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**RESOLUTION #17 OF 2021 OF THE TOWN BOARD OF**  
**THE TOWN OF DEERPARK, ORANGE COUNTY,**  
**NEW YORK**

WHEREAS, the Town of Deerpark, County of Orange, State of New York, employs a Dog Control Officer for the purpose of enforcing Laws of the State of New York and/or of the Town of Deerpark relating to the care, control, licensing and related issues of dog ownership and/or care; and

WHEREAS, there are occurrences where there are allegations of violation of Town or State laws and the owner of the particular dog cannot be located necessitating the seizure of said dog; and

WHEREAS, there are occurrences where dogs must be removed from the care and custody of their owner for the safety of the animal necessitating the seizure of said dog; and

WHEREAS, there are occurrences where dogs must be removed from the care and custody of their owner for the safety of the public or other dogs necessitating the seizure of said dog; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Deerpark does not own or operate a facility for the care of dogs, and as a result must contract with a service provider to provide for the care and custody of dogs who have been seized because their owner cannot be located, or the safety of the dog requires removal/seizure, or the safety of the public or other dogs requires removal/seizure; and

WHEREAS, The Humane Society of Port Jervis/Deerpark Inc., a not for profit corporation is such a service provider located in the Town of Deerpark, capable of providing care and custody for dogs lawfully seized by the Dog Control Officer of the Town of Deerpark.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Town of Deerpark, County of Orange, State of New York, agrees to enter into a one-year Contract, subject to renewal, to provide for the care of dogs seized by the Town of Deerpark Dog Control Officer; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Supervisor of the Town of Deerpark, County of Orange, State of New York, be and is hereby authorized to execute a Contract with The Humane Society of Port Jervis/Deerpark, Inc. to provide for the care and custody of dogs seized by the Dog Control Officer of the Town of Deerpark.

**DATED: December 6, 2021**

Motion by: David Dean 2<sup>nd</sup> by Art Trovei

Roll Call 5 Ayes:

Councilman: Alan Schock                      Councilman: Kenneth Smith  
Councilman: David Dean                      Councilman: Art Trovei  
Supervisor: Gary Spears

**MOTION CARRIED**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Town of Deerpark this 6th day of December 2021

  
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Florence T. Santini, Town Clerk

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Town Seal