ORDINANCE NO. G-7354

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF KERN, STATE OF CALIFORNIA ADDING SECTION 2.150.020(7) AND SECTION 2.150.020(8) TO CHAPTER 2.150 OF THE KERN COUNTY ORDINANCE CODE CONCERING THE ANIMAL CONTROL COMMISSION

The following ordinance, consisting of four (4) sections, was duly and regularly passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Kern, State of California, at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors held on the 21st day of February, 2006, by the following vote, to wit:

AYES:

McQuiston, Maben, Patrick, Watson, Rubio

NOES:

None

ABSENT:

None

Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of

the County of Kern, State of California

Barbara Patrick

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

DENISE PENNELL Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By Judy A. Denny, Deputy Clerk

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF KERN ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force on and after the 23rd day of March, 2006, and shall be published once in the Bakersfield Californian, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Kern, State of California, together with the names of the members of the Board of Supervisors voting for and against the same.

- Section 2. Section 2.150.020(7) is hereby added to Chapter 2.150 of Title 7 of the Kern County Ordinance Code to read as follows:
- 7. To advise and assist the Board of Supervisors in conducting public education and outreach programs to Kern county residents regarding animal owner responsibility for licensing, spaying and neutering and proper care of animals.
- Section 3. Section 2.150.020(8) is hereby added to Chapter 2.150 of Title 7 of the Kern County Ordinance Code to read as follows:
- 8. To review and recommend proactive enforcement programs that will result in reducing cases of animal overpopulation, neglect, abuse and public nuisance.

Section 4. If any clause, provision, sentence, or paragraph of this ordinance, or the application thereof, is deemed to be invalid as to any person, entity, establishment, or circumstance, such invalidity shall not effect the other provisions of this ordinance which still remain in effect, and to its end, it is hereby declared that the provisions of this ordinance are severable.