

PETS AND VETS ORDINANCE

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- **What is being considered?**

Two items: 1) To amend the City's code to allow for veterinary technicians to administer rabies vaccines; and 2) to update our code regarding pet limits in our police regulations section.

- **Why is this being considered?**

The City's code requires cats and dogs to have rabies vaccinations and proscribes who can administer them. In 2022 state law under the Colorado Veterinary Practice Act was amended to allow veterinary technicians to administer rabies vaccinations.



- **Consideration continued...**

On March 5, 2024, city council amended the city's land use code from no more than 3 pets to allow for up to 5 pets with the caveat being that no more than 3 of the pets could be dogs, cats, or rabbits or any combination exceeding 5 total pets.



■ **ACTION REQUESTED:**

- Approve or Deny an ordinance allowing veterinary technicians to administer rabies vaccinations and updating the pet limits that council had previously approved on March 5, 2024.



QUESTIONS?

