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Signature Report

Ordinance 19638

Proposed No. 2022-0348.3

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1 AN ORDINANCE relating to regional animal care and
2 control services; amending Ordinance 1269, Section 1, as
3 amended, and K.C.C. 11.02.010, Ordinance 1269, Section
4 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.02.020, Ordinance 1370,
5 Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.02.030, Ordinance
6 16861, Section 11, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.02.050,
7 Ordinance 16861, Section 10, as amended, and K.C.C.
8 11.02.060, Ordinance 1396, Article I, Section 2, as
9 amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.010, Ordinance 1396, Article
10 II, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.030,
11 Ordinance 7416, Article II, Section 3, as amended, and
12 K.C.C. 11.04.035, Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 3, as
13 amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.060, Ordinance 1396, Article
14 II, Section 5, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.070,
15 Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 6, as amended, and
16 K.C.C. 11.04.150, Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 14,
17 as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.160, Ordinance 1396,
18 Article III, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.170,
19 Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 2, as amended, and
20 K.C.C. 11.04.180, Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 4,

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21 as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.200, Ordinance 1396,
22 Article III, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.210,
23 Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 6, as amended, and
24 K.C.C. 11.04.220, Ordinance 15801, Section 66, and
25 K.C.C. 11.04.225, Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 7,
26 as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.230, Ordinance 1396,
27 Article III, Section 8, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.250,
28 Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 9, as amended, and
29 K.C.C. 11.04.260, Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 10,
30 as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.270, Ordinance 7986,
31 Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.335, Ordinance
32 10423, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.400,
33 Ordinance 10423, Section 24, as amended, and K.C.C.
34 11.04.410, Ordinance 10423, Section 6, as amended, and
35 K.C.C. 11.04.500, Ordinance 10423, Section 20, and
36 K.C.C. 11.04.530, Ordinance 10423, Section 27, as
37 amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.580 and Ordinance 2473,
38 Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.030, adding a
39 new section to K.C.C chapter 11.02, adding new sections to
40 K.C.C. chapter 11.04, adding new sections to K.C.C.
41 chapter 11.12, adding a new chapter to K.C.C. Title 11,
42 recodifying K.C.C. 11.24.010 and K.C.C. 11.28.030,
43 repealing Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 1, as

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44 amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.020, Ordinance 10423, Section
45 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.033, Ordinance 1396,
46 Article II, Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.050,
47 Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 6, as amended, and
48 K.C.C. 11.04.080, Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 7, as
49 amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.090, Ordinance 1396, Article
50 II, Section 8, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.100,
51 Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 9, as amended, and
52 K.C.C. 11.04.110, Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 9, as
53 amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.130, Ordinance 1396, Article
54 II, Section 12, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.140,
55 Ordinance 10809, Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C.
56 11.04.165, Ordinance 10809, Section 4, as amended, and
57 K.C.C. 11.04.167, Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 3,
58 as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.190, Ordinance 10423,
59 Section 8, and K.C.C. 11.04.235, Ordinance 4552, Section
60 2, and K.C.C. 11.04.240, Ordinance 1396, Article III,
61 Section 11, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.280, Ordinance
62 1396, Article III, Section 12, as amended, and K.C.C.
63 11.04.290, Ordinance 100809, Section 5, and K.C.C.
64 11.04.345, Ordinance 10423, Section 19, and K.C.C.
65 11.04.520, Ordinance 10423, Section 12, and K.C.C.
66 11.04.540, Ordinance 10423, Section 25, as amended, and

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67 K.C.C. 11.04.560, Ordinance 10423, Section 26, as
68 amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.570, Ordinance 3548, Section
69 1, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.08.010, Ordinance 3548,
70 Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.08.020, Ordinance
71 3548, Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.08.030,
72 Ordinance 10574, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.035,
73 Ordinance 3732, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C.
74 11.08.040, Ordinance 3548, Section 4, as amended, and
75 K.C.C. 11.08.050, Ordinance 3548, Section 5, as amended,
76 and K.C.C. 11.08.060, Ordinance 11150, Sections 1-2, as
77 amended, and K.C.C. 11.08.075, Ordinance 3548, Section
78 8 (part) (1), and K.C.C. 11.08.080, Ordinance 3548,
79 Section 8 (part)(2), as amended, and K.C.C. 11.08.090,
80 Ordinance 3810, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.100,
81 Ordinance 3811, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.110,
82 Ordinance 4149, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.120,
83 Ordinance 4150, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.130,
84 Ordinance 4370, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.140,
85 Ordinance 4371, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.150,
86 Ordinance 4385, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C.
87 11.08.160, Ordinance 4991, Section 1, and K.C.C.
88 11.08.170, Ordinance 5058, Section 1, and K.C.C.
89 11.08.180, Ordinance 5059, Section 1, and K.C.C.

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90 11.08.190, Ordinance 5186, Section 1, and K.C.C.
91 11.08.200, Ordinance 5185, Section 2, and K.C.C.
92 11.08.210, Ordinance 5492, Section 1 and K.C.C.
93 11.08.220, Ordinance 5493, Section 1 and K.C.C.
94 11.08.230, Ordinance 5673, Section 1, and K.C.C.
95 11.08.240, Ordinance 6340, Section 1, and K.C.C.
96 11.08.250, Ordinance 6430, Section 1, and K.C.C.
97 11.08.260, Ordinance 6640, Section 1, and K.C.C.
98 11.08.270, Ordinance 7570, Section 1, and K.C.C.
99 11.08.280, Ordinance 7608, Section 1, and K.C.C.
100 11.08.290, Ordinance 9063, Section 1, and K.C.C.
101 11.08.300, Ordinance 11719, Section 1 and K.C.C.
102 11.08.310, Resolution 27312, Section 1, as amended, and
103 K.C.C. 11.12.010, Resolution 27312, Section 2, as
104 amended, and K.C.C. 11.12.020, Resolution 27312, Section
105 3, and K.C.C. 11.12.030, Resolution 27312, Section 4, as
106 amended, and K.C.C. 11.12.040, Resolution 27312, Section
107 5, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.12.050, Resolution 27312,
108 Section 6, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.12.060, Resolution
109 30346, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.20.010, Resolution 30346,
110 Section 2, and K.C.C. 11.20.020, Ordinance 5975, Section
111 3, and K.C.C. 11.24.030, Ordinance 2473, Section 1, as
112 amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.010, Ordinance 2473, Section

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113 2, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.020, Ordinance 2473,
114 Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.040, Ordinance
115 2473, Section 5, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.050,
116 Ordinance 2473, Section 6, as amended, and K.C.C.
117 11.28.060, Ordinance 2473, Section 7, as amended, and
118 K.C.C. 11.28.070, Ordinance 2473, Section 8, as amended,
119 and K.C.C. 11.28.080, Ordinance 2473, Section 9, and
120 K.C.C. 11.28.090, Ordinance 2473, Section 10, as
121 amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.100, and Ordinance 2473,
122 Section 11, and K.C.C. 11.28.110, Ordinance 3232, Section
123 1 and K.C.C. 11.32.010, Ordinance 3232, Section 2, as
124 amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.020, Ordinance 3232, Section
125 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.030, Ordinance 3232,
126 Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.040, Ordinance
127 3232, Section 5, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.050,
128 Ordinance 3232, Section 6, as amended, and K.C.C.
129 11.32.060, Ordinance 3232, Section 7, as amended, and
130 K.C.C. 11.32.070, Ordinance 3232, Section 8, as amended,
131 and K.C.C. 11.32.080, Ordinance 3232, Section 9, as
132 amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.090, Ordinance 3232, Section
133 13, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.100 and Ordinance
134 3232, Section 14, and K.C.C. 11.32.110, and prescribing
135 penalties.

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136 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

137 SECTION 1. Sections 2 through 43 of this ordinance should constitute a new
138 chapter in K.C.C. Title 11.

139 NEW SECTION. SECTION 2. The definitions in this chapter apply throughout
140 this title unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

141 NEW SECTION. SECTION 3. "Abate" means to terminate or remedy any
142 violation by reasonable and lawful means determined by the manager.

143 NEW SECTION. SECTION 4. "Adequate care" means providing to an animal:

144 A. Species-appropriate food or feed and water that is easily accessible to the
145 animal and of sufficient quantity and quality to sustain the animal in good health;

146 B. A structure that:

147 1. Is sufficient to protect the animal from wind, rain, snow, cold, heat, or sun;

148 2. Has bedding to permit the animal to remain dry, reasonably clean, and free of
149 excess feces and to maintain a normal body temperature, and that allows the animal to
150 turn around freely, sit, stand, and lie without restriction; and

151 3. Does not injure, disfigure or physically impair the animal; and

152 C. Adequate veterinary medical care.

153 NEW SECTION. SECTION 5. "Altered" means spayed or neutered.

154 NEW SECTION. SECTION 6. "Animal" means any living amphibian, bird, fish,
155 reptile or mammal, except a human.

156 NEW SECTION. SECTION 7. "Animal care and control authority" means the
157 regional animal services section of the records and licensing services division, acting

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158 alone or in concert with other municipalities, to enforce animal care and control laws and
159 for the shelter and welfare of animals.

160 NEW SECTION. SECTION 8. "Animal care and control officer" means any
161 individual employed, contracted, or appointed by the animal care and control authority to
162 aide in enforcing this title or any other law or ordinance relating to the care and licensing
163 of animals, control of animals, or seizure and impoundment of animals. "Animal care
164 and control officer" includes any state or municipal peace officer, sheriff, or other
165 employee whose duties in whole or in part include assignments that involve the seizure
166 and taking into custody of any animal.

167 NEW SECTION. SECTION 9. "Animal shelter" means a facility used to house
168 or contain stray, homeless, abandoned, or unwanted animals, and that is owned, operated,
169 or maintained by a public body, an established humane society, animal welfare society,
170 society for the prevention of cruelty to animals, or other nonprofit organization or person
171 devoted to the welfare, protection, and humane treatment of animals.

172 NEW SECTION. SECTION 10. "At large" means any animal off the premises
173 of its owner and not under control of a competent person.

174 NEW SECTION. SECTION 11. "Companion animal" means any species of
175 animal commonly kept for companionship, including working dogs and excluding exotic
176 animals.

177 NEW SECTION. SECTION 12. "Competent person" means a person able to
178 sufficiently care for, control, and restrain a particular animal, and who has the capacity to
179 exercise sound judgment regarding the rights and safety of others.

180 NEW SECTION. SECTION 13. A. "Dangerous animal" means any animal that:

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- 181 1. Inflicts severe injury on or causes the death of a human being without
182 provocation;
- 183 2. Inflicts severe injury on or causes the death of a domesticated animal without
184 provocation;
- 185 3. Has been previously found to be potentially dangerous or vicious because of
186 injury inflicted on a human, the owner having received notice of such, and the animal
187 again bites, attacks, or endangers the safety of humans;
- 188 4. Enters onto private property without the consent of the owner or occupant
189 and, regardless of provocation, engages in conduct meeting subsection A.1., A.2., or A.3.
190 of this section; or
- 191 5. Jointly engages, with one or more animals, in conduct meeting A.1., A.2.,
192 A.3., or A.4. of this section, in which case all animals may be deemed dangerous, absent
193 an affirmative demonstration that a specific animal was not responsible for a qualifying
194 act.

195 B. An animal shall not be declared a "dangerous animal" if:

- 196 1. The threat, injury, or bite alleged to have been committed by the animal was
197 sustained by a person who was at the time committing a willful trespass upon the
198 premises occupied by the owner of the animal, or who was abusing or assaulting the
199 animal, or who was committing or attempting to commit a crime. This exclusion does
200 not apply to actions taken in defense of oneself, other humans, animals, or property; or
- 201 2. The animal has not been previously found to be potentially dangerous,
202 vicious, or dangerous, and the severe injury or death is to a domesticated animal other
203 than pets or large livestock.

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204 NEW SECTION. SECTION 14. "Director" means the director of public health -
205 Seattle & King County or designee. However, for the purposes of K.C.C. chapter 11.02,
206 "director" means the director of the department of executive services or designee.

207 NEW SECTION. SECTION 15. "Domesticated animal" means any animal that
208 is a companion animal, a service or assistive animal, livestock, or poultry.

209 NEW SECTION. SECTION 16. "Euthanasia" means the humane destruction of
210 an animal, accomplished by a method that involves near instantaneous unconsciousness
211 and immediate death or by a method that causes painless loss of consciousness and death
212 during the loss of consciousness.

