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The purpose of the Freedom of Information Act (“FOIA”) is to ensure that all persons are entitled to full and complete information regarding the affairs of government, and the official acts and policies of those who represent them as public officials (5ILCS 140/1). Pursuant to FOIA, the following information is made available to the general public:

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

PURPOSE: The Jo Daviess County Animal Control Department oversees rabies tags through Pet Data for all dogs vaccinated against rabies in the county. It also provides stray dog pickup, animal control nuisance investigations and responds to wildlife complaints regarding rabies cases.

EMPLOYEES: The Jo Daviess County Animal Control Department employs one full-time, and one part-time employee.

BUDGET: The total operating budget for the Jo Daviess County Animal Control Department for Fiscal Year 2020 is $150,696.

BOARDS: The Jo Daviess County Animal Control Department reports to the Public Health Administrator, the Jo Daviess County Board, the Jo Daviess County Social & Environmental Committee and the Jo Daviess County Board of Health.

PROCEDURE FOR REQUESTING RECORDS

FOIA REQUESTS: Any person may request public records for inspection or copying by completing and submitting a Request For Public Records form via U.S. Mail, E-mail, Facsimile or in person; or by any written or verbal request to any of the below designated FOIA Officers. Responses will be sent in the designated time periods allowed for all FOIA requests in accordance with the procedures set forth in FOIA and all or applicable federal and state laws.
FOIA OFFICERS: All FOIA requests to the Jo Daviess County Animal Control Department should be given to the following FOIA Officer:

Chad Olson, Animal Control Officer
9483 Rt. Rt. 20 West
P.O. Box 318
Galena, IL 61036
Telephone: (815) 776-0326
Facsimile: (815) 777-1040
E-Mail: animalcontrol@jodaviess.org or colson@jodaviess.org

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EXHIBIT 1

Jo Daviess County Animal Control Department Organizational Chart

Board of Health

Public Health Administrator

Animal Control Officer
EXHIBIT 2

Boards and Committees

COUNTY BOARD
- Scott Toot, Chair
- Steve Allendorf, Vice-Chair
- William Bingham
- Lucas Bourquin
- Staci Duerr
- Diane Gallagher
- Robert Heuerman
- Don Hill
- John Korth
- John Lang
- Robert O’Connor
- Hendrica Regez
- John Schultz
- Ron Smith
- Andrew (Drew) Townsend
- LaDon Trost
- Don Zillig

COUNTY BOARD SOCIAL & ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE
- Don Hill, Chair
- Bill Bingham, Vice-Chair
- Lucas Bourquin
- Bob Heuerman
- Hendrica Regez

BOARD OF HEALTH
- Merri Berlage, President
- Don Hill, Vice President
- Elizabeth Blair, Secretary
- County Treasurer (non-member)
- Peg Dittmar
- G. Allen Crist
- Hesper Nowatzki
- Tracy Bauer
The following categories of records under the possession and control of the Jo Daviess County Animal Control Department may be made available for production or inspection, subject to exemption, upon request pursuant to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act (FOIA):

- Organizational chart for the Animal Control Department
- Rabies tag records
- Bite reports
- Lost/Found dog records
- Social & Environmental Committee meeting minutes
- Animal Control Department budgets, revenues, and expenditures
- Employee names, titles, salaries and employment dates