

**SAFETY, HEALTH, AND SERVICE COMMITTEE  
MEETING MINUTES  
FEBRUARY 24, 2020**

The Safety, Health, and Service Committee met Monday, February 24, 2020 at 7:02pm in the Council Chambers at the Knisely Centre.

In attendance were Safety, Health, and Service Committee Members:

Chair, Mr. Kelly Ricklic  
Mr. Dan Lanzer  
Mr. Rob Maurer  
Alternate, Dean Holland

Guests were:

President of Council Don Kemp, , Service Director Ron McAbier, Law Director Marvin Fete, Mr. Dan Lanzer, Mrs. Cheryl Ramos, and Council Clerk Julie Courtright

Committee Chair Mr. Ricklic reported that the Safety, Health, and Service Committee met Monday, February 24, 2020 at 7:02PM in Council Chambers at the Knisely Centre to discuss the following item:

**Ordinance 6-2020 regarding the feral cat issue in the City**

Committee Chair Mr. Ricklic said the issue up for discussion tonight is Ordinance 6-2020, this is the addition to the feral cat issue. This would mirror Dover's Ordinance. We are trying to keep consistency in our communities with how we're going to deal with the nuisance.

Mrs. Ramos had the following question:

Anyone who violates this Ordinance is guilty of a misdemeanor of a 4<sup>th</sup> degree for the 1<sup>st</sup> offense and of the 1<sup>st</sup> degree for the second offense. What's the cost to the offender and to the City?

Law Director Fete had the following reply:

That section has not changed from the law already in place. The new section would put the same penalty on cat owners that dog owners have.

Mr. Ricklic had the following reply:

We changed the structure of the Ordinance.

**MR. MAURER MOTIONED TO ADD ORDINANCE 6-2020 TO TONIGHT'S COUNCIL AGENDA  
MR. LANZER SECONDED THE VOTE  
3 YEAS  
ORDINANCE 6-2020 WILL BE ADDED TO TONIGHT'S AGENDA**

**With no other business before Committee Mr. Lanzer motioned to adjourn at 7:13 PM**

**Respectfully Submitted,**

**Kelly Ricklic, Committee Chairman, Safety, Health, and Service**