

Red Bank Animal Welfare Advisory Committee Minutes

4/8/2025 - Minutes

1. No Agenda

Board (Previous Meeting)

- Meeting held at borough hall March 12 2025.
- Meeting started 6:30 pm and ended 8:03 pm
- Attendees: PP, TJ Moss, Laura Jannone, Mary Warner, Dan Baker, Jenna Erickson, and Mark Delaney
Carla Alvarez did not attend
- Actions:
 - Animal registrations in red bank at historic laws
 - TJ proposed advertising animal registrations in water bills Laura Jannone to follow up
 - PP and Laura to meet Mary Warner on April 7 to review table setup and needs for the environment middle school event. Mary will not be at the event due to prior commitments
 - Marketing needs for April food drive. PP to review with Adriana Gomez who handles that for the borough
 - Approved monies for environment event \$120
 - Approved 200 to purchase game for dog days

Reports (New Business)

- Attendance: PP, TJ Moss, Dan Baker, Jenna Erickson, and Mark Delaney
Guests: Brownie Troop, Nicole Tesch
Not in attendance: Laura Jannone, Mary Warner
- Food Drive on 4/12:
 - Location: Finns & Feathers
 - All donations will go to AH of Newark
 - Girl Scout Troop contribution: Box at school (charter school), box at home
 - Adriana put out posts on Facebook, digital screen, etc.
 - Committee voted on \$120 to be donated to the food drive
- Middle School Environment Day: 4/10/25
 - Time & Date: 5 to 7 pm at the Red Bank Middle School
 - Focus: Plants and how to help birds and animals that hang around plants
- Broadwalk Event 5/17/25:
 - Focus on Chickens
 - Handouts in English/Spanish on the updated Requirements
 - Louie Legacy
 - Humane Society to discuss how to handle chickens at home
 - Mary is to set up a table for plants, etc.
 - Finns & Feathers to set up a table
 - Food Drive with Lunch Break
 - Pet Registration Information

Events Schedule for 2025:

- Paul handed out events calendar he got from his meeting with River Center
- Dog Days:
 - We need food, possibly Boardwalk Zepps, etc.
 - Face painter, etc.
 - Dog Games
 - Photo Booth
 - 20 vendor tables to capture
 - 50/50 Raffle (Wallace St)
- Animal food drive:
 - April 12
 - July 12
 - October 11
 - December 13
- Rivercenter will help with marketing
- Environmental Day at Middle School (April 10th): Mary to have a table set up to talk about Native Plant Society
- International Dog Day: August 26th
 - Work with Rivercenter on having something on boardwalk
- International Cat Day: October 29th
 - Work with Rivercenter on Witches Night Out
- Porchfest: How do we participate

Action Items

- Animal Registration Process

Conclusion

- Next meeting Tuesday May 13th
- Paul motion to adjourn the meeting, Carla/Dan second/third