213 NEW SECTION. SECTION 17. "Exotic animal" means any of the following:

214 A. Species of snakes capable of inflicting serious physical harm or death to
215 human beings;

216 B. Nonhuman primates and prosimians;

217 C. Bears;

218 D. Nondomesticated species of felines;

219 E. Nondomesticated species of canines and their hybrids, including wolf and
220 coyote hybrids; and

221 F. Any species within the order Crocodylia, including but not limited to
222 alligators, crocodiles, caimans, and gavials.

223 NEW SECTION. SECTION 18. "Feral" means any animal belonging to a
224 species typically domesticated that lives and behaves like a wild animal.

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225 NEW SECTION. SECTION 19. "Grooming service" means any public or
226 private place or establishment where animals are bathed, clipped, or combed to enhance
227 either their aesthetic value or health, or both, for a fee.

228 NEW SECTION. SECTION 20. "Harbor, keep, or maintain" means:

229 A. Providing animal care, shelter, protection, refuge, food, or nourishment; or

230 B. Having custody of an animal.

231 NEW SECTION. SECTION 21. "Hobby cattery" means a noncommercial
232 cattery at or adjoining a private residence where four or more nonjuvenile cats are bred or
233 kept for exhibition or for enjoyment.

234 NEW SECTION. SECTION 22. "Hobby kennel" means a noncommercial
235 kennel at or adjoining a private residence where four or more nonjuvenile dogs are bred
236 or kept for any combination of hunting, training, exhibition, field or obedience trials,
237 working, or enjoyment.

238 NEW SECTION. SECTION 23. "Juvenile" means any dog or cat under six
239 months old.

240 NEW SECTION. SECTION 24. "King County" means the unincorporated area
241 of King County, Washington, and any jurisdiction that has an interlocal agreement with
242 King County for regional animal services.

243 NEW SECTION. SECTION 25. "Livestock" has the same meaning as in RCW
244 16.57.010.

245 NEW SECTION. SECTION 26. "Mammal" means any animal of a class of
246 warm-blooded vertebrate animals that nourish their young with milk secreted by
247 mammary glands and have skin generally covered with hair, and includes bats.

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248 NEW SECTION. SECTION 27. "Manager" means the manager of the regional
249 animal services section of the records and licensing services division, or the manager's
250 designees.

251 NEW SECTION. SECTION 28. "Muzzle" means a device that prevents an
252 animal from biting others and does not cause injury to the animal nor inhibit its vision,
253 respiration, or panting.

254 NEW SECTION. SECTION 29. "Owner" means any person who harbors, keeps,
255 maintains, or has control of an animal except for individuals or organizations involved
256 with providing care to a feral cat colony, such as trap, neuter, and release programs.

257 NEW SECTION. SECTION 30. "Pack" means any group of two or more
258 animals running at large.

259 NEW SECTION. SECTION 31. "Person" means any individual, partnership,
260 firm, company, corporation, association, or other legal entity.

261 NEW SECTION. SECTION 32. "Pet" means any dog or any nonferal cat.

262 NEW SECTION. SECTION 33. A. "Potentially dangerous animal" means any
263 animal that when unprovoked:

- 264 1. Bites or inflicts injury on a human or domesticated animal;
265 2. Chases or approaches a person upon the streets, sidewalks, or any public
266 grounds in a menacing fashion or apparent attitude of attack;
267 3. Has a known propensity, tendency, or disposition to attack, to cause injury,
268 or otherwise to threaten the safety of humans or domestic animals; or

269 4. Jointly engages, with one or more animals in conduct meeting subsections
270 A.1., A.2., or A.3., of this section, in which case all animals are deemed potentially

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271 dangerous, absent an affirmative demonstration that a specific animal was not responsible
272 for a qualifying act.

273 B. Regardless of provocation, an animal is a "potentially dangerous animal" if it
274 enters onto private property without the consent of the owner or occupant and bites a
275 human or animal or chases or approaches a person in a menacing fashion or apparent
276 attitude of attack.

277 C. An animal shall not be declared a "potentially dangerous animal" if the threat,
278 injury, or bite alleged to have been committed by the animal was sustained by a person
279 who was at the time committing a willful trespass upon the premises occupied by the
280 owner of the animal, or who was abusing or assaulting the animal, or who was
281 committing, or attempting to commit a crime. This exclusion does not apply to actions
282 taken in defense of oneself, other humans, animals, or property.

283 NEW SECTION. SECTION 34. "Premises" means the real property or enclosed
284 space that an animal's owner has a legal or equitable right to occupy, including a dwelling
285 unit. "Premises" does not extend into areas of common ownership or use, such as an
286 apartment lobby or public transportation.

287 NEW SECTION. SECTION 35. "Proper enclosure" means, while on its owner's
288 premises, an animal is securely confined indoors or in an enclosed and locked pen or
289 structure, suitable to prevent the entry of young children and designed to prevent the
290 animal from escaping. The pen or structure must fully enclose the animal, consist of
291 secure sides, top, and bottom, and provide protection from the elements.

292 NEW SECTION. SECTION 36. "Provocation" or "provoke" means to torment,
293 agitate, or harass an animal immediately before the attack, chase, or menacing behavior.

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294 "Provocation" or "provoke" does not include actions taken to defend oneself, other
295 humans, animals, or property.

296 NEW SECTION. SECTION 37. "Service or assistive animal" has the same
297 meaning as in K.C.C. 12.22.020.

298 NEW SECTION. SECTION 38. "Severe injury" means any physical injury that
299 results in:

300 A. One or more broken bones;

301 B. One or more disfiguring lacerations, avulsions, cuts or puncture wounds
302 requiring medical attention, including, but not limited to, one or more sutures, steri strips
303 or staples;

304 C. Permanent nerve damage; or

305 D. Transmittal of an infectious or contagious disease.

306 NEW SECTION. SECTION 39. "Under control" means a domesticated animal
307 is restrained, by a human using a leash or competent and effective voice or signal control,
308 from approaching any bystander or other domesticated animal and from causing property
309 damage.

310 NEW SECTION. SECTION 40. "Vicious" means having performed the act of,
311 or having the propensity to do any act, endangering the safety of any human, animal, or
312 property of another, including, but not limited to, biting a human being, or attacking a
313 human being or domesticated animal without provocation.

314 NEW SECTION. SECTION 41. "Warning sign" means a conspicuously
315 displayed sign containing clearly visible words, along with a symbol informing those

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316 who are incapable of reading, warning of a potentially dangerous or dangerous animal on
317 the property.

318 SECTION 42. Ordinance 1269, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.02.010 are
319 hereby amended to read as follows:

320 ~~((There is established a))~~A regional animal services section is established in the
321 records and licensing services division. This chapter designates ~~((Φ))~~the regional animal
322 services section ~~((is by this chapter designated))~~ as the agency authorized to provide
323 animal care services and enforce animal control laws.

324 SECTION 43. Ordinance 1269, Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.02.020 are
325 hereby amended to read as follows:

326 ~~((There is established w))~~Within the regional animal services section, the position
327 of manager ~~((of the regional animal services section))~~ is established, to be compensated at
328 a rate ~~((established))~~ in accordance with county personnel policies.

329 SECTION 44. Ordinance 1370, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.02.030 are
330 hereby amended to read as follows:

331 The county executive is authorized to enter into agreements with ~~((any or all other~~
332 ~~municipal corporations in King County))~~ public agencies as defined in chapter 39.34
333 RCW for ~~((the))~~ animal licensing and enforcement of ~~((local municipal))~~ animal care and
334 control ordinances ~~((relating to animal care and control))~~, and with other legal entities for
335 the purpose of ~~((lead))~~ disposing of animal ~~((disposal))~~ remains.

336 SECTION 45. Ordinance 16861, Section 11, and K.C.C. 11.02.050 are hereby
337 amended to read as follows:

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338 A. The director (~~((of the department of executive services))~~) may negotiate and
339 enter into advertising, sponsorship, and naming rights agreements (~~((for the purpose of~~
340 ~~providing))~~ to provide financial support for regional animal services programs.
341 Advertising (~~((shall be))~~) is restricted to commercial speech.

342 B. Advertisers and sponsors shall abide by the nondiscrimination requirements of
343 Section 840 of the King County Charter and K.C.C. Title 12. Furthermore, an
344 advertising, sponsorship or naming rights agreement may not result in advertisement of
345 spirits or tobacco products (~~((in violation of))~~) in accordance with K.C.C. chapter 12.51.

346 C. The director may impose additional subject-matter restrictions on advertising,
347 sponsorship and naming rights agreements consistent with applicable law.

348 D. Revenue generated from advertising, sponsorships, and naming rights
349 agreements entered into under this section (~~((shall))~~) must be applied solely to regional
350 animal services.

351 SECTION 46. Ordinance 16861, Section 10, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.02.060
352 are hereby amended to read as follows:

353 A. Consistent with K.C.C. chapter 3.04, the executive, the director (~~((of the~~
354 ~~department of executive services))~~), the manager of the records and licensing services
355 division, the manager (~~((of the regional animal services section))~~), the council and
356 councilmembers(~~(;)~~) and staff who report directly to those officers or officials and who
357 do so at those officers' or officials' direction, may solicit and accept from the general
358 public and business communities and all other persons, gifts, bequests, and donations to
359 the county in support of regional animal services.

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360 B. All gifts, bequests, and donations of money to the county for regional animal
361 services ~~((shall))~~ must be deposited and credited to the animal bequest fund created under
362 K.C.C. ~~((4.08.410))~~ 4A.200.130.

363 C. The director ~~((of the department of executive services))~~ shall assure that
364 expenditures from ~~((the))~~ gifts, bequests, or donations are consistent with the terms, if
365 any, requested by ~~((the))~~ their grantors.

366 NEW SECTION. SECTION 47. There is hereby added to the K.C.C. chapter
367 11.02 a new section to read as follows:

368 The manager may adopt and enforce rules under the procedures specified in
369 K.C.C. chapter 2.98 that are consistent with this title.

370 SECTION 48. Ordinance 1396, Article I, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C.
371 11.04.010 are hereby amended to read as follows:

372 A. It is declared the public policy of the county to secure and maintain ~~((such))~~
373 levels of animal care and control ~~((as will protecting))~~ that protect animal and human
374 health and safety, and to the greatest degree practicable ~~((to prevent))~~, prevent injury to
375 property, protect the general public, and safeguard against cruelty and neglect of animal
376 life. To this end, ~~((it is the purpose of))~~ this chapter's purpose is to provide a means of
377 caring for animals, licensing ~~((dogs, cats))~~ pets, hobby ~~((catteries, hobby))~~ kennels, hobby
378 catteries, and related facilities, and ~~((controlling))~~ to keep errant animal behavior ~~((so that~~
379 ~~it shall not become))~~ from becoming a public nuisance or public health risk, and to
380 prevent cruelty to animals.

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381 B. If there is a conflict between a provision of this chapter and ~~((a provision in~~
382 ~~K.C.C. Title 21A, the provision in K.C.C. Title 21A shall control))~~ an applicable zoning
383 code provision, the zoning code provision controls.

384 C. This title's intent is to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the general
385 public and are not intended to protect any particular class of individuals or organizations.

386 SECTION 49. Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C.
387 11.04.020 are hereby repealed.

388 SECTION 50. Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C.
389 11.04.030 are hereby amended to read as follows:

390 A. ~~((All dogs and cats))~~ Any owner of a pet eight weeks old and older ~~((that are~~
391 ~~harbored, kept or maintained))~~ in King County for more than thirty days shall ~~((be~~
392 ~~licensed))~~ license and ~~((registered))~~ register that pet, but this provision does not apply to a
393 pet walker, sitter, or other temporary custodian, if that person can verify the pet owner's
394 name and contact information. ~~((Licenses shall))~~ The license must be renewed on or
395 before the date of expiration.

396 B.1. Upon application and the payment of a license fee ~~((made payable))~~ to the
397 King County treasury according to the schedule provided in K.C.C. 11.04.035, the
398 manager shall issue pet licenses ~~((shall be issued by the regional animal services section~~
399 ~~and may be issued by))~~. ~~((s))~~ Shelters, veterinarians, pet shops, ((catteries and)) hobby
400 kennels, hobby catteries, and other approved locations, under contract with the county,
401 may issue pet licenses.

