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: **Satisfactory30** Purpose: **Inspection**

DATE/TOA: **5/17/21 1:00 pm**

MOHAWK HUDSON HUMANE SOCIETY
3 OAKLAND AVENUE
MENANDS NY 12204

Inspector #: **58**

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	Yes
3. Repairs are done when necessary	Yes
4. Dogs are handled safely	Yes
5. Adequate space is available for all dogs	Yes
See Comments	
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	Yes

Town - City - Village Information for Inspection:

TCV CODE	TCV NAME
3803	Town of East Greenbush
0102	Town of Bethlehem
3802	Town of Brunswick
0104	Town of Colonie
0107	Town of Knox
0108	Town of New Scotland
3807	Town of North Greenbush
3810	Town of Poestenkill
3811	Town of Sand Lake
3813	Town of Schodack
3814	Town of Stephentown
0110	Town of Westerlo
0111	City of Albany
0112	City of Cohoes
3815	City of Rensselaer
4206	City of Schenectady
0113	City of Watervliet
0105	Town of Green Island
0106	Town of Guilderland

REMARKS:

Housing area that is designated for after hours drop off for DCOs has accumulated some clutter that MUST be removed. Clutter that was observed upon inspection included cat trees, empty mop buckets, glass aquariums, exotic/small animal cages, and garbage transport carts.

After hours housing area MUST remain free of any materials that could obstruct the ease of handling animals in a confined space and restrict vehicle access into the drop off area.

An adequate number of small and medium kennels are available in the after hours housing area. However, there are only 2 large dog kennels. It is recommended that at least two more extra large kennels be made available to accommodate the number of municipalities that the shelter is servicing.

Food bags MUST be stored off of the floor and any unopened bags MUST be sealed or transferred to a waterproof container to avoid any spoilage.

It is recommended that animal handling equipment such as catch poles, nets etc. stored in the after hours drop off area be easily accessible for DCOs.

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REPRESENTATIVE PRESENT FOR INSPECTION: **Gail Hughes-Morey**
TITLE: **Senior Vice - President for Op**

REVIEWED BY: **Inspector #: 833**
REVIEWED DATE: **05/18/2021**