

We are happy to be able to welcome back visitors to the shelter! Unfortunately, there will be some restrictions in place to allow us to accommodate physical distancing and to meet the suggested health and safety recommendations for animal service providers. These recommendations prevent us from opening our adoption areas to browsing at this time. Staff are happy to speak to you about the individual needs of the pets who are looking for a forever family and assisting you with finding the perfect pet for your lifestyle.

- Visitors will be asked to use supplied hand sanitizer upon entry to the shelter.
- A maximum of 3 people can enter the shelter at one time and only one person per family.
- The dog adoption kennel will remain closed and one person will be allowed in each of the cat adoption rooms.
- A hands-on visit with your potential pet will be arranged for your family by appointment upon approval of your adoption application.
- Please do not bring your own pet to the shelter. Hopefully, we can visit with your pets again soon!
- If your interaction with staff and/or pets will not allow for physical distancing, we kindly ask that you wear a mask.

To help reduce public traffic:

- Items being donated can be placed in the bin in our after-hours room. Please accept our appreciation if we do not see you dropping off your donation!
- We have lifted the deadline for purchasing your annual City dog license and will not be imposing the late penalty.

Thank you for your cooperation and patience over the past few months. With your help, we were not inundated with pets and were able to adapt our adoption process and had more than 150 pets adopted! Thank you to our foster families who were called to help out and to those who signed up to help but, in the end, were not needed. It was reassuring to know we had extra foster homes. And to each and every donor – thank you for supporting the shelter animals during this challenging time. On behalf of the shelter staff and especially the animals –

THANK YOU 🐾🐾