402 ~~((1.))~~ 2. Pet licenses ~~((for dogs and cats shall be))~~ are valid for ~~((a term of))~~ one
403 year from issuance, expiring on the last day of the twelfth month. There is no proration

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404 of any license fees. Renewal licenses ~~((shall))~~ retain the original expiration period
405 whether renewed before, on or after their respective renewal months.

406 ~~((2-))~~ 3. Juvenile pet licenses may be obtained in lieu of an unaltered pet license
407 for pets from eight weeks to six months old.

408 ~~((3-))~~ 4. King County residents sixty-five years old or older may purchase a
409 discounted pet license for their ~~((cats or dogs that are neutered or spayed and that are))~~
410 altered pets maintained at the registered owner's registered address. However,
411 ~~((R))~~ residents sixty-five years old or older who ~~((have))~~ previously obtained a special
412 permanent license for their ~~((cats or dogs shall not be))~~ pet or pets are not required to
413 purchase a new license for ~~((the))~~ their permanently licensed animals.

414 ~~((4- Disabled residents that))~~ 5. Residents with disabilities who meet the
415 eligibility requirements ~~((of the Metro))~~ for a regional reduced fare permit ~~((program)),~~
416 authorized in K.C.C. ~~((chapter))~~ 28.94.255, may purchase a discounted pet license for
417 their ~~((cats and dogs that are neutered or spayed and that are))~~ altered pets maintained at
418 the registered owner's registered address.

419 ~~((5-))~~ 6. Applications for a pet license ~~((shall))~~ must be on forms provided by
420 the regional animal services section.

421 ~~((6-))~~ 7. License tags ~~((shall))~~ must be worn by dogs at all times.
422 Notwithstanding the requirement for license tags, ~~((A))~~ as an alternative to a license tag, a
423 ~~((dog or cat))~~ currently licensed pet may be ~~((identified as licensed by being tattooed on~~
424 ~~its right ear or on its inside right thigh or groin with a license number approved or issued~~
425 ~~by))~~ implanted with a microchip registered with the regional animal services section.

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426 ~~((7.))~~ 8. Pet ~~((of dogs or cats))~~ owners ~~((of dogs or cats))~~ who hold valid licenses from other
 427 jurisdictions and who move into King County may transfer the license, subject to ~~((by))~~
 428 paying a transfer fee. The license ~~((shall maintain))~~ remains valid through the original
 429 license's expiration date or for twelve months after the license was issued by the other
 430 jurisdiction, whichever period is shorter.

431 9. It is a violation of this ~~((chapter))~~ title for any person to sell or transfer
 432 ownership of any pet ~~((without))~~ that does not have a pet license. Any person selling or
 433 transferring a pet shall notify ~~((F))~~ the regional animal services section ~~((shall be~~
 434 notified)) of the name, address, and telephone number of the new owner ~~((by the person~~
 435 who sold or transferred the pet)) within thirty days following the sale or transfer.

436 ~~((9.— An applicant may be denied the issuance or renewal of a pet license, if the~~
 437 ~~applicant was previously found in violation of the animal cruelty provisions of K.C.C.~~
 438 ~~11.04.250 or convicted of animal cruelty under RCW 16.52.205 or 16.52.207.~~

439 ~~a. An applicant may be denied the issuance or renewal of a pet license for up~~
 440 ~~to:~~

441 ~~(1) four years, if found in violation of the animal cruelty provisions of K.C.C.~~
 442 ~~11.04.250 or convicted of a misdemeanor under RCW 16.52.207; or~~

443 ~~(2) indefinitely, if convicted of a felony under RCW 16.52.205.~~

444 ~~b. Any applicant who is either the subject of a notice and order under K.C.C.~~
 445 ~~11.04.250 or charged with animal cruelty under RCW 16.52.205 or 16.52.207 denied,~~
 446 ~~pending the final result of either the notice and order or charge.~~

447 10. The denial of the issuance or renewal of a pet license is subject to
 448 appealable, in accordance with K.C.C. 11.04.270.)

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449 10. It is a violation of this title to falsely represent a pet as altered or nonaltered.

450 11. ~~((Cat or dog))~~ Pet owners are subject to ~~((a penalty according to the~~
451 ~~schedule))~~ the penalty set in K.C.C. 11.04.035 for failure to comply with the licensing
452 requirement in subsection A. of this section.

453 C. ~~((A))~~ The late fee set in K.C.C. 11.04.035 shall be charged ~~((on all))~~ for any
454 pet license ((applications, according to the schedule in K.C.C. 11.04.035)) not obtained
455 within thirty days of ownership or not renewed before expiration. The late fee is in
456 addition to any other penalties that might apply.

457 D. All fees and fines collected under this chapter ~~((shall))~~ must be deposited in
458 the general fund to be applied solely to regional animal services. The records and
459 licensing services division is authorized to accept credit and bank card payments for fees
460 and penalties imposed under this title, in accordance with K.C.C. chapter 4.100.

461 E. ~~((It is a violation of this chapter for any person to knowingly))~~ A person may
462 not write a check that is insufficiently funded or ~~((to))~~ stop payment on any check written
463 in payment for any fees ((in)) or penalties imposed under this ((chapter)) title. Any
464 license ~~((or penalty paid for with those types of checks are, in the case of the license,))~~
465 issued or penalty paid under those circumstances is invalid; and in the case of the penalty,
466 still outstanding. Costs incurred by the county in collecting ((checks of this nature shall
467 be)) any moneys owing as a result of an unpayable check are considered a cost of
468 abatement and are the personal obligation~~((s))~~ of the payer under K.C.C. 11.04.300.

469 F. Except for subsection G. of this section, this section ~~((shall))~~ does not apply to
470 ~~((dogs or cats))~~ pets in the custody of a veterinarian or shelter or ~~((whose owners are~~

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471 ~~nonresidents~~) to pets that are temporarily within the county for ~~((a period not~~
472 ~~exceeding))~~ fewer than thirty days.

473 G. Veterinarians and shelters that sell or give away a ~~((dog or cat))~~ pet without a
474 license shall make license application materials available to the new pet owner and shall
475 monthly provide the regional animal services section ~~((monthly))~~ with the list of
476 information required by K.C.C. 11.04.070 for any ~~((dog or cat))~~ pet given away or sold.

477 SECTION 51. Ordinance 10423, Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.033
478 are hereby repealed.

479 SECTION 52. Ordinance 7416, Article II, Section 3, as amended, and
480 K.C.C. 11.04.035 are hereby amended to read as follows:

A. The following animal license and registration fees apply:

1. Pet license ~~((dog or cat))~~
 - a. Unaltered \$60.00
 - b. Altered \$30.00
 - c. Service or assistive animal no charge
 - d. K-9 police dog no charge
2. Juvenile pet license ~~((dog or cat))~~ \$15.00
3. Discounted pet license ~~((dog or cat))~~ \$15.00
4. Replacement tag \$5.00
5. Transfer fee ~~\$(3.00)~~ 5.00
6. ~~((Guard dog registration~~ \$100.00
7. ~~Exotic pet~~

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- a. ~~New~~ \$500.00
- b. ~~Renewal~~ \$250.00
- 8. ~~Service animal~~) Potentially dangerous animal registration ((no charge))
\$125.00
- ((9.)) 7. ((K-9 police dog)) Dangerous animal registration ((no charge))
\$250.00
- ((10.)) 8. The following late fees ((shall)) apply to license renewal applications and must be paid in addition to any applicable license fees and penalties:
 - a. received 45 to 90 days following license expiration \$15.00
 - b. received 90 to 135 days following license expiration \$20.00
 - c. received more than 135 days following license expiration \$30.00
 - d. received more than 365 days following license expiration \$30.00 plus
license fee(((s)))
or fees for ((any
year(s) that the
pet was
unlicensed))
current year.
- B. The following business and activity permit fees apply:
 - ((1.)) Hobby kennel and hobby cattery license \$50.00
 - ((2.)) ~~Private animal placement permit~~ no charge))
- C. The following civil penalties ((shall be assessed)) apply:

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| 1. | Civil penalties: General | |
| a. | No previous similar code violation within one year | \$50.00 |
| b. | One previous similar code violation within one year | \$100.00 |
| c. | Two or more similar code violations within one year | Double the rate of
the previous
penalty, up to a
maximum of
\$1,000.00 |
| 2. | Civil penalties: ((Vicious animal or)) <u>Dangerous animal,</u>
<u>potentially dangerous animal, animal cruelty ((violations)),</u>
<u>neglect, or abandonment contrary to K.C.C. 11.04.250</u> | |
| a. | First violation within one year | \$500.00 |
| b. | Subsequent violations within one year | \$1,000.00 |
| c. | <u>Failure to comply with potentially dangerous animal</u>
<u>requirements</u> | <u>\$250.00</u> |
| d. | <u>Failure to comply with dangerous animal requirements</u> | <u>\$500.00</u> |
| 3. | ((Civil penalties: Dog leash law violations | |
| a. | First violation within one year | \$25.00 |
| b. | Additional violations within one year | \$50.00 |
| 4. | Civil penalties: Animal abandonment <u>Civil penalties: failure to comply with prohibition on</u>
<u>owning, caring for, or residing with similar animals</u> | (\$500.00)) |
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	<u>under K.C.C. 11.04.225.B.</u>	
a.	<u>First violation</u>	<u>\$1,000.00</u>
b.	<u>Second violation</u>	<u>\$2,500.00</u>
4.	<u>Failure to timely comply with a removal order</u>	<u>\$1,000.00</u>
5.	Civil penalties: ((Unlicensed cat or dog)) <u>Pet without current and valid license</u>	
a.	Altered ((cat or dog)) <u>pet</u>	\$125.00
b.	Unaltered ((cat or dog)) <u>pet</u>	\$250.00
D.	The following service fees apply	
1.	Adoptions ((-))	
a.	((p)) <u>Per ((animal)) pet, including licensing and</u> ((spaying or neutering of)) <u>altering the ((animal))</u> <u>pet</u>	\$75.00 - \$250.00 based on adoptability
b.	<u>Per animal that is not a pet</u>	<u>\$5.00 - \$250.00</u> <u>based on</u> <u>adoptability</u>
2.	((Spay or neuter deposit — per animal as required in K.C.C. 11.04.210.B.1.a.	<u>\$150.00</u>
3.))	Impound or redemption – ((dogs, cats)) <u>pets</u> or other small animals	
a.	First impound within one year	\$45.00
b.	Second impound within one year	\$85.00

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c.	Third impound within one year	\$125.00
((4.	Impound or redemption – Livestock, small	\$45.00
5-)) <u>3.</u>	Impound or redemption – Livestock ((, large))	\$45.00 ((or actual cost of sheltering, whichever is greater))
<u>4.</u>	<u>Livestock boarding</u>	<u>Actual cost of</u> <u>boarding</u>
((6-)) <u>5.</u>	Kenneling at King County animal shelter - per 24 hours or portion thereof	\$20.00
((7-)) <u>6.</u>	In-field pick up of an owner's deceased unlicensed pet or pick up of an unlicensed pet released voluntarily to the regional animal services section	\$50.00
((8-)) <u>7.</u>	Owner-requested euthanasia (unlicensed pets)	\$50.00
((9-)) <u>8.</u>	((Optional m)) <u>Microchipping pets</u> (((for adopted pets)))	\$25.00

481 SECTION 53. Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section e, as amended, and K.C.C.

482 11.04.050 are hereby repealed.

483 SECTION 54. Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 4, as amended, and

484 K.C.C. 11.04.060 are hereby amended to read as follows:

485 A. It is ~~((unlawful))~~ a violation of this chapter for any person to ~~((keep and~~
486 ~~maintain any))~~ operate a hobby kennel or hobby cattery ~~((without))~~ unless the person
487 possesses and complies with a ~~((valid and subsisting))~~ hobby kennel or hobby cattery
488 license ~~((therefor)).~~ ~~((The fee for such an annual license shall be assessed upon the~~

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489 owner or keeper of the animals and shall be as provided in K.C.C. 11.04.035. In
490 addition,))

491 B. ~~((e))~~ Each animal ~~((that is))~~ maintained at a hobby kennel or hobby cattery
492 ~~((shall))~~ must be licensed individually under K.C.C. 11.04.030~~((B))~~.

