RESOLUTION NO. 2019-3

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF LEWISVILLE ADOPTING THE PROCEDURE FOR HOLDING AND DISPOSING OF ANIMALS AT LARGE WITHIN THE CITY OF LEWISVILLE.

WHEREAS, residents of the City of Lewisville have the right to own and house dogs and other animals, and

WHEREAS, on occasion animals are at large in the City, and

WHEREAS, Section 5-3-12 of the City Code of the City of Lewisville sets forth the required procedure for seizure and disposal of unlicensed dogs, including the provision that the animal should be returned to the owner, if the owner is known, and

WHEREAS, no procedure is set forth in the Code for finding and notifying the owner of an animal at large.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Lewisville, State of Idaho, that the following procedure be adopted to find the owner of an animal at large prior to the time the animal is disposed of as follows:

- 1. Within twenty-four (24) hours of obtaining an animal at large, a City official shall submit a photo of the animal to the Jefferson County's Sheriff's Office.
- The photo shall also be posted on the City's bulletin board and a notice shall be posted on the website of the City of Lewisville.
- 3. A notice shall also be posted on social media.
- As long as the City owns a chip reader and where possible, the animal will be scanned for a
 microchip in order to determine the legal owner.
- 5. Animals that are in the custody of the City shall be held in a humane manner for a period of five (5) days following the notification to the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office.

PASSED by the City of Lewisville Council and approved by the Mayor on this 11th day of December, 2019.

George A Judd, Mayor

Donetta R Fife, Clerk/Treasure