

## **Department of Neighborhood Services**

Preston D. Cole Commissioner

Thomas Mishefske Operations Director

Michael Mazmanian Operations Director

July 24, 2018

Byron Johnson 7953 W Medford Ave Milwaukee WI 53218

Dear Byron Johnson:

The Prohibited Dangerous Animal Appeal Hearing was held on July 19, 2018 at 11am at the City of Milwaukee Lake Tower office. Present were Steve Obst, DNS officials and the three member hearing panel.

After testimony was received by all respective parties, the panel went into committee and rendered a decision declaring your dog, Griffin, to be a prohibited dangerous animal. Based on that decision, the order from the Department of Neighborhood Services stands.

You are ordered to euthanize your dog, Griffin, within <u>seven days</u> or permanently remove your animal from the City of Milwaukee.

If the animal is taken outside the city, you must provide the inspector with the full name, address and phone number of the person where the dog is proposed to reside. The City of Milwaukee will contact that municipality to determine if the animal will be accepted.

Failure on your part to comply with this order may cause the issuance of a citation which may result in a forfeiture ranging from \$150 to \$1,000 for each day of violations, disobedience, omission, neglect or refusal. In accordance with Chapter 200 Milwaukee Code, a re-inspection fee may be charged for any re-inspection, except no fee shall be charged for the final re-inspection when compliance is recorded. Re-inspection fees shall be a lien upon the real estate where the re-inspections were made.



If the owner or caretaker further contests the determination, he or she may, within 5 days of receiving the panel's decision, appeal the decision to the administrative review appeals board. Enclosed is the appeal form. Return the form along with the \$25 filing fee to the address on the form.

Sincerely,

Mario Hernandez, Manager Residential Code Enforcement

## Enclosure

Cc:

Petersen, Inspector

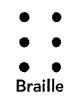
J. McDowell, Humane Officer, MADACC Dr. Libby Gutting D.V.M., MADACC

Dave Krey, South Milwaukee

City Clerk

Ref: prohibited ruling

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