493 ~~((B-))~~ C. Any hobby kennel or hobby cattery license shall limit the total number
494 of ~~((adult dogs and cats kept by the hobby kennel or hobby cattery))~~ pets based on:

495 1. Animal age and size;

496 2. ~~((Type and characteristics of the b))~~ Breed characteristics; in particular, in the
497 case of dogs, the pitch and volume of their barks;

498 3. The amount of lot area, though the maximum number ~~((shall))~~ may not
499 exceed:

500 a. ~~((twenty five where the lot area contains five acres or more;~~

501 ~~b. ten where the lot area contains thirty five thousand square feet but less than~~
502 ~~five acres; and~~

503 ~~e-))~~ three on lots of less than twenty thousand square feet;

504 b. five ~~((where the))~~ on lots ~~((area is less than))~~ between twenty thousand and
505 thirty-five thousand square feet, except that a maximum of three total pets may remain
506 unaltered; and

507 c. an additional two pets for each acre of lot area beyond thirty-five thousand
508 square feet, up to a maximum of twenty, except that a maximum of three total pets may
509 remain unaltered;

510 4. The ~~((facility specifications and dimensions in which the dogs or cats are to~~
511 ~~be maintained))~~ layout and size of any structure for sheltering the pets; and

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512 5. The zoning classification ~~((in which))~~ where the hobby kennel or hobby
513 cattery would be maintained.

514 ~~((C. The following are requirements for))~~ D. ~~((h))~~Hobby kennels and hobby
515 catteries shall comply with the following:

516 1. All open run areas ~~((shall))~~ must be completely surrounded by a six-foot
517 fence, set back at least twenty feet from all property lines, though this requirement may
518 be modified for hobby catteries, as long as the open run area contains the cats and
519 prohibits the entrance of children. For purposes of this section, "open run area" means
520 that area ~~((, within the property lines of the premises on which the hobby kennel or hobby
521 cattery is to be maintained,))~~ where the ~~((dogs or cats))~~ pets are sheltered or maintained.
522 If there is no area set aside for sheltering or maintaining the ~~((dogs))~~ pets within the
523 property lines of the premises, the twenty-foot setback does not apply. The property lines
524 of premises not containing an open run area must be completely surrounded by a six-foot
525 fence;

526 2. ~~((No e))~~Commercial signs or other appearances advertising the hobby kennel
527 or hobby cattery are not permitted on the ~~((property))~~ premises, except for those
528 advertising the sale of the allowable offspring, as set forth in this section;

529 3. The manager ~~((of the regional animal services section))~~ may require setbacks,
530 ~~((additional setback,))~~ fencing, screening, or soundproofing, as ~~((the manager deems))~~
531 necessary to ensure ~~((the))~~ compatibility of the hobby kennel or hobby cattery with the
532 surrounding neighborhood. Factors to be considered in determining ~~((the))~~ compatibility
533 are:

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- 534 a. statements (~~((regarding approval or disapproval))~~) of surrounding neighbors
535 relative to maintenance of a hobby kennel or hobby cattery at the address applied for;
- 536 b. history of verified animal care and control complaints relating to (~~((the dogs
537 and cats of))~~) the applicant's pets (~~((at the address for which the hobby kennel or hobby
538 cattery is applied for))~~);
- 539 c. facility specifications or dimensions in which the (~~((dogs or cats))~~) pets are to
540 be maintained;
- 541 d. animal size, type, and characteristics of breed; and
- 542 e. the zoning classification of the premises on which the hobby kennel or
543 hobby cattery is maintained;
- 544 4. The hobby kennel or hobby cattery shall limit (~~((dogs or cats))~~) pet
545 reproduction to no more than one litter per license year per female dog and two litters per
546 license year per female cat; and
- 547 5. Each (~~((dogs or cats))~~) pet in the hobby kennel or hobby cattery (~~((shall))~~) must
548 have the following current (~~((and proper))~~) immunizations: (~~((from disease according to the
549 dog's and cat's species and age. The immunizations shall consist of))~~)
- 550 a. for dogs over three months old, distemper, hepatitis, (~~((leptospirosis,))~~)
551 parainfluenza, and parvo virus (~~((DHLPP))~~) (DA2PP) inoculation (~~((for dogs over three
552 months old and))~~);
- 553 b. for cats over two months old, feline herpesvirus 1, calicivirus, and
554 panleukopenia virus (FVRCP) inoculation (~~((for cats over two months old))~~); and
- 555 c. for all pets over four months old, rabies inoculation(~~((s for all dogs and cats
556 over four months old))~~).
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557 ~~((D.))~~ E. A hobby kennel or hobby cattery license ~~((may be issued only when the~~
558 ~~manager of the regional animal services section is satisfied that the requirements of~~
559 ~~K.C.C. 11.04.060C.1. through 5. have been met. The license))~~ remains valid for one
560 year, subject to renewal, and may be terminated ~~((if the number of dogs and cats exceeds~~
561 ~~the number allowed by the regional animal services section or))~~ if the facility fails to
562 comply with ~~((any of the requirements of K.C.C. 11.04.060 C.1.through 5))~~ this section.

563 ~~((E.1. Persons owning a total number of dogs and cats exceeding three, who do~~
564 ~~not meet the requirements for a hobby kennel license, may be eligible for a special hobby~~
565 ~~kennel license to be issued at no cost by the regional animal services, which shall allow~~
566 ~~them to retain the specific animals then in their possession, but only if the following~~
567 ~~conditions are met:~~

568 ~~a. the applicant must apply for the special hobby kennel license and individual~~
569 ~~licenses for each dog and cat by July 6, 1992, or at the time they are contacted by an~~
570 ~~animal care and control officer, King County license inspector or King County pet license~~
571 ~~canvasser and~~

572 ~~b. the applicant is keeping the dogs and cats for the enjoyment of the species,~~
573 ~~and not as a commercial enterprise.~~

574 ~~2. The special hobby kennel license shall only be valid for those specific dogs~~
575 ~~and cats in the possession of the applicant at the time of issuance, and is intended to allow~~
576 ~~pet owners to possess animals beyond the limits otherwise imposed by K.C.C. Title 21A~~
577 ~~until such a time as the death or transfer of the animals reduces the number possessed to~~
578 ~~the legal limit set forth in K.C.C. Title 21A.~~

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579 ~~3. The manager of the regional animal services section may deny any~~
580 ~~application for a special hobby kennel license:~~

581 ~~a. based on past Animal Care and Control Code violations by the applicant's~~
582 ~~dogs and cats or verified complaints from neighbors regarding the applicant's dogs and~~
583 ~~eats; or~~

584 ~~b. if the animal or animals are maintained in inhumane conditions.))~~

585 F. ~~((The manager of the regional animal services section may authorize hobby~~
586 ~~kennels, hobby catteries and special hobby kennels to exceed the maximum number of~~
587 ~~dogs and cats otherwise allowed under this section where necessary to address an~~
588 ~~emergency proclaimed by the executive in accordance with K.C.C. 12.52.030.)) For~~

589 applicants who cannot meet the requirements of this section, the manager may issue a
590 hobby kennel or hobby cattery license authorizing persons to retain more than three pets
591 if:

592 1. The applicant keeps the pets for enjoyment only, and not as a commercial
593 enterprise;

594 2. The applicant keeps only those pets in the applicant's possession at the time
595 of license issuance. The license must identify each pet and allow possession of more
596 animals than would otherwise be allowed only until the death or relocation of those
597 specific animals;

598 3. The licensed facility provides a living environment with sufficient area,
599 dimension, design, ventilation, and cleanliness to assure the comfort and lack of distress
600 of each animal and is operated and maintained in a manner that is compatible with
601 neighboring properties; and

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602 4. The pets have no additional litters until the total number of pets is reduced to
603 three or fewer.

604 SECTION 55. Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 5, as amended, and
605 K.C.C. 11.04.070 are hereby amended to read as follows:

606 Each animal shelter, ~~((kennel,))~~ hobby kennel, ~~((cattery,))~~ hobby cattery,
607 or pet shop shall monthly provide the ~~((regional animal services section))~~
608 manager with a ~~((monthly))~~ list of all ~~((dogs and cats))~~ pets that it has given away
609 or sold. The list ~~((shall))~~ must include the origin, age, sex, color, breed, altered
610 status, and, if applicable, microchip number and license number of each ~~((dog or~~
611 ~~cat))~~ pet given away or sold and the new owner's name, address and, if available,
612 email address and telephone number.

613 SECTION 56. The following are hereby repealed:

- 614 A. Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 6, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.080;
615 B. Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 7, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.090
616 C. Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 8, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.100;
617 D. Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 9, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.110;
618 E. Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 9, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.130; and
619 F. Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 12, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.140.

620 SECTION 57. Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 13, as amended, and K.C.C.
621 11.04.150 are hereby amended to read as follows:

622 ~~((The regional animal services section may, i))~~In addition to ~~((other))~~ imposing
623 penalties provided in this title, the manager may condition, revoke, suspend, or refuse to
624 renew any hobby kennel license~~((,))~~ or hobby cattery ~~((, guard dog purveyor, guard dog~~

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625 ~~trainer license or guard dog registration upon good cause or~~) license for failure to
626 comply with any ~~((provision))~~ condition of the license or permit or for any violation of
627 this title. Enforcement ~~((of such a revocation, suspension or refusal shall be))~~ is stayed
628 during the pendency of an appeal filed in accordance with K.C.C. 11.04.260.

629 SECTION 58. Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 14, as amended, and K.C.C.
630 11.04.160 are hereby amended to read as follows:

631 ~~((If a))~~An applicant who has had a license, permit, or registration revoked or a
632 renewal refused~~((, the applicant))~~ shall not be issued a hobby kennel license~~((,))~~ or a
633 hobby cattery license~~((, guard dog purveyor, guard dog trainer license or guard dog~~
634 ~~registration))~~ for one year after the revocation ~~((and))~~ or refusal to renew becomes final.

635 SECTION 59. The following are hereby repealed:

- 636 A. Ordinance 10809, Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.165; and
637 B. Ordinance 10809, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.167.

638 SECTION 60. Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C.
639 11.04.170 are hereby amended to read as follows:

640 A. The manager ~~((of the regional animal services section and the animal care and~~
641 ~~control officers are))~~ is authorized to take such lawful action as ~~((may be required))~~
642 appropriate to enforce;

643 1. ((†))This ((chapter,)) title;

644 2. Ordinance 10870, as amended, and K.C.C. Title 21A ((, as they pertain to the
645 ~~keeping of))~~ pertaining to animals((,)); and

646 3. ((†))The laws of ((the state of)) Washington ((as the laws pertain)) pertaining
647 to animals ~~((cruelty, shelter, welfare and enforcement of control)).~~

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648 B. ~~((The manager of the regional animal services section or animal care and~~
649 ~~control officers shall not enter a building designated for and used for private purposes,~~
650 ~~unless a proper warrant has first been issued upon a showing that the officer has~~
651 ~~reasonable cause to believe an animal is being maintained in the building in violation of~~
652 ~~this chapter.~~

653 ~~C.))~~ The manager ~~((of the regional animal services section and animal care and~~
654 ~~control officers)), while pursuing or observing any animal in violation of this ~~((chapter))~~
655 title, may enter upon any public or private property, except any building designated for
656 and used for private purposes, for the purpose of abating the animal violation being
657 pursued or observed.~~

658 ~~((D. No person shall deny, prevent, obstruct or attempt to deny, prevent or~~
659 ~~obstruct an animal care and control officer from pursuing any animal observed to be in~~
660 ~~violation of this chapter. Further, no person shall fail or neglect, after a proper warrant~~
661 ~~has been presented, to promptly permit the manager of the regional animal services~~
662 ~~section or an animal care and control officer to enter private property to perform any duty~~
663 ~~imposed by this chapter. Any person violating this subsection is guilty of a~~
664 ~~misdemeanor.))~~ C. The manager may inspect any facilities licensed or permitted under
665 this title to ensure compliance with this title and the applicable permit or license.

666 SECTION 61. Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C.
667 11.04.180 are hereby amended to read as follows:

668 All violations of this ~~((chapter))~~ title are detrimental to ~~((the))~~ public health,
669 safety and welfare and are deemed public nuisances ~~((All conditions that are~~
670 ~~determined after review by the manager of the regional animal services section to be in~~

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671 ~~violation of this chapter shall be abated~~)), subject to abatement and other enforcement in
672 accordance with this title or as otherwise authorized by law or equity.

673 SECTION 62. Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 3, as amended, and
674 K.C.C. 11.04.190 are hereby repealed.

