

RESOLUTION 2024:71

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING NORTH STAR VETS ANIMAL HOSPITAL TO PROVIDE SERVICES TO STRAY ANIMALS

WHEREAS, the Borough has contracted with New Jersey Animal Control to perform animal control services including transportation of injured domestic animals; and

WHEREAS, on occasion, there are cases where the owner is either not easily identified or the animal is a stray, or stray animals or wildlife are collected then surrendered for care by residents acting as "Good Samaritans"; and

WHEREAS, with relation to these circumstances the Borough of Haddon Heights is agreeable, as necessary, to be responsible for veterinary bills rendered to such stray animals in an amount not to exceed \$300; and

WHEREAS, with this pre-approved amount on record, NorthStar Vets Animal Hospital will provide veterinarian services up to this approved amount.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Governing Body of the Borough of Haddon Heights in the County of Camden and State of New Jersey hereby approves NorthStar Vets located at 2834 Route 73, Maple Shade, New Jersey 08052 to provide veterinary services for stray domestic animals in an amount up to three hundred dollars (\$300) per animal, when treatment is necessary.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief Financial Officer has certified that funds are available on an as needed basis for said services.


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor or designee of the Borough of Haddon Heights is hereby authorized to sign all documents necessary to effectuate the purchase of said services on behalf of the Borough.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution shall be provided to each of the following:

- a. NorthStar Vets Animal Hospital
- b. Borough Police Chief
- c. Borough Chief Financial Officer
- d. Borough Solicitor

Date: February 20, 2024


Mayor Zachary Houck

ATTEST: 
Kelly Santosusso, RMC, Borough Clerk

CERTIFICATION:

I, Kelly Santosusso, RMC, Clerk of the Borough of Haddon Heights do hereby certify that the above resolution is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted at the regularly scheduled Council Business Meeting held February 20, 2024.

Kelly Santosusso, RMC, Borough Clerk