

SWARTLAND WEST COAST SPCA
INSPECTOR REPORT

I3096

Complaint Reference No.

Building:
Street: OPPOSITE NUMBER 58 TUIN STREET
Suburb: HOPEFIELD
Postal Code:
Inspector: CARINA BODENSTEIN
Date of Inspection: 2024-03-20
Time of Inspection: 13:05

RESPONDENT'S DETAILS

Name: MICHELLE MAY
Company:
Identification:
Email:
Tel 1:
Tel 2: 0738855691

REPORT

Access Granted By: MICHELLE MAY
Comment:
Were Animals Seen on the Property: Yes
Relationship to Property Owner: Worker
Captured By: CARINA BODENSTEIN 2024-03-21 09:53

CHECKLISTS

WATER AVAILABLE	Yes	
ADEQUATE SHELTER AVAILABLE	Yes	
ADEQUATE SPACE AVAILABLE	Yes	
CLEAN LIVING ENVIRONMENT	Yes	
ANIMALS IN GOOD CONDITION	No ***	Mother dog is a bit underweight
VETERINARY PROBLEMS / HEALTH CO	No	
CONFINEMENT OF ANIMALS	Free roaming - in property	

General Report Comments: Upon arrival, I was met and granted access to the property by Michelle May, the owner.

The owner took me through the house to the back yard where the dog with her 6x puppies were observed.

The owner has coridored the porch off for the puppies , so thay they cant go onto the back yard, however the mother dog can jump over.

The puppies are in very good condition. The mother is a bit underweight, and is likely due to her fedding the pups. The owner asked what she can do to have her dog pick up weight, I advised they deworm her and have her sterilised. The owner immediatly called her husband and instructed him to buy dewormer at the local vet. The owner asked if we can assist with sterilisation and I advised thay I will have to call her back after I confirm with my Manager.

This is evidently a neighborly dispute, as I was doing my inspection, the complainant and her daughter stood in the road and tried to listen to my conversation with the owner. The owner immediatly identified them and also said she know they complained. They were apparently on her property the previous night and had an verbal altercation. The property has no fence and the dog roams in the street, the owner mentioned thay she will not chain her dog for this reason, and hopes with the dog being sterilised it will curb her roaming tendancies.

I will return to the property in 2 weeks to see jow the dog has gained weight, as well as hopefully bring the dog in for sterilsation, as the puppies will be able to cope without the mother, if she comes in.

ACTIONS

OWNER EDUCATED

REPORT OUTCOMES

Follow-up inspection to be conducted 2024-04-08

INSPECTION ANIMALS

Description:

1 x DOGS (PITBULL X) - AN UNSTERILISED FEMALE CALLED 'Lady' (COLOUR: Black) CONDITION: Fair BCS 2/5

Description:

6 x DOGS (PITBULL X) - (COLOUR: Black & Tan & Grey & white) CONDITION: Good BCS 4/5