

January 10, 2023

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**ORDER OF DISMISSAL**

SUBJECT: Regional Animal Services of King County file no. **V22013406-A22004120**

**DARCY AND MATTHEW COOPER**

Animal Services Enforcement Appeal

Activity no.: A22004120

Appellants: **Darcy and Matthew Cooper**

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King County: Regional Animal Services of King County

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Based on notification that the County is dismissing this violation, there is nothing currently for the Coopers to challenge; their appeal of V22013406 is moot.

Their appeal is accordingly DISMISSED, the examiner's jurisdiction over the matter terminated, and the continuance status conference scheduled for later today is cancelled.

If for some reason we have misunderstood the situation, by **February 9, 2023**, 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 January 10, 2023.



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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 *February 9, 2023*. 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:

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 January 10, 2023.



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Lauren Olson  
Legislative Secretary

**Cooper, Darcy/Matthew**

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**Eykel, Chelsea**

Regional Animal Services of King County

**Isaacson, Mari**

Prosecuting Attorney's Office

**Myers, Cherie**

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