675 SECTION 63. Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 4, as amended, and
676 K.C.C. 11.04.200 are hereby amended to read as follows:

677 In addition to or as an alternative to any other penalty provided in this
678 ~~((chapter)) title~~ or by law, any person whose animal is maintained in violation of
679 this ~~((chapter)) title~~ shall incur a civil penalty ~~((in an amount not to exceed one~~
680 ~~thousand dollars per violation to be directly assessed by the manager of the~~
681 ~~animal care and control authority plus billable costs of the animal care and control~~
682 ~~authority. The manager, in a reasonable manner, may vary the amount of the~~
683 ~~penalty assessed to consider the appropriateness of the penalty to the nature and~~
684 ~~type of violation; the gravity of the violation; the number of past and present~~
685 ~~violations committed and the good faith of the violator in attempting to achieve~~
686 ~~compliance with prescribed requirements or after notification of a violation)) as~~
687 specified by K.C.C. 11.04.035. All civil penalties ~~((shall be enforced))~~ will be
688 assessed and collected in accordance with the procedure specified in this
689 ~~((chapter)) title.~~

690 SECTION 64. Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 4, as amended, and
691 K.C.C. 11.04.210 are hereby amended to read as follows:

692 A. The manager ~~((of the regional animal services section and the~~
693 ~~manager's authorized representatives))~~ may apprehend and impound any

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694 ~~((animals found doing any of the acts defined as a public nuisance or being~~
695 ~~subjected to cruel treatment as defined by law. After the animal is apprehended,~~
696 ~~the regional animal services section shall ascertain whether the animal is licensed~~
697 ~~or otherwise identifiable. If reasonably possible, the regional animal services~~
698 ~~section shall return the animal to the owner together with a notice of violation of~~
699 ~~this chapter.~~

700 1. ~~If it is not reasonably possible to immediately return a currently licensed~~
701 ~~animal to its owner, the regional animal services section shall notify the owner within a~~
702 ~~reasonable time by regular mail or telephone that the animal has been impounded and~~
703 ~~may be redeemed. Any currently licensed animal impounded in accordance with this~~
704 ~~chapter shall be held for the owner at least one hundred twenty hours, after telephone~~
705 ~~contact by the impounding agency or for at least two weeks after posting of the~~
706 ~~notification of impoundment by regular mail.~~

707 2. ~~Any other animal impounded in accordance with this chapter shall be held for~~
708 ~~its owner at least seventy-two hours from the time of impoundment.~~

709 3. ~~Any animal suffering from serious injury or disease may be euthanized.~~

710 4. ~~At the discretion of the impounding authority, any animal may be held for a~~
711 ~~longer period than otherwise specified in this section and redeemed by any person on~~
712 ~~payment of charges not exceeding those prescribed in this chapter)) animal found to be at~~
713 ~~large.~~

714 B. The manager shall make reasonable efforts to serve the owner with written
715 notice specifying the basis for impoundment and the requirements for regaining custody
716 of the animal, if applicable.

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717 C. Animals impounded under this section must be retained as follows:

718 1. Any currently licensed animal must be held for five calendar days after
719 telephone contact to the owner or posting notice of impoundment on the front door of the
720 living unit of the owner, or for at least fourteen calendar days after sending the owner
721 notice of impoundment by regular mail;

722 2. Any animal whose owner cannot be determined by license or other means
723 must be held for at least three calendar days from the time of impoundment, unless
724 otherwise provided by law;

725 3. The manager may provide medical care to an animal during impoundment.
726 Any animal suffering from serious injury or disease may be euthanized; and

727 4. Feral cats that are altered and ear tipped are exempt from the holding periods
728 in this subsection and are subject to immediate disposition, at the discretion of the
729 manager, which may include returning the feral cat to the location where it was found.

730 D. Except where return of the animal is restricted by law, order of the manager,
731 order of the hearing examiner, or order of a court, an owner may redeem the animal by
732 paying the redemption and kenneling fees provided in K.C.C. 11.04.035 and any
733 expenses the manager incurred altering, microchipping, and providing necessary medical
734 care to the animal during the animal's period of impoundment.

735 E. Any animal not redeemed ((shall)) within the time required by subsection C.
736 of this section may be ((treated in one of the following ways)):

737 1. Made available for adoption at the fee provided in K.C.C. 11.04.035((-
738 a. As provided in K.C.C. 11.04.400, all dogs and cats adopted from the King
739 County animal shelter shall be spayed or neutered before adoption, except that, persons

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740 ~~adopting a juvenile may elect not to spay or neuter the animal at the time of adoption if~~
741 ~~such persons purchase a juvenile license and pre-purchase an adult altered license,~~
742 ~~effective the month that the animal would become six months of age. Such persons shall~~
743 ~~also pay a spay or neuter deposit that shall be returned to the adopting person upon~~
744 ~~submission of proof that the sterilization was performed within six months from the~~
745 ~~adoption. Failure to spay or neuter such a dog or cat is a violation of this chapter and a~~
746 ~~breach of the adoption contract and shall result in the forfeiture of the adoption and return~~
747 ~~of the dog or cat to King County animal care and control for the required spaying or~~
748 ~~neutering. Persons adopting a juvenile dog or cat that is spayed or neutered may~~
749 ~~purchase an adult altered license at the time of adoption, effective for one year.~~

750 ~~b. The manager of the regional animal services section may adopt~~
751 ~~administrative rules regarding the adoption of animals from King County shelters); ((or))~~

752 2. Transferred to another animal welfare organization for adoption;

753 3. ~~((Entered))~~ Placed into foster care; ~~((or))~~

754 4. Sold at public auction; or

755 5. Euthanized.

756 ~~((C.))~~ F. The county shall not sell any animals for the purposes of medical
757 research to any research institute or any other purchasers.

758 ~~((D.1.))~~ G. All pets adopted from the King County animal shelter must be altered
759 and microchipped before adoption.

760 H. Any ~~((unaltered dog or cat))~~ pet impounded more than once shall be ~~((spayed~~
761 ~~or neutered.~~

762 ~~a. by the regional animal services before the release of the dog or cat; or~~

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763 ~~b. at the request of the owner, after release of the dog or cat to the owner, but~~
764 ~~only if the owner agrees to pay a cash deposit of two hundred fifty dollars and provides~~
765 ~~proof of neutering or spaying on a form provided by the county. In order for the deposit~~
766 ~~to be refunded to the owner the form must be certified by a licensed veterinarian within~~
767 ~~ten days of release of the dog or cat to the owner. If proof of neutering or spaying is not~~
768 ~~provided within ten days, the regional animal services may again impound the dog or cat~~
769 ~~to verify that it is spayed or neutered. If the animal is not spayed or neutered, the~~
770 ~~regional animal services section may spay or neuter the animal before it is released to the~~
771 ~~owner.~~

772 ~~2. If the dog or cat is spayed or neutered by the regional animal services section,~~
773 ~~the cost of the spay or neuter shall be charged to the owner upon redemption but shall be~~
774 ~~deducted from the impound and redemption fees otherwise required under this chapter))~~
775 microchipped before redemption.

776 SECTION 65. Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 6, as amended, and K.C.C.
777 11.04.220 are hereby amended to read as follows:

778 Notwithstanding the existence or use of any other remedy, the manager (~~of the~~
779 ~~regional animal services section))~~) may seek legal or equitable relief to enjoin acts or
780 practices and abate any conditions that constitute a violation of this (~~chapter or other~~
781 ~~regulations adopted under this chapter))~~ title.

782 NEW SECTION. SECTION 66. There is hereby added to K.C.C. chapter
783 11.04 a new section to read as follows:

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784 In addition to other remedies provided in this title, the manager may order
785 an animal removed from the county when the animal has been the subject of five
786 or more notices and orders of violation in any two-year period.

787 SECTION 67. Ordinance 15801, Section 66, and K.C.C. 11.04.225 are
788 hereby amended to read as follows:

789 A. The manager ~~((of the animal care and control authority))~~ may prohibit
790 a person who ~~((is issued a notice and order for violation of))~~ violates K.C.C.
791 11.04.250 ~~((or who is either charged or convicted of animal cruelty under either~~
792 ~~RCW 16.52.205 or 16.52.207 from owning, harboring, keeping or maintaining~~
793 ~~any animal))~~ from owning, caring for, or residing with any animals for up to two
794 years, if the manager determines that the ~~((enforcement))~~ prohibition furthers the
795 purposes of this ~~((chapter in accordance with the following: a person may be~~
796 ~~prohibited from owning, harboring, keeping or maintaining any animal:~~

797 1. ~~For up to four years, if the person is found in violation of the animal cruelty~~
798 ~~provisions of K.C.C. 11.04.250 or convicted of a misdemeanor under RCW 16.52.207;~~
799 2. ~~Indefinitely, if the person is convicted of a felony under RCW 16.52.205; or~~
800 3. ~~Pending the final adjudication of a notice and order issued under K.C.C.~~
801 ~~11.04.250 or a charge under RCW 16.52.205 or 16.52.207))~~ title.

802 B. The manager may prohibit a person convicted of animal cruelty from owning,
803 caring for, or residing with any animals, consistent with RCW 16.52.200.

804 C. The ~~((director or authorized animal care and control officer))~~ manager may
805 enforce this section through the notice and order process in K.C.C. 11.04.260. ~~((A))~~ The

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806 notice and order (~~(issued to enforce this section)~~) is subject to appeal, in accordance with
807 K.C.C. 11.04.270.

808 D. The manager may impound an animal owned, cared for, or residing with a
809 person contrary to this section. If an animal is impounded under this section, then the
810 procedures in RCW 16.52.085 shall apply.

811 SECTION 68. Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 7, as amended, and K.C.C.
812 11.04.230 are hereby amended to read as follows:

813 (~~For purposes of this chapter, nuisances are violations of this chapter and shall be~~
814 ~~defined as follows~~) The following constitute public nuisances and are prohibited:

815 A. Any public nuisance relating to animal care and control known at common
816 law or in equity jurisprudence;

817 B. (~~A dog running at large within the county;~~

818 ~~C. Any domesticated animal, whether licensed or not, that runs at large in any~~
819 ~~park or enters any public beach, pond, fountain or stream or upon any public playground~~
820 ~~or school ground. However, this subsection shall not prohibit a person from walking or~~
821 ~~exercising an animal in a public park or on any public beach when the animal is on a~~
822 ~~leash, tether or chain not to exceed eight feet in length. Also, this subsection shall not~~
823 ~~apply to any person using a trained service animal, to animal shows, exhibitions or~~
824 ~~organized dog training classes if at least twenty four hours' advance notice has been~~
825 ~~given to the animal care and control authority by those persons requesting to hold the~~
826 ~~animal shows, exhibitions or organized dog training classes;~~

827 ~~D. Any domestic animal)~~ A domesticated animal that enters any (~~place~~) area
828 where food is stored, prepared, served, or sold to the public (~~, or any other public~~

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829 ~~building or hall. However, this subsection shall not apply to any person using a trained~~
830 ~~service animal, to veterinary offices or hospitals or to animal shows, exhibitions or~~
831 ~~organized dog training classes if at least twenty four hours' advance notice has been~~
832 ~~given to the animal care and control authority by the persons requesting to hold the~~
833 ~~animal shows, exhibitions or organized dog training classes)); however, this subsection~~
834 B.2. does not apply to service or assistive animals;

835 ~~((E. Any female domesticated animal, whether licensed or not,)) C. ((w))~~While
836 in heat ((and)), for a pet to be accessible to ((other animals for purposes other than
837 controlled and)) males of the same species, except for planned breeding;

838 ~~((F. Any domesticated animal that)) D. A domesticated animal that chases, runs~~
839 ~~after, or jumps at people riding in vehicles ((using the public streets and alleys)), or on~~
840 bicycles, skateboards, roller skates, or other wheeled devices in public areas;

841 ~~((G. Any domesticated animal that habitually snaps, growls, snarls, jumps upon~~
842 ~~or otherwise threatens persons lawfully using the public sidewalks, streets, alleys or other~~
843 public ways;

844 ~~H. Any animal that has exhibited vicious propensities and constitutes a danger to~~
845 ~~the safety of persons or property off the animal's premises or lawfully on the animal's~~
846 ~~premises. However, in addition to other remedies and penalties, the provisions of this~~
847 chapter relating to vicious animals shall apply;

848 ~~I. Any vicious animal or animal with vicious propensities that runs at large at any~~
849 ~~time is off the owner's premises not securely leashed on a line or confined and in the~~
850 control of a person of suitable age and discretion to control or restrain the animal.

