

# ORDINANCE

No. 22-12

1<sup>st</sup> Reading MAY 19 2022

Date to Mayor \_\_\_\_\_

Public Hearing \_\_\_\_\_

Date Returned \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading & Passage JUN 02 2022

Date Resubmitted to Council \_\_\_\_\_

Withdrawn \_\_\_\_\_

Approved as to Form and Legality

Factual content certified by

  
WESLEY BRIDGES, ESQ., CITY ATTORNEY

  
ADAM C. CRUZ, BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR

Councilman /woman \_\_\_\_\_

Sony A. Wilkins

presents the following Ordinance:

## AN ORDINANCE CREATING A STAFF OF CITY EMPLOYEES FOR THE TRENTON ANIMAL SHELTER

**WHEREAS**, it is the intent of the City of Trenton, in the County of Mercer, State of New Jersey (the “City”), that the Shelter will be staffed by City employees and continue to operate as a “no-kill” shelter, defined by the Animal Humane Society as meaning that the Shelter will have at least a 90% placement rate for the animals in its care, excepting humane or compassionate euthanasia for animals with severe or untreatable illnesses or behavior issues; and

**WHEREAS**, it is estimated that the Shelter will experience, on average, the following intake per annum:

- 500 dogs
- 200 cats; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, IN THE COUNTY OF MERCER, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1.** Pursuant to Chapter 2-50 of the Trenton City Code, the Director of the Department of Health and Human Services, shall appoint the following additional positions within the Bureau of Animal Control to staff the Trenton Animal Shelter:

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## SUPPLEMENT SCHEDULE A

(2) Full-time Animal Attendant and (2) Part-time Animal Attendant

AFSCME Local 2286; Range 1 \$27,773.00 to \$43, 441.00

**SECTION 2.** Veterinary and veterinary services shall be provided through external resources that are contracted with the City following affair and open process.

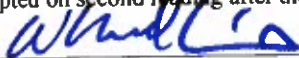
**SECTION 3.** The City hereby certifies that it has adopted a budget or temporary budget, as applicable. The budget or temporary budget of the City is hereby amended to conform with the provisions of this ordinance to the extent of any inconsistency herewith. To the extent that the purposes authorized herein are inconsistent with the adopted or temporary budget, a revised or temporary budget has been filed with the Division of Local Government Services.

**SECTION 4.** This ordinance shall take effect 20 days after the final adoption hereof and approval by the Mayor, as described in N.J.S.A. 40:69A-181.

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CALDWELL WILSON	✓				✓				RODRIGUE Z	✓				✓				MCBRIDE	✓				✓			
HARRISON	✓				✓				VAUGHN	✓				✓												
MUSCHAL	✓				✓				WILKINS	✓				✓												
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Adopted on first reading at a meeting of the City Council of the City of Trenton, NJ on MAY 10 2022

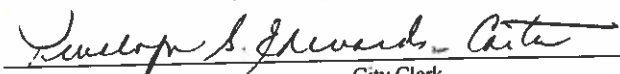
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Mayor



Reconsidered by Council - Override Vote

  
President of Council

  
City Clerk

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