

March 18, 2015

Public Safety Committee
City Hall 200 E. Wells St. Milwaukee, WI 53202

RE: File #141680 TNR (Trap, Neuter, Release)

Pilot Program Aldermen:

I'm writing to express my support for the amended recommendations proposed by WHS. I am an active member in the community with a large feral colony that I provide food, and shelter for, but I must sit back and watch litter after litter being born into the neighborhood adding to the already large colonies.

As a renter in this community I was denied TNR opportunities due to my landlords concern with the current requirements set forth by the DNS. It is now out of my control to be able to provide much needed assistance to my constantly growing feral colony.

Although all my neighbors were in favor of the program, the requirements of tracking, reporting and ultimately being responsible for the cats for the entirety of their lifetime was the reason my landlord was completely against the program.

Another issues addressed would lift the restriction of the number of feral cats that can be sterilized through the program. With the numbers increasing greatly by the month it vital that these restrictions be lifted.

We all believe that the TNR program is vital to our communities and to the feral population, but changes must be made and some restrictions lifted in order for the entire community to provide this much needed care.

Thank you for you time and consideration,

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