

THE CORPORATION OF THE
T O W N O F P E L H A M
BY-LAW NUMBER 109 (1971)

Being a by-law to authorize the Mayor
and Clerk to execute an agreement with
the Welland Humane Society for dogs
picked up in the Town of Pelham.

WHEREAS Council deems it desireable to enter
into an agreement with the Welland Humane Society for
dogs picked up in the Town of Pelham,

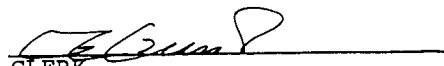
NOW THEREFORE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PELHAM

ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:-

1. That the agreements hereto attached be made
part of this by-law between the Welland Humane Society
and the Corporation of the Town of Pelham be and the
same is hereby approved.
2. That the Mayor and Clerk be and each of them
is hereby authorized and instructed on behalf of the
Corporation to execute the said agreements and the
Clerk is hereby authorized to affix the Corporate Seal
thereto.

READ A FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD TIME AND PASSED IN COUN-
CIL THIS 12th. DAY OF JULY, 1971.


MAYOR


CLERK

A G R E E M E N T made, in duplicate, this 1st day of April, 1971.

B E T W E E N :

THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE
TOWN OF PELHAM, in the Regional
Municipality of Niagara,

OF THE FIRST PART

-and-

THE WELLAND & DISTRICT SOCIETY FOR
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS,

OF THE SECOND PART

WHEREAS the Parties hereto deem it expedient to enter into an agreement to provide for the impounding of dogs running at large within the limits of the Town of Pelham;

NOW THEREFORE THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH that in consideration of the premises and the mutual covenants and agreements hereinafter contained, the Parties mutually covenant and agree as follows:

1. The Town shall, at its own expense, engage a dog catcher whose duty will be to patrol the streets and roads of the Town for the purpose of catching dogs running at large and deliver them to the S.P.C.A. dog pound.
2. The dog catcher will be entirely under the direction and control of the Town Council.
3. The Society shall, at its own expense, provide and operate a dog pound at its premises on the Island, in the City of Welland, or at such other location as the Town and the Society may from time to time mutually agree upon, and the Society will receive, shelter and feed all dogs brought to the dog pound by the dog catcher.
4. The Society will maintain all dogs brought to the pound by the dog catcher for a minimum period of seventy-two hours unless in the case of certain dogs known to be diseased, and so certified by a qualified veterinarian, and the dog catcher and the Society's Humane Officer agree that such dog or dogs be destroyed forthwith.
5. The Society will release all impounded dogs to the owners thereof, upon being satisfied of such ownership, and upon the owner paying to the Society a \$4.00 pound fee. The Society will require the owner of any dog not wearing the current year's dog tag, to produce his official receipt for payment to the Town of dog tax; upon failure to do this the Society will direct that the tax be paid before the dog is released to the owner.
6. All unclaimed dogs shall become the property of the Society and will be disposed of at the Society's discretion.

7. The Society agrees to collect dogs, cats or other small animals injured in the public areas within the boundaries of the Town.

8. The Society agrees to call at private properties within the aforesaid defined areas of the Town, for unwanted dogs or cats when called by any resident of the Town, but reserves the right to collect a service fee from the resident who calls the Society to pick up sick dogs, cats or other small animals to be destroyed, which could be destroyed at the instance of the owner by arrangement with a qualified veterinarian.

9. The Society will be responsible for the disposition of all animals destroyed at the pound.

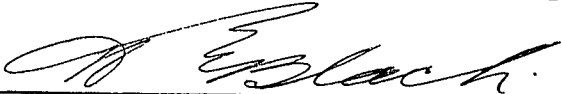
10. The Society will not be bound to pick up dead animals.

11. The Town agrees to pay to the Society the total amount of One thousand dollars (\$1,000) annually, payable quater-yearly.


12. This Agreement shall be effective for one year.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Parties hereto have duly executed these presents.

THE MUNICIPALITY OF THE TOWN OF PELHAM




Mayor

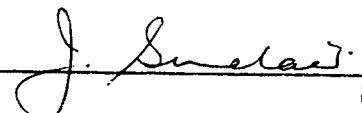


Clerk

THE WELLAND & DISTRICT SOCIETY FOR THE
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President



Secretary