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**City**: Rutherfordton  
**License number**: 65  
**License type**: 44 - Public shelter

### Duties of a CET
- **Prepare animals for euthanasia**: Acceptable
- **Properly record all data**: Acceptable
- **Security, controlled substance**: Acceptable
- **Supervise Prob. CET**: Acceptable
- **Properly euthanize**: Acceptable
- **Properly dispose of dead**: Acceptable

### Euthanasia by Injection
- **IC only on anesth. or sedated**: Acceptable

### Euthanasia by CO
- **Use only bottled gas**: Not Applicable
- **Use only comm. mfd chamber**: Not Applicable
- **Only same species in chamber**: Not Applicable
- **In chamber for >= 20 min.**: Not Applicable
- **Not used on < 16 weeks**: Not Applicable
- **Not used on pregnant**: Not Applicable
- **Not used on near death**: Not Applicable
- **No live with dead**: Not Applicable
- **Animals separated**: Not Applicable
- **At least 1 viewport**: Not Applicable
- **Chamber in good order**: Not Applicable
- **Airtight seals present**: Not Applicable
- **Light shatterproof**: Not Applicable
- **Chamber sufficiently lit**: Not Applicable
- **Electrical explosion-proof**: Not Applicable
- **If inside, two CO monitors**: Not Applicable

### CO chamber Inspections & records
- **Records of monthly inspection**: Not Applicable
- **Records of yearly inspection**: Not Applicable
- **Visual inspection by AWS**: Not Applicable

### CO chamber, miscellaneous
- **Chamber cleaned b/t uses**: Not Applicable
- **Operational guide & or manual**: Not Applicable
- **>= 2 adults present when used**: Not Applicable

### Extraordinary methods
- **Reports of extraordinary euth**: Acceptable

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**Signature of Inspector**: Jay Blatche  
**Signature of Management**: [Signature]
Euthanasia Inspection Report

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**Narrative Explanation, if needed**

This facility does not have a DEA or State drug license. Staff states the veterinarian (Dr. Lanny Walker) has the licenses under his facility, all drugs for euthanasia and tranquilizing are stored at this facility. This facility does not have a stethoscope to assist in verifying death or evaluate animals at this facility. Recommend facility purchase several one for verifying death and at least one for evaluating animals at facility.

Three dogs and three cats were euthanized during this inspection.

Staff was very knowledgeable during the euthanasia process and staff showed compassion and professionalism.