



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, January 27, 2004

Council Session

Item G10

#2004-19 - Approving Funding to Central Nebraska Humane Society for Animal Damage Control

The Humane Society is proposing to provide trapping services for skunks, feral cats and other wild animals that have the potential to carry rabies. The cost of the proposed contract would be \$2,500 and the Humane Society would provide the service for a one year period. Part of the purchase price will be used to purchase 15 traps to enable the society to provide the service this year. It is anticipated that rabies will continue to be a problem this year and that trapping services will be necessary to protect public safety. Funds are available in Account #10022301-85213.

Staff Contact: Doug Walker

RESOLUTION 2004-19

WHEREAS, the Humane Society is interested in providing animal control services for skunks and other animal species in the City of Grand Island to prevent a rabies outbreak; and

WHEREAS, in order to effectively provide this service, the Humane Society will need to purchase additional traps which will allow them to place traps at various locations within the city; and

WHEREAS, the Humane Society is requesting \$2,500 from the City of Grand Island to provide this service through the 2004 calendar year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the Humane Society shall be given \$2,500 to set and maintain traps at various locations within the City of Grand Island during the 2004 calendar year to trap skunks and other animal species which may pose a risk for a rabies outbreak.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, January 27, 2004.

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk