Animal Welfare Section
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Inspection Results	Date of inspection
Disapproved	Apr 26, 2016

Type of inspection	Annual inspection	Type of runs	Indoor + Outdoor runs
license type	44 - Public shelter	License #	43
# dogs present	31	# cats present	17

Number of prim. enclosures	71

34.90351 — Latitude
80.00373 — Longitude

Anson County Animal Shelter — Name of business
Anson County Government — Name of owner

7257 Hwy 74 Easy — Street address
Polkton — City
NC 28135 — ZIP code
Anson — County

+1 (704) 944-2738 — Phone Number

Facilities

Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result
0201 Housing in sound repair	Acceptable	0201 Daily waste removal	Acceptable	0201 Perimeter Fence	Acceptable
0201 Meets electrical code	Acceptable	0201 Hot and cold water present	Acceptable	0201 Adequate drainage	Acceptable
0201 Safe electrical power	Acceptable	0201 Washroom basin and sink	Accept.	0201 Access to AWS employees	Acceptable
Food and bedding protected 0201	Acceptable	0201 Thermometer present	Acceptable	0201 Compliance with welfare	Acceptable
		0201 Animals in windows	Not applicable		

Records, shelter

Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result
Origin of animals 0101	Not Applicable	Location off-site 0101	not applicable	Disposition of animals 0101	NOT ACCEPTABLE
0101 Descript. of animals, shelter	Not Applicable			Veterinary treatment, shelter 0101	NOT ACCEPTABLE

Records, kennel

Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result
0102 Owner information & signature	Not Applicable	0102 Description of animals, kennel	Not Applicable	0102 Veterinary treatment, kennel	Not Applicable

Records, inspection

Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result
0103 Records made available	NOT ACCEPTABLE	0103 Records match animals	NOT ACCEPTABLE	0103 Records kept 1+ year	Acceptable

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Indoor facilities

Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result
0202 Ambient temperature, indoor	Acceptable	0202 Ventilation, indoor	Acceptable	0202 Lighting, indoor	Acceptable
0202 Imperv./Sanitary surf., indoor	Acceptable	0202 Drainage, indoor	Acceptable		

Outdoor facilities

Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result
0203 Impervious surfaces, outdoor	Acceptable	0203 Housing, 1 per animal	Not Applicable	0203 Protection from elements	Acceptable
0203 Owner advised, outdoor	Acceptable	0203 Drainage, outdoor	Acceptable		

Primary enclosures

Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result
0204 Drainage prev. cross contam.	Acceptable	0204 Fence height >= 5 feet	Acceptable	0204 1:10 ratio, person: animal	Acceptable
0204 Surf. impervious to moisture	Acceptable	0204 Enclosure is escape proof	Acceptable	0204 Cats, >= 4 sq. ft. / adult	Acceptable
0204 Prevent contact with wood	Acceptable	0204 Solid resting surface	Acceptable	0204 Cats, <= 12 / enclosure	Acceptable
0204 Enclosures in sound repair	Acceptable	0204 Cats, raised resting surface	Acceptable	0204 Cats, 1 litter pan / 3 adults	Acceptable
0204 Size of enclosure	Acceptable	0204 Dogs, supervision if > 4	Acceptable		

Feeding

Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result
0205 Feeding, 1x / day, adult	Acceptable	0205 Feeding, 1 bowl / adult	Acceptable	0205 Feeding, commercial food	Acceptable
0205 Feeding, bowl in good repair	Acceptable	0205 Feeding, quality food	Acceptable	0205 Feeding, bowl is protected	Acceptable
0205 Feeding, 2x / day, young	Acceptable				

Watering

Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result	
0206 Watering, continuous access	Acceptable	0206 Watering, bowl in good repair	Acceptable	

Sanitation/Employees/Classification & Separation

Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result
0207 Waste removal 2x / day	Acceptable	0207 Grounds overgrown	Acceptable	0207 Young given social interact.	Acceptable
0207 Animals removed while clean	Acceptable	0207 Pest Control	Acceptable	0207 Species separated	Acceptable

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Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result
0207 Enclosure sanitized 2x / day	Acceptable	0207 Number of employees	Acceptable	0207 Isolation area & signage	Acceptable
0207 Method of sanitation	Acceptable	0207 Females in estrus, separated	Acceptable	0207 Long term care program	Acceptable
0207 Build./grnds., clean & repair	Acceptable	0207 Owner perm, commingling	Acceptable	0207 Animals confined	Acceptable
		0207 Young with dam	Acceptable		

