

February 26, 2020

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ORDER OF DISMISSAL

SUBJECT: Regional Animal Services of King County file no. **V19009976**

RHONDA HOWARD

Animal Services Enforcement Appeal

Activity no.: A19006341

Appellant: **Rhonda Howard**

[REDACTED]
Seattle, WA 98168
[REDACTED]

King County: Regional Animal Services of King County
represented by **Shelby Russell**
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On January 6, we mailed notice of today's hearing. We received no communication that today's date or time were unworkable. Yet Appellant failed to appear at our scheduled start time. We waited a full half hour to give her a cushion, yet Appellant did not appear or contact us. That constitutes abandonment of her appeal.

Accordingly, we DISMISS her appeal.



David Spohr
Hearing Examiner

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL

King County Code 20.22.040 directs the Examiner to make the County’s final decision for this type of case. This decision shall be final and conclusive unless appealed to superior court by *March 27, 2020*. Either party may appeal this decision by applying for a writ of review in superior court in accordance with chapter 7.16 RCW.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, Jessica Oscoy, certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that I transmitted the **ORDER OF DISMISSAL** to those listed on the attached page as follows:

EMAILED to all County staff listed as parties/interested persons and parties with e-mail addresses on record.

placed with the United States Postal Service, with sufficient postage, as FIRST CLASS MAIL in an envelope addressed to the non-County employee parties/interested persons to addresses on record.

DATED February 26, 2020.



Jessica Oscoy
Legislative Secretary

Gibbs, Ross
Hardcopy

Howard, Rhonda
Hardcopy

Russell, Shelby
Regional Animal Services of King County

Walker, Dave
Hardcopy