

SEGUIN ANIMAL SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES
October 17, 2013

The Seguin Animal Services Advisory Committee met in regular session on October 17, 2013 at 12 p.m., in the Police Department training room.

1. Call to order.

Meeting was called to order at 12:01 p.m.

2. Roll call. (Bold indicates an appointed member)

Present:

Adam, Peggy
Campaigne, Bill
Fennel, Cathy
Lewis, Leah
Pyatt, Doug
Richard, Deliamar

Absent:

Dodgen, Donna

3. Hearing of residents.

Reminder that Fur Ball is October 19, 2013.

Mr. Campaigne discussed accountability concerns with the animals that are taken to the Guadalupe County Humane Society. He also mentioned that we need open communication between Seguin Animal Services, Guadalupe County Animal Control, and Guadalupe County Humane Society.

4. Announcement on new board member.

Welcome Mr. Doug Pyatt!

5. Review minutes from July 18, 2013.

Motion to approve the minutes regarding the July 18, 2013 Animal Services Advisory Committee Meeting.

Mrs. Fennel motioned to approve the minutes and Mr. Campaigne seconded the motion.

6. Announcement on PetSmart Adoptions.

In 2013, Animal Services began working with Animal Rescue Foundation (ARF) to transfer adoptable, sterilized cats to PetSmart. This program has been a tremendous success and gives the shelter cats an opportunity for additional exposure at the PetSmart store located at 315 Creekside Way, New Braunfels, Texas.

7. Announcement on Pets in the Park.

Pets in the park is scheduled for Saturday, November 2, 2013 at Central Park. Animal Services will be micro-chipping animals from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the park.

8. Discussion on 2013-2014 budget and update on shelter needs assessment.

Because training is a priority, Animal Services increased the training budget in order to provide the most effective and efficient service to our community. In addition, funds have been allocated for an architect to begin the planning stages of a new facility.

9. Adjournment.

Meeting was adjourned at 12:14 p.m.