# **PETS & WILDLIFE**

## **PROCEDURES / ANNOTATIONS**

Not applicable

## **POLICIES**

#### **ALL ANIMALS**

- 1. All pets are to be registered with the pet committee
- 2. All pets are to be spayed/neutered (except with written permission from the BoD, to be reassessed annually), and members/residents with dogs are to provide proof of city license annually
- 3. All members/residents should also have all pets up to date on appropriate vaccines and immunizations
- 4. All members/residents are prohibited from boarding pets on patios, balconies, in carports, or in apron parking
- 5. Members/residents may also have contained pets: fish, gerbils, hamsters, or guinea pigs within their unit. The BoD must approve ALL other pets but may reasonably withhold permission. Contained pets must remain in their appropriate enclosures when outside the unit
- 6. Members with fish tanks must provide proof of water damage liability insurance (and all renewal insurance statements each year) to the BoD, which will then be sent to the property management company to be kept on file
- 7. All members/residents are responsible for any damage to Co-op property, and to any individuals on Co-op property, inflicted by their pet(s). If problematic or aggressive pet behaviour persists, the BoD reserves the right to demand the permanent removal of the aggressive or damaging animal from the property
- 8. Members are responsible for ensuring that visitors with pets must follow all the rules with the exception of registering their pet
- 9. No members/residents are to feed wildlife in any capacity, with the exception of having a BoD approved squirrel-proof bird seed feeder. This request can be made to the BoD via the request form, available on the Co-Op's website, or from the on-site manager

#### ALL DOGS, CATS, RABBITS

- 10. No member or resident will interfere with another member or resident's pet or animal, including but not limited to feeding or providing a form of perceived care to the pet or animal in question. The exception being to provide emergency assistance if a member's pet or animal is found injured
- 11. Members are allowed <u>two</u> pets (cats, dogs, rabbits) per unit. Members/residents who have had more than 2 pets since this policy was originally approved in 2006 were not permitted to replace the 'extra' pet when it died or was removed from the unit; therefore there should be no more than 2 pets per unit at this time
- 12. Guide dogs and other assistance animals are not counted in the number of "pets" per unit, but are also limited to two Guide/Assistance animals per unit, in addition to "pets". These animals MUST have registered training certificates, and a copy of all certifications and registrations must be provided to the BoD. This does not include registered emotional support animals
- 13. Dogs:

- a. Are not permitted to be left unattended in unit backyards from 9:00 pm to dawn
- b. Are to be leashed at all times, except within units, unit backyards, and in the off-leash dog area
- c. All members/residents are to immediately pick up any droppings left by their dog, this applies to all areas of Co-op property, including unit backyards
- 14. No animal is to be tied up or left unattended outside for more than two hours
- 15. All members/residents with cats are required to have at least one litter box in their unit