



# Taylor County

## Board of County Commissioners'

### Policy Manual

Policy #:	Title:	Effective Date:
2009-12	Rabies Citations	03/17/09

#### PURPOSE

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To provide guidelines for the issuance of citations when citizens are non-compliant.

#### REFERENCE

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Section 14-131 of the Taylor County Code

#### POLICY

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When an animal owner is non-compliant with State and County laws regarding rabies vaccination, a citation will be issued. In addition to the citation, the animal owner will have three (3) working days to comply with the rabies requirements. If the animal owner remains non-compliant, a second citation will be issued and again the owner will have three (3) working days to comply. If the owner remains non-compliant a third citation (with no fine) will be issued and by County Ordinance the owner will be required to appear in court.

#### RESPONSIBLE DEPARTMENT

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Environmental Services Department – Animal Control

**Sunset Date: 01/27/14**