



# GARLAND

## NOTICE OF MEETING CITY OF GARLAND, TEXAS

### ANIMAL SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Work Session Room of City Hall  
200 N. Fifth Street  
Garland, Texas  
February 16, 2024 at 1:00 p.m.

A meeting of the Animal Services Advisory Committee of the City of Garland, Texas will be held at the aforementioned location, date, and time to discuss and consider the following agenda items.

#### AGENDA:

1. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**  
Approval from Minutes from the December 15, 2023, meeting.
2. **PUBLIC COMMENTS**  
Persons who desire to address the Committee on any item on the agenda are allowed three minutes to speak. Testimony may be held until the item is considered or given at the beginning of any committee meeting. Invited testimony may also occur at any time, subject to a request of the Member of the Committee and with the approval of the Committee Chairperson.
3. **ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION**
  - a. **Quarterly Review of Shelter Operations**  
*Art Munoz, Director of Animal Services, will provide an update on shelter operations including a review of intakes, surrenders, adoptions and service calls for the previous quarter.*
  - b. **Review of Animal Services Community Outreach Programs.**  
*Mary Fuentes, Outreach Coordinator, will provide an update on the department's public outreach include public events, educational opportunities and community partnerships.*
  - c. **Discuss and introduce the new Community Engagement Officer position.**  
*Art Munoz, Director of Animal Services, will introduce Garland Animal services new Community Engagement officer and discuss his mission and goals.*
  - d. **Discuss and review The Shelters Heartworm treatment partnership with the City of Rowlett.**  
*Art Munoz, Director of Animal Services, will discuss Garland's partnership with Rowlett Animal service.*
  - e. **Discuss and review Garland's Access to Care Partnerships.**  
*Art Munoz, Director of Animal Services, will discuss Garlands Access to care partnerships with Operation Kindness, Penny Paws and Texas Coalition of Animal Protection.*

**f. Discuss Future Agenda Items & Meeting Schedule**

*The committee will discuss future agenda items and the next meeting date.*

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**NOTE:** A quorum of the City Council may be in attendance and may or may not participate in the discussions of the Committee or board.



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**Animal Services Advisory Committee**

**1.**

**Meeting Date:** 02/16/2024

**Item Title:** Approval of minutes

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**Summary:**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Approval from Minutes from the December 15, 2023, meeting.

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**Animal Services Advisory Committee**

**3. a.**

**Meeting Date:** 02/16/2024

**Item Title:** Quarterly Review of Shelter Operations

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**Summary:**

**Quarterly Review of Shelter Operations**

*Art Munoz, Director of Animal Services, will provide an update on shelter operations including a review of intakes, surrenders, adoptions and service calls for the previous quarter.*

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**Animal Services Advisory Committee**

**3. b.**

**Meeting Date:** 02/16/2024

**Item Title:** Public Outreach

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**Summary:**

**Review of Animal Services Community Outreach Programs.**

*Mary Fuentes, Outreach Coordinator, will provide an update on the department's public outreach include public events, educational opportunities and community partnerships.*

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**Animal Services Advisory Committee**

**3. c.**

**Meeting Date:** 02/16/2024

**Item Title:** Community Engagement Officer

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**Summary:**

**Discuss and introduce the new Community Engagement Officer position.**

*Art Munoz, Director of Animal Services, will introduce Garland Animal services new Community Engagement officer and discuss his mission and goals.*

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**Animal Services Advisory Committee**

**3. d.**

**Meeting Date:** 02/16/2024

**Item Title:** Heartworm Treatment Partnership

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**Summary:**

**Discuss and review The Shelters Heartworm treatment partnership with the City of Rowlett.**

*Art Munoz, Director of Animal Services, will discuss Garland's partnership with Rowlett Animal service.*

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**Animal Services Advisory Committee**

**3. e.**

**Meeting Date:** 02/16/2024

**Item Title:** Access to care

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**Summary:**

**Discuss and review Garland's Access to Care Partnerships.**

*Art Munoz, Director of Animal Services, will discuss Garlands Access to care partnerships with Operation Kindness, Penny Paws and Texas Coalition of Animal Protection.*

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**Animal Services Advisory Committee**

**3. f.**

**Meeting Date:** 02/16/2024

**Item Title:** Future Agenda Item & Meeting Schedule

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**Summary:**

**Discuss Future Agenda Items & Meeting Schedule**

*The committee will discuss future agenda items and the next meeting date.*

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