

**Borough of Matawan
Code Book
Chapter 2 – Administration
Chapter 2, Section 2-42 Animal Welfare Advisory Committee**

2-42 ANIMAL WELFARE ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

2-42.1 Created.

The Mayor and Council of the Borough of Matawan herewith create an Animal Welfare Advisory Committee (hereinafter, "the Committee") to be composed of three (3) members appointed by the Mayor on an annual basis beginning January 1, 2016, which appointments shall be for a one-year period, subject to confirmation by the Council of the Borough of Matawan. The members shall serve until successors are qualified if no appointment is made on the anniversary of that member's appointment. (Ord. No. 2015-21)

2-42.2 Members.

The members of the Committee shall not be employees of the Borough of Matawan and shall be unpaid, and the members shall not be able to receive any consideration or remuneration other than membership in the Committee. (Ord. No. 2015-21)

2-42.3 Meetings; Duties.

The Committee shall meet on an as-needed basis and shall provide reports to the Mayor and Council by May 31 and September 31 of every year concerning its activities and shall make regular recommendations to the Mayor and Council concerning issues involving animal welfare and shall be afforded opportunities for the dissemination of information on the Borough's website concerning animal welfare issues as they arise, subject to the approval of the chief administrative office of the Borough of Matawan. (Ord. No. 2015-21)

2-42.4 Limitations on Rights and Duties.

The Committee shall not have any rights, duties, or obligations that are specifically delegated by law to enforcement agencies of the State, County, or Municipality concerning animal cruelty issues of any type. (Ord. No. 2015-21)

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