Veterinary Care

Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result
0210 Program of veterinary care	Acceptable	0210 Daily observation of animals	Acceptable	0210 Rabies vaccination	Acceptable
0210 Veterinary care when needed	Not Acceptable				

Vehicles

0301 Vehicles mechanically sound	Acceptable	0301 Fresh air and ventilation	Acceptable	0301 Cargo area clean	Acceptable

Primary Enclosure Used in Transportation

Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result	Inspection Category	Result
0302 Construction of enclosure	Acceptable	0302 Age and species separated	Acceptable	0302 Size of transport enclosure	Acceptable
0302 Enclosure clean & sanitized	Acceptable				

Transportation: Food and Water / Transportation: Care

Inspection Category	Result		Inspection Category	Result
0303 Food & water during transport	Not Applicable		0304 Observation of animals	Not Applicable

General Statute 19A-32.1

(a) Hold minimum 72 hours	Acceptable	(b) 1, 2, 3 Make available for adopt.	Acceptable	(c) Viewing 3 days for 4 hours each	Acceptable
(d) If animal offsite, photo of animal posted in conspicuous location	Not Applicable	(f) 1, 2, 3 Animals were returned to owner, adopted or euth only	Acceptable	(g) i, ii Owner surrender held unless proof ownership & signed consent	Acceptable
(h) Owned animal surrender, ask if there has been a bite w/in 10 days	NOT ACCEPTABLE	(i) Release animal to person, record of approved government photo ID	Acceptable		

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Narrative Explanation

I performed a random inspection today and found multiple inadequacies that need to be addressed.

During this inspection of the 31 dogs at this facility most are showing signs of Kennel cough, several others have watery eyes and running noses. 0210 Veterinary care when needed: Two puppies appear to have a problem standing these puppies have been at this facility since April 13, 2016 and have not been seen by a veterinarian. These two puppies must be seen today prior to 5pm and the report emailed to jay.Blatche@ncagr.gov.

0102 Veterinary treatment, kennel: Staff states dogs starting getting sick approximately two weeks ago and a few dogs were placed on Doxycycline 125mg twice a day. Manager states last week the veterinarian prescribed Doxycycline 125mg twice a day for most the dogs in the shelter. Staff states they started medicating all shelter dogs last week. There are no records to verify this information. An accurate medication log must be completed on all animals receiving medication.

0103 Records made available: I asked to see records regarding the animals at this facility today manager states records are not accurate. Facility has 17 felines and provided 9 records, intake dates cannot be verified on animals All records must be available, complete and accurate.

0101 Disposition of animals: Disposition records were not available because facility does not have any records regarding disposition of animals. Disposition records must be available on all animals.
0210 Veterinary care when needed: There are are several felines that appear to have some type of upper respiratory problems with watery eyes and running noses, Staff and manager states felines have not been seen or treated by the veterinarian.

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There is a dogs named Molly with a large wound on it rear left leg it is unable to stand on the leg this canine has not been seen by a veterinarian, this canine must be seen within 24 hours intake date was 4/25/16.

Facility has no medical records of any animal receiving veterinary care. Provide veterinary care records for all animals that received veterinary within the last 30 days.

Facility has no treatment plan for the dogs that appear to have kennel cough or the felines that appear to have some type of upper respiratory problems. I have requested medication logs I was told by staff medication given is written on and plastic bag use to hold medication. Veterinarian Dr. Wright visited this facility one week ago.

The two puppies were taken to the veterinarian during this inspection as instructed and diagnosed as being positive with Parvo and will be euthanized as well as the rest of the litter.

Some of the intake forms do not indicate if animal has bitten anyone in 10 days and are missing owner signatures

I have taken pictures of all inadequacies indicated, above.

I examined the records for the animals at this facility; they were incomplete and inadequate.

Facility is to submit a corrective plan of action to the Animal Welfare Section.

☒ check here if a euthanasia inspection form is attached

Digital signature of inspector

Jay Blatche

Digitally signed by Jay Blatche
DN: cn=Jay Blatche, o=Animal Welfare, ou=Dept of Agriculture, email=jay.blatche@ncagr.gov, c=US
Date: 2016.04.26 20:44:38 -04'00'

Signature of Management

I attest that I was offered an opportunity to read the report before signing it & that I was offered a copy of the report. My signature does not imply that I agree with the results.