

FAIRFIELD COUNTY  
ANIMAL CONTROL ADVISORY AD HOC COMMITTEE

**Mission and Purpose**

The Fairfield County Animal Control Advisory Ad Hoc Committee is tasked with the sole purpose of reviewing the current animal control ordinance and the draft amendment to the current regulations to make recommendations for improvements and alterations to County Council. The Committee is not to make recommendations regarding the operations of the Animal Control Department or changes to the current animal shelter or its operations.

**Composition**

The Committee shall consist of seven members appointed by County Council. Representation on the Committee shall include animal welfare organizations, recognized and licensed animal breeders, the hunting community and the general public. Representation by County Council District is not required.

**Organization**

The Committee shall select a chair and vice-chair to preside over meetings. The Committee shall determine how often to meet, as well as the location and the time of the meetings. The County will provide appropriate staff to keep records of the proceedings and to assist with research and gathering and providing the committee information and any documents members may need in the performance of the mission.

**Sunset**

The Committee shall have 120 days from the date of creation to complete its review. On or before the end of this period, the Committee shall provide a written report with recommendations to County Council. Once the report is provided to County Council, the Committee will be dissolved unless otherwise extended by official action of County Council.