Animal Control Officer Training Summary

Act 339 of 1919, as amended, known as the Dog Law of 1919, outlines the requirements for animal control agencies and their officers.

Section 29a of the act provides for the establishment of an animal control agency, which must employ at least 1 animal control officer (ACO). **Section 29b** requires the municipality to adopt minimum employment standards relative to the recruitment, selection, and appointment of ACOs. One of those elements is a minimum course of study of at least 100 instructional hours. These hours are prescribed by the Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (MDARD) for applicants who are not police officers or have not already served at least 3 years as an ACO.

Applicant and Supervisor Information

Applicant Name: _____

Applicant Phone: _____ Applicant Email: _____

Applicant Address: _____ Applicant City: _____ Applicant State: ___

Applicant Zip: _____

Name of Animal Control/Law Enforcement Agency Currently Employed with:

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County/City/Village/Township: _____

Name of Animal Control/Law Enforcement Supervisor: _____

Supervisor Phone: _____ Supervisor Email: _____

Total Hours Submitted: _____

Applicant Name: _____ Applicant Phone: _____ Applicant Email: _____

Training/Employment Experience Information

(Attach certificates of completion, recommendation letters, or verification letters to this log.)

Description	Date(s)	Hours	Trainer/Employer Name:	Title:	Phone:	Email:

Applicant Name: _____ Applicant Phone: _____ Applicant Email: _____

Description	Date(s)	Hours	Trainer/Employer Name:	Title:	Phone:	Email:

By signing below, I certify that the information and statements given above are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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Applicant Signature Date

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Supervisor Signature Date