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851 ~~However, in addition to other remedies and penalties, the provisions of this chapter~~
852 ~~relating to vicious animals shall apply;~~

853 ~~J. Any domesticated animal that howls, yelps, whines, barks or makes other~~
854 ~~oral))~~

855 E. A domesticated animal that menaces a person or other domesticated animals
856 under circumstances not meeting the definition of "potentially dangerous";

857 F. A domesticated animal that meets the definition of "potentially dangerous
858 animal" or "dangerous animal." In addition, the provisions of this chapter relating to
859 potentially dangerous animals or dangerous animals shall apply;

860 G. A domesticated animal that violates any provision of this title after a final
861 determination of the animal being potentially dangerous, vicious, or dangerous;

862 H. Failure to comply with a manager's order related to a potentially dangerous,
863 vicious or dangerous animal;

864 I. A domesticated animal leaving the owner's premises and thereafter cause
865 damage to anything of value;

866 J. A domesticated animal chasing livestock, unless engaged in the specific work
867 of herding that livestock, as approved by the livestock's owner;

868 K. A domesticated animal making noise((s)), in such a manner as to disturb any
869 person or neighborhood to an unreasonable degree;

870 ~~((K. Any domesticated animal that enters))~~ L. A domesticated animal entering
871 upon a person's property or premises without ((the)) that person's permission ((of that
872 person)));

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873 ~~((L. Animals staked, tethered or kept on public property without prior written~~
874 ~~consent of the animal care and control authority;~~

875 ~~M. Animals on any public premises not under control by the owner or other~~
876 ~~competent person;~~

877 ~~N. Animals harbored, kept or maintained and known to have a contagious~~
878 ~~disease, unless under the treatment of a licensed veterinarian)) M. Failure to obtain care~~

879 for a domesticated animal from a licensed veterinarian when the owner knows the animal
880 has a contagious disease; ((and))

881 ~~((O. Animals running in packs)) N. Bringing into King County, breeding, or~~

882 having custody or control, even temporarily, of a potentially dangerous wild animal as

883 defined in chapter 16.30 RCW as of the effective date of this ordinance. For purposes of

884 this chapter, wolf hybrids and coyote hybrids are potentially dangerous wild animals;

885 O. For a dog to be at large, or be at large in a pack, except in designated off-leash

886 areas or while engaged in obedience training, lawful hunting activity, lawful organized

887 competition, lawful training in preparation for such hunting or competition, herding

888 livestock, or sanctioned search and rescue activities;

889 P. Failure to license a pet, as required by K.C.C. 11.04.030;

890 Q. Sell, barter, or otherwise transfer ownership of any animal without the

891 appropriate license or permit;

892 R. Stake, tether, or keep any animal on public property without prior written

893 consent of the public entity that owns the premises;

894 S. Fail to remove the feces of their domesticated animal from another's premises

895 and deposit the same in an appropriate receptacle;

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896 T. Possess an exotic animal in violation of K.C.C. 11.28.030;

897 U. Fail to comply with an order related to an animal designated as potentially
898 dangerous, vicious, or dangerous;

899 V. Fail to timely obtain or renew a potentially dangerous registration or a
900 dangerous animal registration;

901 W. Bring a potentially dangerous or dangerous animal into King County without
902 meeting the requirements of section 74 or 75 of this ordinance;

903 X. Release any animal from any confinement, vehicle, or restraint unless the
904 release is with the owner's permission, necessary for the animal's immediate health and
905 safety, or undertaken by peace, animal care, or humane officers;

906 Y. Sell, offer for sale, barter, or give away any fowl under three weeks old or any
907 rabbit under two months old, as a companion animal, toy, premium, or novelty, or to
908 color, dye, stain, or otherwise change the natural color of any such a fowl or rabbit; or

909 Z. Violate the prohibition on owning, caring for, or residing with any animals
910 under K.C.C. 11.04.225.

911 SECTION 69. The following are hereby repealed:

912 A. Ordinance 10423, Section 8, and K.C.C. 11.04.235; and

913 B. Ordinance 4552, Section 2, and K.C.C. 11.04.240.

914 SECTION 70. Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 8, as amended, and

915 K.C.C. 11.04.250 are hereby amended to read as follows:

916 A. It is ~~((unlawful))~~ a violation of this chapter for any person to:

917 1. ~~((Willfully and cruelly i))~~ Injure or ((kill)) cause the death of any
918 animal by any means causing it fright or pain;

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919 2. ~~((By reason of neglect or intent to))~~ Cause or allow any animal to
920 endure pain, suffering, or injury ~~((or to))~~;

921 3. ~~((f))~~ Fail or neglect to aid or attempt to ~~((alleviation of))~~ alleviate pain,
922 suffering or injury the person has ~~((sø))~~ caused ~~((to))~~ any animal;

923 4. Deprive any animal of care sufficient to maintain its health and well-
924 being, by failing to provide:

925 a. food of sufficient quantity or quality to allow for normal growth,
926 body weight, health, and vigor;

927 b. sufficient potable water, which must be always available;

928 c. containers for food and water that allow the animal easy access;

929 d. a living environment with sufficient area, dimension, design,
930 ventilation, and cleanliness to assure the animal's comfort and lack of distress;

931 e. shelter sufficient to protect against cold or heat; or

932 f. veterinary care necessary to relieve distress from injury, neglect or
933 disease;

934 5. Fail to provide adequate care to any animal, even if the failure does
935 not result in the animal actually enduring pain, suffering or injury;

936 6. Leave or confine any animal unattended in a motor vehicle or
937 enclosed space if the animal could be harmed or killed by exposure to excessive
938 heat, cold, lack of ventilation or lack of necessary water;

939 7. Restrain a dog outside by a tether, except in compliance with RCW
940 16.52.350. Each incident involving a violation of this subsection G. is a separate
941 nuisance;

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942 8. Lay out or expose any kind of poison, or to leave exposed any poison food or
943 drink for humans, animals or fowl, or any deadly substance or fluid (~~((whatever whereon~~
944 ~~or wherein there is or shall be deposited)),~~ alone or mingled(~~(, any kind of poison or~~
945 ~~deadly))~~ with any other substance or fluid (~~((whatever))~~), on any premises(~~(;))~~) or in any
946 unenclosed place, or to aid or abet any person in so doing, unless in accordance with
947 RCW 16.52.190;

948 9. Torment, torture, beat, kick, strike, or harass any dog used by a police
949 department for police work, or otherwise interfere with the use of any such dog for police
950 work; ((and)) or

951 ~~((4.))~~ 10. ~~Abandon any domesticated animal ((by dropping off or leaving the~~
952 ~~animal on the street, road or highway, in any other public place or on the private property~~
953 ~~of another anywhere but the owner's premises.~~

954 ~~B. The regional animal services section shall keep a database containing the~~
955 ~~names of all persons who are either found in violation of K.C.C. 11.04.250 or charged or~~
956 ~~convicted of animal cruelty under either RCW 16.52.205 or 16.52.207. Further, the~~
957 ~~regional animal services section shall coordinate with law enforcement, when necessary,~~
958 ~~to keep this database current)), excluding feral cats.~~

959 B. The manager may impound an animal that has been subject to any of the acts,
960 or failures to act, in this section. If an animal is impounded under this section, then the
961 procedures in RCW 16.52.085 shall apply.

962 SECTION 71. Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 9, as amended, and
963 K.C.C. 11.04.260 are hereby amended to read as follows:

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964 A. Whenever the manager (~~((of the regional animal services section or animal care~~
965 ~~and control officer has found an animal maintained in))~~ finds a violation of this (~~(chapter)~~)
966 title, the manager (~~((of the regional animal services section))~~) shall commence proceedings
967 to (~~(cause the))~~ abate(~~(ment of))~~ each violation.

968 B. The manager (~~((of the regional animal services section or animal care and control~~
969 ~~officer))~~) shall issue a notice of violation and an order directed to the owner or the person
970 presumed to be the owner of the animal maintained in violation of this chapter. The notice
971 and order shall contain:

972 1. The name and address, if known, of the (~~(owner or person presumed to be the~~
973 ~~owner of the animal in violation of this chapter))~~ violation;

974 2. The license number, if available, and description of the animal in violation
975 sufficient for identification;

976 3. A statement to the effect that the manager (~~((or animal care and control officer))~~)
977 has found (~~((the animal maintained illegally, with a brief and concise description of the~~
978 ~~conditions, which caused the animal to be in violation of this chapter))~~) a violation of this
979 title, including reference to the specific sections of code or statute violated and, where
980 relevant, reference to the specific sections of code or statute authorizing removal of the
981 animal;

982 4.a. A statement of the action (~~((required to be taken to abate))~~) the manager may
983 require for abating the violation (~~((, as determined by the manager of the regional animal~~
984 ~~services section))~~).

985 (~~((a. If the manager has determined the animal in violation must be disposed of,))~~)

986 b. ((€))The order ((shall)) may require that the abatement, if any, be completed within a

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987 specified time from the order, as ~~((determined by))~~ the manager ~~((to be))~~ determines
988 reasonable~~((;))~~.

989 ~~((b-))~~ c. If the manager ~~((of the regional animal services section))~~ has determined
990 to assess a civil penalty, the order ~~((shall))~~ must require that the penalty be paid within
991 ~~((fourteen))~~ twenty-four days from the order;

992 5. Statements advising that if any required abatement is not commenced within
993 the time specified, the manager ~~((of the regional animal services section))~~ shall proceed to
994 ~~((cause abatement))~~ abate and charge the abatement costs ~~((thereof))~~ against the ~~((owner))~~
995 violator; and

996 6. Statements advising:

997 a. that a person having a legal interest in the animal may appeal ~~((from))~~ the
998 notice of violation and order or any action of the manager ~~((of the regional animal services~~
999 ~~section))~~ to the office of the hearing examiner by filing an appeal with the ~~((section))~~
1000 manager in accordance with K.C.C. 20.22.080; and

1001 b. that failure to appeal constitutes a waiver of all rights to an administrative
1002 hearing and a final determination of the matter.

1003 C. The notice and order ~~((shall))~~ must be served on the ~~((owner or presumed owner~~
1004 ~~of the animal in violation))~~ violator in one of the following ways~~((-~~

1005 ~~D. Service of the notice of violation and order shall be made upon all persons~~
1006 ~~entitled thereto))~~:

1007 1. Personally;

1008 2. By mailing a copy of the notice of violation and order by certified mail, postage
1009 prepaid, return receipt requested, to the person at the person's last known address; or

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1010 3. By posting the notice of violation and order on the front door of the living unit
1011 of the ~~((owner or person with right to control the animal))~~ violator, if the ~~((owner or))~~
1012 person is not home.

1013 ~~((E.))~~ D. Proof of service of the notice of violation and order ~~((shall))~~ must be
1014 made at the time of service by a written declaration under penalty of perjury executed by
1015 the person effecting service, declaring the time, date and manner in which service was
1016 made.

1017 SECTION 72. Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 10, as amended, and K.C.C.
1018 11.04.270 are hereby amended to read as follows:

1019 The office of the hearing examiner is designated to hear appeals by parties
1020 aggrieved by actions of the manager ~~((of the regional animal services section))~~ under this
1021 ~~((chapter))~~ title. ~~((The examiner may adopt reasonable rules or regulations for conducting~~
1022 ~~its business. Copies of all rules and regulations adopted by the examiner shall be delivered~~
1023 ~~to the manager of the regional animal services section, who shall make them freely~~
1024 ~~accessible to the public. All examiner decisions and findings shall be rendered to the~~
1025 ~~appellant in writing with a copy to the manager of the regional animal services section)).~~

1026 SECTION 73. The following are each repealed:

1027 A. Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 11, as amended, and K.C.C.
1028 11.04.280; and

1029 B. Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 12, as amended, and K.C.C.
1030 11.04.290.

1031 NEW SECTION. SECTION 74. There is hereby added to the K.C.C.
1032 chapter 11.04 a new section to read as follows:

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1033 A. If the manager determines an animal's conduct falls within the definition of a
1034 potentially dangerous animal, the manager shall designate the animal as potentially
1035 dangerous. Following such a designation the animal's owner shall:

1036 1. Obtain a potentially dangerous animal registration, in addition to the regular
1037 animal license, as set forth in section K.C.C. 11.04.035; and

1038 2. The registration expires one year after issuance and the owner shall renew the
1039 registration every twelve months.

