

DOMESTIC AND FERAL CAT COMMITTEE

MINUTES March 8, 2017

PRESENT: Dr. Hugh Chisholm, Independent Vet/Tuxedo Party

Hope Swinimer, Homeward Bound City Pound

Linda Felix, Spay Day Sandra Flemming, SPCA

Janet Hiltz-Resk, Citizen at Large Shannon Hebert, Citizen at Large David Currie, Nova Scotia Bird Society

Nancy Mansfield, Bide Awhile

Sonya Higgins, Healing Animal SCARS

STAFF: Lori Scolaro

Andrea MacDonald

REGRETS: Dr. Ulrich vom Hagen, Department of Natural Resources

Dr. Melissa Burgoyne, Nova Scotia Veterinary Medical Association

Dr. Barry MacEachern, Burnside Veterinary Hospital

GUEST: Heather Woodin, SPCA

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- I. Call to order
- II. Approval of Last Meeting Minutes
- III. Presentation from Heather Woodin
- IV. Administration Order- 5 year pilot grant program
- V. Scheduling of next meeting and Adjournment.

The meeting commenced at 13:08 hrs.

2. Approval of Agenda and Minutes- January 11, 2017

The previous meeting minutes were circulated, moved by David Currie, seconded by Sandra Flemming that the minutes of January 11, 2017 be approved as presented. The meeting is being chaired by Sonya Higgins.

3. Presentation on TNR program by Heather Woodin

An update was provided to staff about the success of the TNR program that was jointly run by SPCA and Spay Day.

4. 5 year pilot grant program

Staff provided an update on the 5 year pilot grant program. Round table discussion on how the money should be spent.

Next meeting is to be chaired by Nancy Mansfield. Meeting adjourned at 3:37pm, moved by Dr. Hugh Chisholm, seconded by David Currie.

Next meeting: Originally scheduled for May 10th, rescheduled to May 17th.

Next Agenda Items: Presentation from Riverview, New Brunswick Animal Services.