

SERVICES AGREEMENT
BY AND BETWEEN
TANGIPAHOA PARISH GOVERNMENT ANIMAL CONTROL
AND
CITY OF HAMMOND
FOR
ANIMAL CONTROL SUPPORT

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into this 15th day of September, 2023, by and between Tangipahoa Parish Government Animal Control, (hereinafter the “Parish”), represented by the Parish President, and the City of Hammond, (hereinafter the “City”) represented by the Mayor of the City of Hammond.

WHEREAS, the City of Hammond has requested the parish to assist in control and disposition of dogs and cats within the City of Hammond, inside and outside the city limits; and

WHEREAS, the Parish is willing to provide this service for dogs and cats from within the City of Hammond which are captured and delivered to the Tangipahoa Parish Animal Control facility by an employee of TPAC, or by residents of the City of Hammond.

THEREFORE, THE PARTIES HEREBY AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING:

The Parish shall provide animal control services to the City of Hammond. This service shall be for cats and dogs only, which are delivered, alive to the parish animal control facility, or captured by an employee of Tangipahoa Parish Animal Control. This agreement excludes the pickup and disposal of deceased animals.

All animals received at the parish animal control facility shall be processed in accordance with the parish ordinance and parish animal control operating procedures.

The fee for animal control services shall be \$60,057.00 annually for the aforementioned services at a rate of \$3.00 per capita, based on population according to the 2010 U.S. Census. This amount shall be disbursed to the Tangipahoa Parish Government Animal Control by June 30, of each year. Any past due amounts owed to Tangipahoa Parish Government for animal control services shall be paid in full prior to the execution of this agreement.

The annual services fee is intended to be a revenue neutral expense to cover the cost of this service to the City of Hammond. It will be reviewed annually in July to determine adequacy to cover expenses and may be adjusted by mutual consent of the parties. Fee adjustments must be in writing, signed by the mayor and the Parish President. This document shall be attached to, and become a part of, the agreement.

This agreement shall remain enforce until cancelled by either of the parties. The Tangipahoa Parish Government may cancel this agreement after providing 60 days written notice from the Parish President to the Mayor of the City of Hammond.

The City of Hammond agrees to hold the parish harmless from any liability associated with disposition of animals received from within the City of Hammond.

This agreement is for the service period of September 2023 through June 2024.

Witness: _____

By: _____
Mayor, City of Hammond

Witness: _____

By: _____
Parish President
Tangipahoa Parish Government