

RESOLUTION NO. 25-2018

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF WIMBERLEY, TEXAS, STATING THE CITY'S SUPPORT AND AGENCY FOR THE ADOPTION OF A "NO-KILL" POLICY FOR THE SAN MARCOS REGIONAL ANIMAL SHELTER AND CONTROL SERVICES TO ALL OF HAYS COUNTY, AND SUPPORTING THE CREATION OF AN INTER-LOCAL TASK FORCE TO IMPLEMENT STEPS NECESSARY TO ACHIEVE "NO-KILL" STATUS OF NINETY PERCENT (90%) LIVE OUTCOME BY ACHIEVING MILESTONES IN A MULTI-PHASED APPROACH FOR THE SAN MARCOS REGIONAL ANIMAL SHELTER.

WHEREAS, a No-Kill animal shelter is identified as saving all healthy and medically treatable dogs and cats that enter the animal shelter system; and

WHEREAS, the City of Wimberley desires to invest time and resources toward the goal of saving the lives of 90% or more of the dogs and cats placed in the San Marcos Regional Animal Shelter; and

WHEREAS, the City of Wimberley deems it necessary and proper as consideration for their portion of contract fees and in the best interests of the city, county, its citizens, and dogs and cats to have a No-Kill policy for the San Marcos Regional Animal Shelter; and

WHEREAS, the City of Wimberley further desires to request that every effort be made to improve equipment and facilities, offer expanded support and training opportunities to the San Marcos Regional Animal Shelter staff, and strengthen relationships within Hays County to ensure success of a No-Kill policy for the region's animal shelter;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WIMBERLEY, TEXAS THAT:

Section 1. The City of Wimberley hereby respectfully request that the City of San Marcos declare immediately their intention to reach No-Kill status (90% or more live outcomes) by January 1, 2020.

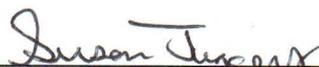
Section 2. The City of Wimberley hereby respectfully requests that the San Marcos Regional Animal Shelter implement all actions necessary to achieve said goal on or before the target date and to provide timely updates for transparent accountability.

Section 3. The City of Wimberley hereby respectfully requests that the City Manager of San Marcos provides a monthly report on the progress for implementation of said No-Kill policy to be published to the City of San Marcos website and the City of Wimberley website.

Section 4. The City of Wimberley shall appoint a representative to the Inter-Local Task Force.

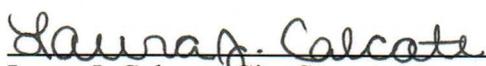
PASSED, APPROVED AND RESOLVED this 11th day of September, 2018.

THE CITY OF WIMBERLEY, TEXAS



Susan Jagers, Mayor

ATTEST:


Laura J. Calcote, City Secretary

