



## City of Doral Animal Welfare Committee Minutes

Monday, February 26, 2024  
6:00p.m.

Doral Government Center  
1<sup>st</sup> Floor Multipurpose Room  
8401 N.W. 53<sup>rd</sup> Terrace  
Doral, FL 33166

### 1. Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 6.12 p.m.

### 2. Roll Call of Board Members

Jennifer Triana, Chair	Present
Emily Marquez, Vice Chair	Present
Christopher Yankana, Board Member	Absent
Humberto Useda, Board Member	Absent/Excused
Frank Vaio, Board Member	Present

#### Also present were:

Edgard Estrada, Code Compliance Director  
A member of the public also attended the meeting

### 3. Pledge of Allegiance

### 4. Public Comments

There were no public comments. The members of the Animal Welfare Committee welcomed all the citizens present.

### 5. Approval of Minutes

#### a. November 6, 2023

**Motion to approve the November 6 meeting minutes** made by board member Emily and seconded by board member Frank. By consensus, motion passes unanimously.

### 6. Discussion Items

#### a. Future Events (April 2024): Board members reviewed the City's upcoming events:

- Dr. Seuss Storytime – March 1, 2024
- Celebrating Women's History Through Art – March 8, 2024
- Art After Dark – March 15, 2024
- Eggstravaganza – March 16, 2024

e. Movies at the Park – April 5, 2024

After much discussion, it was agreed that the presence of the Animal Welfare Committee was not required at any of the events yet, it was agreed that inviting Miami-Dade Animal Services to have a booth and adoptable pets at the Eggstravaganza would be most appropriate.

Action: E. Estrada will make a recommendation to the Parks Department on behalf of the Animal Welfare Committee.

b. **City of Doral Animal Ordinance:** Members of the Animal Welfare Committee celebrated the passing of Animal Ordinance 2024-02 which amends Chapter 3 and create article IV, requiring that pet shops in the city display the origin of the pets for sale (i.e., breeder, shelter, etc.)

Action: E. Estrada will ask Juanita Cruz to share the Ordinance with all Members of the Animal Welfare Committee.

c. **Easter Pet Preparedness:** The Board agreed that with the upcoming Easter celebrations, it was important to develop specific posts to ensure the safety of pets during the season.

Actions: E. Marquez will share articles on the issue of post development, and E. Estrada will ensure delivery to the Communications Department.

**7. Future Meeting Date**

The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, April 8<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at 6 p.m.

**8. Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 6.48 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



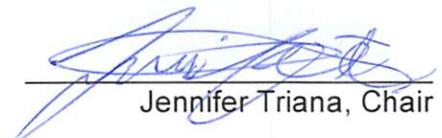
Emily Marquez, Vice Chair

Motion to approve the minutes of the February 26 ,2024 Animal Welfare Committee made by Board Member Yankana and seconded by Board Member VAIO.

- Jennifer Triana, Chair
- Emily Marquez, Vice Chair
- Christopher Yankana, Secretary
- Humberto Useda, Board Member
- Frank Vaio, Board Member



APPROVED and ADOPTED this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 2024.

  
Jennifer Triana, Chair