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ORDER OF DISMISSAL

SUBJECT: Regional Animal Services of King County file no. V21012198-A21002778

JULE CHURCH

Animal Services Enforcement Appeal

Activity no.: A1002778

Appellant: **Jule Church**

Maple Valley, WA 98038

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Animal Services emailed that it is removing V21012198, which alleges a violation of KCC 11.04.250.A.1. (cruelty) and will in the future re-issue a separate violation notice and order citing a violation of A.2 (neglect).

As there is currently no V21012198 to challenge, the appeal is accordingly DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE, the examiner's jurisdiction over the matter terminated, and the hearing scheduled for August 25, 2021, cancelled.

If and when it re-issues a new notice and order, Jule Church will have a fresh 24-day window to appeal.

If for some reason we have misunderstood the situation, by **August 26, 2021,** either party is free to file, with the examiner, a motion for reconsideration explaining why the examiner should not be dismissing this appeal. Filing a timely motion for reconsideration postpones the deadline (described below the signature line) for lodging an appeal.

DATED July 27, 2021.

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 *August 26, 2021*. 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, Lauren Olson, 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:

\boxtimes	EMAILED	to all	County	staff listed	as parties	/interested	persons	and p	parties	with	e-mail
	addresses or	n recor	rd.								

\boxtimes	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 July 27, 2021.

Lauren Olson

Legislative Secretary

Church, Jule Hardcopy

Russell, Shelby

Regional Animal Services of King County

Spangrud, Austin

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