

As it is the beginning of a new year, multiple municipalities are still in the process of approving/renewing 2021 shelter services contracts. Several municipalities also still have no shelter services available for certain dangerous dogs.

As of this date, the Towns of Chesterfield, Moriah and Westport are in compliance with shelter services available for all seized dogs.

As of this date, the Towns of Crown Point, Elizabethtown, Essex, Jay, Keene, Lwis, Newcomb, North Hudson, Ticonderoga, Willsboro and Wilmington are out-of-compliance either because they have yet to renew their usual contracts and/or because they have failed to address their lack of shelter services for certain dangerous dogs.

 Town - City - Village Information for Inspection:

TCV CODE	TCV NAME
1503	Town of Elizabethtown
1504	Town of Essex
1501	Town of Chesterfield
1502	Town of Crown Point
1505	Town of Jay
1506	Town of Keene
1507	Town of Lewis
1509	Town of Moriah
1510	Town of Newcomb
1512	Town of North Hudson
1514	Town of Schroom
1515	Town of Ticonderoga
1518	Town of Wilmington
1516	Town of Westport
1517	Town of Willsboro

REMARKS:

No Physical Inspection was carried out.

Renovations to retrofit two kennels in the DCO dog housing area with guillotine side-to-side transfer doors to enable safer handling of dangerous dogs had stalled due to COVID manufacturing/delivery delays. The Shelter Director reported to the inspector that all necessary parts have now been delivered to the shelter and they are currently working on scheduling the remaining work with their contractor.

REPRESENTATIVE PRESENT FOR INSPECTION: **N/A**
 TITLE: **N/A**

REVIEWED BY: **Inspector #: 50**
 REVIEWED DATE: **01/19/2021**