PET SHOP

- 1. This schedule shall apply to those Persons seeking to carry on a Pet Shop.
- 2. In addition to the licensing requirements set out in Section 3 of this By-law, a completed Application for a Licence shall be accompanied by:
 - a written report from the Kitchener-Waterloo and North Waterloo Humane Society or the Ontario Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals confirming the adequacy of the Licenced Premises for the keeping of animals in accordance with the standards set out by the Canadian Council on Animal Care and any other applicable standard; and,
 - b) a Criminal Record Check.
- 3. Every Licensee, when acquiring an animal for the purpose of offering the animal for sale, shall obtain the animal only from the following sources:
 - a) municipal animal shelter;
 - b) registered humane society;
 - c) registered shelter; or,
 - d) Rescue Group.
- 4. Every Licensee shall:
 - a) post in a conspicuous place in the Licenced Premises:
 - i. a list of all animals permitted to be kept within the boundaries of the City;
 - b) keep and maintain a register of each animal purchased or otherwise obtained by the Licensee, which shall include:
 - i. the date the Licensee obtained the animal;
 - ii. a full description of the animal including gender, colour, breed or crossbreed, distinguishing markings and name, if any;
 - c) ensure the register referenced in section 4 of this Schedule is:
 - i. retained for at least 24 months in respect of each entry and transaction date:
 - ii. maintained in good condition and that all entries are legible and written in the English language; and,
 - iii. made available for inspection during normal Business hours by a MLEO;

- d) ensure that every Person who is sold a dog is advised of the City's dog licensing requirements; and,
- e) make every reasonable effort to obtain the name, address, and description of anyone offering to the Licensee any animal which the Licensee suspects or ought reasonably to suspect has been stolen or otherwise unlawfully obtained and report that information promptly to the Waterloo Regional Police Service.

5. No Licensee shall:

- sell or offer for sale or give away any wild animal or exotic animal or any other animal which is not permitted within the boundaries of the municipality as defined by the City's Animal Control By-law or applicable laws;
- b) sell any diseased animal;
- c) display any animal unless such animal is adequately protected from drafts, direct sunlight, excessive heat or cold, and ample space is provided;
- d) sell, offer to sell, display or give to any Person a dog or cat that is under the age of eight weeks;
- e) sell, offer to sell or give any animal to a Person under the age of eighteen years;
- f) sell, offer to sell or give to any Person a chicken, duckling or other fowl that is under the age of three weeks;
- g) sell, offer to sell, display or give to any Person an animal to which dye has been applied by any means; or,
- h) sell, offer to sell or give to any Person a cat or dog that does not have a medical health certificate issued by a licenced veterinarian.
- 6. Every Licensee shall provide the following conditions and care for animals in accordance with the guidelines and policies of the Canadian Council on Animal Care, as revised from time to time:
 - a) provide all animals with sanitary quarters and environmental conditions appropriate to their species, including temperature, ventilation, lighting, and social and behavioural enrichment:
 - b) provide all animals with housing units of adequate size and height to ensure their comfort and to permit the expression of a full range of natural movements and species-appropriate behaviours for the purpose of maintaining their physical, psychological and social well-being;
 - c) provide all animals with adequate and species-appropriate food and water;

- d) ensure the animals are in good health and, where the animals are showing sign of illness or disease, ensure the animals are receiving proper treatment;
- e) ensure that animals of the same or different species which are incompatible are not confined or displayed in the same enclosure;
- f) provide all animals with species-appropriate enrichment devices to ensure their physical, behavioural, and psychological welfare;
- g) in the event of an emergency, make every reasonable effort to remove from the Pet Shop all animals whose lives are in danger, provided that it can be done with the health and safety of the animal, individual, and community in mind; and,
- h) ensure that all garbage, refuse and animal droppings are collected and stored in metal or plastic containers with tight-fitting lids and are regularly disposed of in an appropriate manner.