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**Sponsors:** ALD. MURPHY

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An ordinance relating to notification and reporting requirements for a trap-neuter-release pilot program for feral cats.

78-20-3-b-3 am

78-20-4 rn

78-20-4 cr

Currently, under the city's trap-neuter-release pilot program for feral cats, once a feral cat colony and colony caretaker are identified, all property owners within a circular radius of 200 feet of the premises on which the colony is located shall be notified through U.S. mail. This ordinance requires that the council member whose district the colony is located in be notified at the same time as surrounding property owners of the request to maintain a feral cat colony. Furthermore, this ordinance requires the department of neighborhood services to report to the common council annually regarding the trap-neuter-release pilot program for feral cats.

The Mayor and Common Council of the City of Milwaukee do ordain as follows:

Part 1. Section 78-20-3-b-3 of the code is amended to read:

**78-20. Feral Cats.**

**3. SPONSOR.**

b-3. Once a feral cat colony and colony caretaker ~~[[is]]~~ >>are<< identified, all property owners within a circular area having a radius of 200 feet, centered on the premises on which the colony is located, shall be notified through first class U.S. mail. >>The council member whose district the colony is located in shall be notified at his or her city hall office.<<

Part 2. Section 78-20-4 of the code is renumbered to 78-20-5.

Part 3. Section 78-20-4 of the code is created to read:

**4. REPORTING.** The department shall report annually to the common council on the status of the pilot program.

APPROVED AS TO FORM

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Legislative Reference Bureau

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

IT IS OUR OPINION THAT THE ORDINANCE  
IS LEGAL AND ENFORCEABLE

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Office of the City Attorney

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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