Animal Care and Control Overview

- The City of Muncie Indiana is currently facing a financial crisis unlike anything seen by most of us in the past.
  - The challenges we face in making decisions will determine the future safety and security of all the citizens of Muncie.
    - As you read this overview, I ask you to consider all possibilities as you strive to move this city forward.

- 2009 Shelter budget for staffing was as follows
- (1) Superintendent
- (1) Animal Control Officer
- (1) Animal Control Humane Investigator
- (1) Animal Attendant
- (1) Kennel Technician This position never filled
- (5) Part Time Helpers

- 2010 Requested budget for staffing.
- (1) Superintendent
- (1) Animal Control Officer
- (1) Animal Control Humane Investigator
- (5) Part time helpers

- City Council Present Budget for 2010 Staffing.
- (1) Superintendent
- (1) Animal Control Officer
- (5) Part time helpers
- Current union contract will eliminate the (5) part time helpers, this will leave (1) Animal Control Officer and the Superintendent.

 Current data for the first eleven months of 2009 is as follows...

Man hours full time...

120 hours per week

Man hours part time...

117 hours per week

Total of

237 hours per week

- 3121 Complaints were responded to...
  - This averages 65 per week for (2) Animal Control Officers.
    - 16.25 per day
    - 37 Minutes per address
  - 37 minutes per address includes receiving the complaint, driving to the address, resolving the complaint, and returning to the shelter.

- Animal Care Attendant and Part Time Helpers cared for inside the shelter...
  - 3,405 Animals
    - -Average 70.9 Animals per day.
    - Average of 22.4 man hours per day

- The care inside the shelter includes but is not limited to the following per day...
  - Cleaning 29 Kennels
    - Disinfecting 58 food/water bowls
  - Cleaning 40 Cat Cages
    - Disinfecting 80 food/water bowls and 40 litter pans
  - Vaccinating all animals
  - Transporting puppies and kittens for vet care
  - Implanting microchips on adopted and reclaimed pets
  - Updating and maintaining petfinder web page
  - Assisting all visitors
  - Receiving and transmitting 16.25 animal control complaints
    - And far more daily responsibilities than could be listed.

This is what Animal Care and Control will look like in 2010

- Animal Control will receive 3121 complaints
  - This will average 65 per week for (1) Animal Control Officer.
    - 16.25 per day
    - 18.5 minutes per address
  - 18.5 minutes per address includes receiving the complaint, driving to the address, resolving the complaint, and returning to the shelter.

 (0) Animal Care Attendant and (0) Part Time Helpers will not be there to care for the...

## -3,405 Animals

- Muncie has 24.2 square miles with in the city limits.
- Without animal control for eleven months, there would be 140.7 roaming animals per square mile.