1040 B. A registration will be issued to the owner of a potentially dangerous animal
1041 only if, within twenty-four days of the designation, the owner transmits to the manager
1042 two current, color, digital photographs in electronic format of the animal, with a
1043 minimum size of three inches by five inches, and provides sufficient proof of the
1044 following:

1045 1. An escape-proof fence, a proper enclosure, or other means of confinement
1046 approved by the manager;

1047 2. A posted warning sign;

1048 3. The animal has been microchipped, with the microchip number provided to
1049 the manager;

1050 4. Current rabies vaccination;

1051 5. Possession of a muzzle and a leash; and

1052 6. Possession of a current license tag and a brightly colored collar sufficient to
1053 restrain the animal.

1054 C. At all times the potentially dangerous animal must:

1055 1. Wear its collar and license tag;

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1056 2. Be within an escape-proof fence, a proper enclosure, or within other means of
1057 confinement approved by the manager when on the owner's premises; and

1058 3. When off the owner's premises, be securely leashed, under the control of a
1059 competent adult, and humanely muzzled or securely restrained in a carrier or crate, made
1060 in accordance with International Air Transport Association guidelines, while traveling in
1061 a vehicle.

1062 D. This section does not apply to police dogs, as defined in RCW 4.24.410.

1063 E. Animals found potentially dangerous by any jurisdiction of this or any other
1064 state are subject to the same regulations as if designated potentially dangerous by King
1065 County.

1066 F. Animals declared to be vicious under a prior version of this title shall continue
1067 to comply with all conditions prescribed by the manager at the time the animal was
1068 declared vicious. Violation of any such condition shall constitute a violation of the
1069 requirements for a potentially dangerous animal and shall be subject to the same
1070 monetary penalty as a potentially dangerous animal violation in K.C.C. 11.04.035.

1071 G. During the entire appeal process of a potentially dangerous animal
1072 designation, the owner shall keep the animal in a proper enclosure, or by other means
1073 approved by the manager. It is a violation of this chapter for the owner appealing a
1074 declaration to allow or permit the animal to go beyond the premises of the owner unless
1075 such animal is securely leashed, under the control of a competent adult, and humanely
1076 muzzled or securely restrained in a carrier or crate, made in accordance with International
1077 Air Transport Association guidelines, while traveling in a vehicle.

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1078 H. The manager may immediately impound the animal upon a violation of any
1079 provision of this section. The animal's owner shall pay the costs of confinement and the
1080 penalty imposed for the violation. The manager shall notify the owner of the reasons for
1081 impounding the animal, that the owner is responsible for paying the costs of confinement,
1082 and that the animal will be destroyed if the deficiencies for which the animal was
1083 confiscated are not corrected within twenty-four days. If within twenty-four days the
1084 owner cures the deficiencies for which the animal was impounded to the satisfaction of
1085 the manager, and the owner pays the costs of confinement and the penalty imposed, then
1086 the owner may redeem the animal. The manager shall destroy the impounded animal if
1087 all violations of this section are not corrected, and all costs and penalties are not paid,
1088 within twenty-four days of notification.

1089 I. It is the duty of every animal owner to always keep the owner's animals under
1090 proper supervision and control. If an animal is designated potentially dangerous, the duty
1091 is upon the animal owner to comply with this chapter. When an animal owner breaches
1092 these duties, the responsibility for any resulting injury or damage shall be on the animal
1093 owner and not King County.

1094 NEW SECTION. SECTION 75. There is hereby added to K.C.C. chapter 11.04
1095 a new section to read as follows:

1096 A. If the manager determines an animal's conduct falls within the definition of a
1097 dangerous animal, the manager shall designate the animal as dangerous. Following such
1098 a designation, the animal's owner shall:

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1099 1. Obtain a dangerous animal registration within twenty-four days of receiving a
1100 dangerous animal designation, in addition to the regular animal license, as set forth in
1101 section K.C.C. 11.04.035; and

1102 2. The registration expires one year after issuance and the owner shall renew the
1103 registration every twelve months.

1104 B. The manager shall issue a dangerous animal registration if, within twenty-four
1105 days of the designation, the owner pays the fee prescribed in K.C.C. 11.04.035, transmits
1106 to the manager two current, color, digital photographs in electronic format of the animal,
1107 with a minimum size of three inches by five inches, and provides sufficient proof of all
1108 the following:

- 1109 1. A proper enclosure and a posted warning sign;
- 1110 2. The animal has been microchipped, with the microchip number provided;
- 1111 3. Current rabies vaccination;
- 1112 4. The animal has been spayed or neutered;
- 1113 5. A muzzle and a leash;
- 1114 6. A current license tag and a brightly colored collar sufficient to restrain the
1115 animal; and

1116 7. A surety bond or liability insurance policy, such as a homeowner's or renter's
1117 insurance policy, that:

1118 a. is issued by a surety insurer qualified under chapter 48.28 RCW or an
1119 insurer qualified under Title 48 RCW;

1120 b. is in a form acceptable to the manager;

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- 1121 c. provides at least five hundred thousand dollars coverage, with a reasonable
1122 deductible;
- 1123 d. is payable to any person for any personal injuries inflicted by the dangerous
1124 animal;
- 1125 e. shall be continuously maintained during the life of the registration;
- 1126 f. provides for prior written notification to the manager of cancellation or
1127 material change; and
- 1128 g. a copy of such bond or liability policy is furnished to the manager, to allow
1129 the manager a reasonable time to review and determine whether it is sufficient to warrant
1130 a dangerous animal registration.
- 1131 C. The manager may inspect the premises where a dangerous animal is
1132 maintained at any time.
- 1133 D. At all times a dangerous animal must:
- 1134 1. Wear its collar and license tag;
- 1135 2. Be confined to a proper enclosure when on the owner's premises; and
- 1136 3. When off the owner's premises, be securely leashed, under the control of a
1137 competent adult, and humanely muzzled or securely restrained in a carrier or crate, made
1138 in accordance with International Air Transport Association guidelines, while traveling in
1139 a vehicle.
- 1140 E. This section does not apply to police dogs as defined in RCW 4.24.410. A
1141 police dog is a dog used by a law enforcement agency specially trained for law
1142 enforcement work and under the control of a dog handler.

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1143 F. The owner must notify the manager in writing in the event of a dangerous
1144 animal's death, relocation or change in ownership. For a change of ownership or
1145 relocation, the registered owner shall provide the manager with: written notice, at least
1146 ten days in advance of any change, of the new owner's phone number and complete
1147 street, mailing and email addresses; and proof that the new owner and the new
1148 jurisdiction's animal control authority have been notified of the animal's designation as
1149 dangerous. If the change of ownership or relocation is within King County, the owner
1150 shall satisfy all requirements of this section before relocating the animal.

1151 G. An animal found dangerous by any jurisdiction of this state or any other state
1152 is subject to the same requirements as if the animal was designated dangerous by King
1153 County.

1154 H. A dangerous animal that is relocated outside King County is prohibited from
1155 reentering the county without prior written consent of the manager and a valid dangerous
1156 animal registration.

1157 I. During the entire appeal process of a dangerous animal designation, the owner
1158 shall keep the animal in a proper enclosure. It is a violation of this chapter for the owner
1159 appealing a declaration to allow or permit the animal to be outside of the proper
1160 enclosure unless the animal is securely leashed, under the control of a competent adult,
1161 and humanely muzzled or securely restrained in an airline-approved carrier or crate while
1162 traveling in a vehicle.

1163 J. The manager shall immediately impound the animal upon a violation of this
1164 section. The animal's owner shall pay the costs of confinement and the penalty imposed
1165 for the violation. The manager shall notify the owner of the reasons for impounding the

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1166 animal, that the owner is responsible for paying the costs of confinement, and that the
1167 animal will be destroyed if the deficiencies for which the animal was confiscated are not
1168 corrected within twenty-four days. If within twenty-four days the owner cures the
1169 deficiencies for which the animal was impounded to the satisfaction of the manager, and
1170 the owner pays the costs of confinement and the penalty imposed, then the owner may
1171 redeem the animal. The manager shall destroy the impounded animal if all violations of
1172 this section are not corrected, and all costs and penalties are not paid, within twenty-four
1173 days of notification.

1174 K. It is the duty of every animal owner to always keep the animal under proper
1175 supervision and control. When an animal is declared dangerous, the duty is upon the
1176 animal owner to comply with this chapter. When an animal owner breaches these duties,
1177 the responsibility for any resulting injury or damage shall be on the animal owner and not
1178 King County.

1179 NEW SECTION. SECTION 76. There is hereby added to K.C.C. chapter
1180 11.04 a new section to read as follows:

1181 A. The manager may immediately impound an animal when the animal
1182 aggressively attacks and causes severe injury to or death of any human without
1183 provocation, even where the animal had not previously been designated
1184 potentially dangerous or dangerous. If the animal is impounded, the manager
1185 shall designate the animal as a dangerous animal and section 75 of this ordinance
1186 shall apply, except the animal shall remain impounded during the entire appeal
1187 process, if any.

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1188 B. The manager may immediately impound an animal and the owner
1189 forfeits all rights to the animal if the animal is not removed from the county in
1190 accordance with an order of the manager under section 66 of this ordinance. The
1191 animal's owner shall pay the costs of confinement. The manager shall notify the
1192 owner of the reason for impounding the animal, that the owner is responsible for
1193 paying the costs of confinement, and that the animal is the property of the
1194 manager. If within twenty-four days the owner provides to the manager a location
1195 for the animal to live outside of the county, including the name, address, phone
1196 number, and email address of the person or organization taking ownership of the
1197 animal to the satisfaction of the manager, and the owner pays the costs of
1198 confinement and the penalty imposed, then the owner may redeem the animal.
1199 The owner shall ensure the animal is removed from the county immediately upon
1200 redemption. The manager shall make a disposition of the animal consistent with
1201 the options in K.C.C. 11.04.210.E.1. through E.5. if, within twenty-four days of
1202 notification, the owner has not paid the costs of confinement and provided the
1203 information required by this section.

1204 SECTION 77. Ordinance 7986, Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C.
1205 11.04.335 are hereby amended to read as follows:

1206 A. The manager (~~(of the regional animal services section)~~) may, in full or
1207 in part, waive, refund or provide amnesty periods (~~(of amnesty)~~) for (~~(payment~~
1208 ~~of)~~) outstanding civil penalties, licensing fees, late licensing penalty fees,
1209 adoption fees, and redemption and sheltering fees, in whole or in part, when (~~(to~~

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1210 ~~do~~) doing so would further the goals of ~~((the regional animal services section))~~
1211 this title and be in the public interest.

1212 B. In determining whether a waiver should apply, the manager ~~((of the~~
1213 ~~regional animal services section must take into consideration))~~ shall consider the
1214 following elements:

1215 1. The reason the animal was impounded;
1216 2. The violation's reason or the basis ~~((for the violation, the))~~₁ nature ~~((of the~~
1217 ~~violation, the))~~₂ duration ~~((of the violation))~~₂ and ~~((the))~~ likelihood ~~((the violation will not~~
1218 ~~recur))~~ of recurrence;

1219 3. The total amount of the fees charged as compared with the gravity of the
1220 violation; and

1221 4. The effect on the owner, the animal's welfare₁ and the regional animal
1222 services section if the fee ~~((or fees))~~ or penalties are not waived ~~((and no payment is~~
1223 ~~received))~~.

1224 SECTION 78. Ordinance 10809, Section 5, and K.C.C. 11.04.345 are hereby
1225 repealed.

1226 NEW SECTION. SECTION 79. There is hereby added to K.C.C. chapter 11.04
1227 a new section to read as follows:

1228 It is a misdemeanor to:

1229 A. Intentionally cause, aid, or abet any violation of K.C.C.11.04.230 or
1230 11.04.250, by any act or omission;

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1231 B. Fail to comply with a manager's order related to an animal designated as
1232 potentially dangerous, vicious, or dangerous after the animal has committed two
1233 violations of this chapter;

1234 C. Fail to comply with a manager's order related to an animal designated as
1235 dangerous;

1236 D. Cause an animal to injure a human or domesticated animal acting in a lawful
1237 manner;

1238 E. Own or maintain a pet shop, hobby kennel or hobby cattery, pet daycare
1239 facility, animal shelter, or pet grooming service without the operating permit or permits
1240 required by K.C.C. chapter 11.04, after having committed a related violation;

1241 F. Sell, adopt, transfer ownership, or trade an unlicensed pet, except in
1242 accordance with K.C.C. 11.04.030, after committing a related violation;

1243 G. Sell, adopt, transfer ownership, or trade an animal knowing it to be ill or
1244 injured, without disclosing the animal's illness or injury;

1245 H. Remove any animal from the possession of the animal care and control
1246 authority without permission of the manager or without paying all lawful charges;

1247 I. Obstruct any animal care and control officer in the performance of any official
1248 duty;

1249 J. Within a two-year period, receive five or more notices of violations or
1250 infractions issued under this title; or

1251 K. Permit livestock to run at large in a stock restricted area.

1252 NEW SECTION. SECTION 80. There is hereby added to K.C.C. chapter 11.04
1253 a new section to read as follows:

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1254 It is a gross misdemeanor for anyone to keep, maintain, control, or retain custody
1255 of any animal in conjunction with or for the purpose, whether in whole or in part, of
1256 aiding, abetting, or conducting any illegal activity or committing any crime.

