



Town of Brookhaven, New York

12/15/2022 2:00:00 PM

Resolution

2022-860

Title: Authorizing an Agreement with a Not-For-Profit Organization to Provide Trap Neuter Release (TNR) Services in the Town's Program for Feral Cat Population

Department: Law Department

Permissive Referendum: No

Sponsors: Edward P. Romaine,
Supervisor

SEQRA Required: No

Financial Impact

TNR Task Force, Inc will be reimbursed a maximum of \$105.00/feral cat for up to 950 feral cats, a maximum total 2023 expenditure of \$99,750.00. Paid from GL Accounts: A3510.4633 (Animal Shelter, Spay-Neutering of Animals), 2023 Budget = \$105,000.00 and A3510.4632 (Animal Shelter, Veterinarian Services), 2023 Budget = \$60,000.00.

Reason

To authorize an Agreement with the TNR Taskforce, Inc., for the TNR Program in order to help with the Town's feral cat population.

Body

WHEREAS, the Town of Brookhaven is desirous of entering into an agreement with the following organization as part of a program with the Town's Trap, Neuter, Release Program, which is an effort to control the Town's feral cat population: the TNR Taskforce, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, it would be in the best interest of the Town of Brookhaven to enter into an agreement with the above organization in order to benefit the Town by providing trap, spay, neuter services as a part of the Town's effort to control its feral cat population; and

WHEREAS, the agreement with the aforementioned organization will commence when the agreement is fully executed, and will continue for the 2023 calendar year; and

WHEREAS, the agreement with this Not-For-Profit corporation will provide that the organization receive reimbursement for up to \$105.00 of the money it pays to a veterinarian for each individual set of spay-neuter procedures, related medical procedures, and for food and services provided by the volunteers for an individual feral cat. The organization may receive reimbursement for up to \$99,750.00 for treating up to 950 feral cats. The additional related medical treatment for feral cats may include, but not be limited to, eye removal, spay abortions, hernia repair, tail docking, leg amputations, antibiotics, pain medication, and euthanasia. The Town will not reimburse an organization for money it spends for treatment of the feral cats if those expenditures exceed the budgeted total of \$99,750.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Town Board of the Town of Brookhaven, that the Supervisor/Deputy Supervisor is authorized to execute an agreement with the TNR

Taskforce, Inc., for the organization to participate in the program with the Town's Trap, Neuter, Release (TNR) Program for the entire 2023 calendar year; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the form of the contract will be subject to the approval of the Town Attorney; and be it further

RESOLVED, the Commissioner of Finance is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to take all actions necessary and appropriate to effectuate the terms of this resolution.

Check back soon after the meeting to view the final disposition of the resolution

ACTION: Adopt BY THE BROOKHAVEN TOWN BOARD

MOTION TO:	Adopt (Unanimous)
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MOTION BY:	Edward P. Romaine
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SECOND BY:	Neil Foley
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AYES:	Jonathan Kornreich, Jane Bonner, Kevin LaValle, Michael Loguercio, Neil Foley, Daniel Panico, Edward P. Romaine
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ABSENT:	
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