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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of County Commissioners of Marion County, Florida, will hold a public hearing for the purpose of considering the adoption of an Ordinance Amending Chapter 4 of the Marion County Code relating to Animal Control which is entitled as follows:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 4 OF THE MARION COUNTY CODE RELATING TO ANIMAL CONTROL; AMENDING SECTION 4-1, PURPOSE; AMENDING SECTION 4-2, DEFINITIONS; AMENDING SECTION 4-4, ENFORCEMENT AGENCY DESIGNATION AND EMPOWERMENT; SECTION 4-5, ENFORCEMENT OFFICER'S IMMUNITY; SECTION 4-6, ENFORCEMENT PROCEDURES; SECTION 4-7, IMPOUNDING AUTHORITY OF OFFICERS; SECTION 4-8, LICENSURE, EXEMPTIONS, REQUIREMENTS; SECTION 4-10, MANDATORY MICROCHIPPING; AMENDING SECTION 4-12, DOMESTIC ANIMALS CREATING A NUISANCE; AMENDING SECTION 4-13, HUMANE TREATMENT; AMENDING SECTION 4-14, ANIMALS IN MOTOR VEHICLES OR VESSELS; AMENDING SECTION 4-15, ESTABLISHING AN ANIMAL ABUSER REGISTRY; AMENDING SECTION 4-16, COUNTY TO MAINTAIN LIST OF PERSONS PRESENTLY ENJOINED FROM POSSESSING ANIMALS; AMENDING SECTION 4-17, IMPOUNDMENT, REDEMPTION AND ADOPTION; AMENDING SECTION 4-18, LOCATION OF THE SALE OF DOGS AND CATS; AMENDING SECTION 4-19, REQUIREMENTS FOR SALE OF DOGS AND CATS; AMENDING SECTION 4-20, COMMUNITY CAT INITIATIVE; AMENDING SECTION 4-21, SPAY/NEUTER PROGRAM; AMENDING SECTION 4-22, DAMAGE BY DOGS; AMENDING SECTION 4-23, ATTACK OR BITE BY UNCLASSIFIED DOG THAT CAUSES DEATH; AMENDING SECTION 4-24, ATTACK OR BITE BY UNCLASSIFIED DOG THAT CAUSES SEVERE INJURY OR DEATH; AMENDING SECTION 4-25, ATTACK OR BITE BY DANGEROUS DOG; AMENDING SECTION 4-26, DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL SERVICES TO MAINTAIN LIST OF DOGS CLASSIFIED AS DANGEROUS; AMENDING SECTION 4-27, PROPERTY OWNER'S LIABILITY; AMENDING SECTION 4-28, IRRESPONSIBLE ANIMAL OWNER; AMENDING SECTION 4-29, KENNEL LICENSES; FOR PROVIDING FOR RE-NUMBERING OF SECTIONS NECESSITATED BY CREATION OF THE NEW SECTIONS; PROVIDING FOR LIBERAL CONSTRUCTION; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN CODE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

THE MARION COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS proposes to consider the adoption of an Ordinance pertaining to the Marion County Code.

The public hearing will be held by the Marion County Board of County Commissioners on December 3, 2024 at 10:00 a.m., or immediately following any previously scheduled hearing, at the McPherson Governmental Campus Auditorium, 601 SE 25th Avenue, Ocala, Florida, 34471.

The proposed Ordinance may be inspected by the public at the Marion County Attorney's Office, 601 SE 25th Avenue, Ocala, Florida, 34471, Telephone (352) 438-2330.

Effective October 1, 2023, a Florida Legislative Act relating to local ordinances, amending F.S.125.66(3)

(a), requires a Business Impact Statement to be prepared by the governing body of a county before the enactment of a proposed ordinance in accordance with the provisions of F.S. 2023-309, the Business Impact Estimate must be published on the County's website and must include certain information, such as a summary of the proposed ordinance, including a statement of the public purpose, an estimate of the direct economic impact, and a good faith estimate of the number of businesses likely to be impacted, and any additional information the governing body determines may be useful. In accordance to F.S. 125.66(3)(a), a number of ordinances are exempt from complying with the business impact statement. Marion County's business impact estimates are posted on the Marion County website under Public Relations at: <https://www.marionfl.org/agencies-departments/departments-facilities->

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that, if a person decides to appeal
any decision made by the Board at
this public hearing, he or she will
need a record of the proceedings,
and that, for such purpose he or she
may need to ensure that a verbatim
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which record includes the testimony
and evidence upon which the appeal
is to be based. For more informa-
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Dana Olesky) or e-mail a legible
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Please call Dana Olesky for more
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PLEASE BE GOVERNED
ACCORDINGLY.

Dated this 5th day of November,
2024

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMIS-
SIONERS

MARION COUNTY FLORIDA
MICHELLE STONE, CHAIR

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