1257 SECTION 81. Ordinance 10423, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.400
1258 are hereby amended to read as follows:

1259 A. ~~((No person shall own or harbor))~~ A person may not harbor, keep, or maintain
1260 any ~~((cat or dog over the age of six months))~~ nonjuvenile pet that has not been ~~((spayed~~
1261 ~~or neutered))~~ altered, unless the person holds an unaltered ~~((animal))~~ pet license for the
1262 animal ~~((pursuant to K.C.C. 11.04.030))~~.

1263 B. Guide dogs ~~((puppies))~~ in training and police service dogs are exempted from
1264 ~~((the provisions of))~~ this section.

1265 C. Any ~~((dog or cat over the age of six months))~~ nonjuvenile pet adopted from an
1266 animal shelter in King County ~~((shall be spayed or neutered))~~ must be altered before
1267 transfer to the owner.

1268 SECTION 82. Ordinance 10423, Section 24, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.410
1269 are hereby amended to read as follows:

1270 When issuing a license for an unaltered pet, the ~~((regional animal services~~
1271 ~~section))~~ manager may provide to the applicant a voucher for ~~((the payment of))~~ paying
1272 all or part of the cost of an altering ~~((spay or neuter))~~ operation by a licensed veterinarian
1273 ~~((on the pet))~~, with the amount of the voucher established by the manager ~~((of regional~~
1274 ~~animal services))~~ based upon available resources and upon the council providing
1275 appropriation authority ~~((being provided by the council))~~. The ~~((regional animal services~~
1276 ~~section))~~ manager shall compile, maintain, and make available to the public a list of

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1277 veterinarians who accept the vouchers as full or partial payment for ~~((spay or neuter~~
1278 ~~operations. Spay or neuter))~~ altering. ~~((v))~~Vouchers ~~((shall be redeemed))~~ are
1279 redeemable through the King County treasury by veterinarians who have performed an a
1280 alteration ~~((spay or neuter operation))~~ on a pet licensed in King County as an unaltered
1281 pet.

1282 SECTION 83. Ordinance 10423, Section 6, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.500
1283 are hereby amended to read as follows:

1284 A. It ~~((shall be))~~ is the policy of King County that a maximum euthanasia rate
1285 target is set to measure the progress towards reducing the rates of ~~((cats and dogs))~~ pets
1286 euthanized by the regional animal services section or its designees. The euthanasia rates
1287 ~~((shall be))~~ must be calculated based on the total number of live ~~((cats and dogs take in~~
1288 ~~to))~~ pets taken into King County custody to include stray, homeless, abandoned,
1289 unwanted or surrendered animals, and animals euthanized at an owner's request. The
1290 euthanasia rates ~~((shall))~~ must exclude animals euthanized at the order of the director ~~((of~~
1291 ~~the Seattle King County department of public health))~~ and those animals ~~((who are))~~ not
1292 in the custody of King County but ~~((are))~~ brought to a King County shelter by their owner
1293 or guardian for the purposes of licensing, or clinic services, such as ~~((spaying, neutering))~~
1294 alterations and vaccinations, should ~~((such services be made available))~~ the manager
1295 make those services available to the public ~~((by the regional animal services section))~~.
1296 The calculation of the euthanasia rate for a given year should include the inventory of
1297 pets carried over from the preceding year and exclude the inventory of pets carried over
1298 to the subsequent year.

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1299 B. The total number of ~~((cats and dogs))~~ pets euthanized by the regional animal
1300 services section is not to exceed fifteen percent.

1301 C. The manager should, to the extent feasible, calculate other measures of
1302 euthanasia rates or live release rates that enable comparison with other agencies.

1303 SECTION 84. Ordinance 10423, Section 19, and K.C.C. 11.04.520 are hereby
1304 repealed.

1305 SECTION 85. Ordinance 10423, Section 20, and K.C.C. 11.04.530 are hereby
1306 amended to read as follows:

1307 ~~((The provisions of t))~~This chapter ((shall)) does not apply to dogs and cats in the
1308 custody of ~~((an animal))~~ a research facility registered or ~~((licenses))~~ licensed by the
1309 United States Department of Agriculture and regulated by 7 United States Code 2131, et
1310 seq.

1311 SECTION 86. Ordinance 10423, Section 21, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.540
1312 are hereby repealed.

1313 SECTION 87. The following are hereby repealed:

1314 A. Ordinance 10423, Section 25, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.560; and

1315 B. Ordinance 10423, Section 26, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.570.

1316 SECTION 88. Ordinance 10423, Section 27, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.580
1317 are hereby amended to read as follows:

1318 The ~~((animal care and control authority))~~ manager shall may develop and
1319 implement a twelve-month program to canvass for compliance with the licensing
1320 requirements of this ~~((chapter))~~ title. The program ~~((shall))~~ must be directed at
1321 households within unincorporated areas of King County and cities under contract with

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1322 King County for animal care control services. (~~(Animal care and control authority)~~)
1323 Regional animal services section employees and persons or organizations under contract
1324 to (~~(the animal care and control authority)~~) the regional animal service section performing
1325 the canvassing may issue pet licenses and collect license fees. The manager shall
1326 annually review the canvassing program (~~(shall be reviewed by the animal care and~~
1327 ~~control authority)~~). Funding (~~(for subsequent years shall)~~) must be reviewed annually
1328 based upon an evaluation of the efficacy of the canvassing program.

1329 NEW SECTION. SECTION 89. There is hereby added to K.C.C. chapter 11.04
1330 a new section to read as follows:

1331 If any provision of this title or its application to any person or circumstance is
1332 held invalid, the remainder of the title or the application of the provision to other persons
1333 or circumstances is not affected.

1334 SECTION 90. The following are each repealed:

1335 A. Ordinance 3548, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.08.010;

1336 B. Ordinance 3548, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.08.020;

1337 C. Ordinance 3548, Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.08.030;

1338 D. Ordinance 10574, Section 1 and K.C.C. 11.08.035;

1339 E. Ordinance 3732, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.08.040;

1340 F. Ordinance 3548, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.08.050;

1341 G. Ordinance 3548, Section 5, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.08.060;

1342 H. Ordinance 11150, Sections 1-2, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.08.075;

1343 I. Ordinance 3548, Section 8 (part) (1), and K.C.C. 11.08.080;

1344 J. Ordinance 3548, Section 8 (part)(2), as amended, and K.C.C. 11.08.090;

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- 1345 K. Ordinance 3810, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.100;
- 1346 L. Ordinance 3811, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.110;
- 1347 M. Ordinance 4149, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.120;
- 1348 N. Ordinance 4150, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.130;
- 1349 O. Ordinance 4370, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.140;
- 1350 P. Ordinance 4371, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.150;
- 1351 Q. Ordinance 4385, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.08.160;
- 1352 R. Ordinance 4991, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.170;
- 1353 S. Ordinance 5058, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.180;
- 1354 T. Ordinance 5059, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.190;
- 1355 U. Ordinance 5186, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.200;
- 1356 V. Ordinance 5185, Section 2, and K.C.C. 11.08.210;
- 1357 W. Ordinance 5492, Section 1 and K.C.C. 11.08.220;
- 1358 X. Ordinance 5493, Section 1 and K.C.C. 11.08.230;
- 1359 Y. Ordinance 5673, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.240;
- 1360 Z. Ordinance 6340, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.250;
- 1361 AA. Ordinance 6430, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.260;
- 1362 BB. Ordinance 6640, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.270;
- 1363 CC. Ordinance 7570, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.280;
- 1364 DD. Ordinance 7608, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.290;
- 1365 EE. Ordinance 9063, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.300;
- 1366 FF. Ordinance 11719, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.08.310;
- 1367 GG. Resolution 27312, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.12.010;

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1368 HH. Resolution 27312, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.12.020;

1369 II. Resolution 27312, Section 3, and K.C.C. 11.12.030;

1370 JJ. Resolution 27312, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.12.040;

1371 KK. Resolution 27312, Section 5, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.12.050; and

1372 LL. Resolution 27312, Section 6, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.12.060.

1373 SECTION 91. NEW SECTION. There is hereby added to K.C.C. 11.04 a new
1374 section to follow K.C.C. 11.04.170, to read as follows:

1375 The manager is authorized to assist the director in enforcing and carrying out
1376 BOH chapter 8.04 of the King County Board of Health Code.

1377 SECTION 92. The following are hereby repealed:

1378 A. Resolution 30346, Section 1, and K.C.C. 11.20.010; and

1379 B. Resolution 30346, Section 2, and K.C.C. 11.20.020.

1380 SECTION 93. K.C.C. 11.24.010 is hereby recodified as a new section in K.C.C.
1381 chapter 11.04 to follow K.C.C 11.04.230.

1382 SECTION 94. The following are hereby repealed:

1383 A. Ordinance 5975, Section 3, and K.C.C. 11.24.030;

1384 B. Ordinance 2473, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.010;

1385 C. Ordinance 2473, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.020;

1386 D. Ordinance 2473, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.040;

1387 E. Ordinance 2473, Section 5, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.050;

1388 F. Ordinance 2473, Section 6, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.060;

1389 G. Ordinance 2473, Section 7, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.070;

1390 H. Ordinance 2473, Section 8, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.080;

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1391 I. Ordinance 2473, Section 9, and K.C.C. 11.28.090;

1392 J. Ordinance 2473, Section 10, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.100; and

1393 K. Ordinance 2473, Section 11, and K.C.C. 11.28.110.

1394 SECTION 95. K.C.C. 11.28.030, as amended by this ordinance, is hereby

1395 recodified as a new section in K.C.C. chapter 11.04 to follow K.C.C 11.04.230.

1396 SECTION 96. Ordinance 2473, Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C.

1397 11.28.030 are hereby amended to read as follows:

1398 ~~((The possession or maintenance of))~~ A. A person may not harbor, keep, or

1399 maintain an exotic animal ~~((within King County by private citizens as pets is prohibited~~

1400 ~~unless the owner possessed or maintained the exotic animal on or before June 10, 1994,~~

1401 ~~and agrees to promptly act to satisfy the licensing requirements in K.C.C. 11.28.040~~

1402 ~~through 11.28.090 and such rules and regulations as the animal care and control authority~~

1403 ~~may adopt as provided in K.C.C. chapter 2.98 regarding the maintenance of the~~

1404 ~~animals)), unless an exception in RCW 16.30.020 applies.~~

1405 B. An exotic animal harbored, kept or maintained in violation of this section is

1406 subject to impoundment. If an animal is impounded under this section, the procedures in

1407 RCW 16.30.040(2) through (6) shall apply.

1408 SECTION 97. The following are hereby repealed:

1409 A. Ordinance 3232, Section 1 and K.C.C. 11.32.010;

1410 B. Ordinance 3232, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.020;

1411 C. Ordinance 3232, Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.030;

1412 D. Ordinance 3232, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.040;

1413 E. Ordinance 3232, Section 5, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.050;

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- 1414 F. Ordinance 3232, Section 6, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.060;
- 1415 G. Ordinance 3232, Section 7, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.070;
- 1416 H. Ordinance 3232, Section 8, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.080;
- 1417 I. Ordinance 3232, Section 9, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.090;

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- 1418 J. Ordinance 3232, Section 13, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.100; and
- 1419 K. Ordinance 3232, Section 14, and K.C.C. 11.32.110.

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Yes: 9 - Balducci, Dembowski, Dunn, Kohl-Welles, Perry, McDermott, Upthegrove, von Reichbauer and Zahilay

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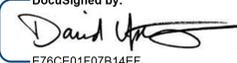
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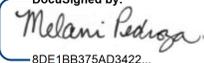
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