



Roane County Animal Shelter

Director John Griffin



Mission Statement

The Roane County Animal Shelter is an Animal Care Control Agency that was created by Roane County Government, which assumes a unique role in the community. As a law enforcement agency, it is responsible for protecting the rights of people against the dangers and nuisances of uncontrolled animals. As an animal care organization and facility, it ensures the legal protection of animals from mistreatment and abuse. In combination, and Animal Control Department attempts to administer the health, safety, and welfare of people and animals by promoting, motivating and enforcing responsible pet ownership.



Purpose of Advisory Committee:

Be it therefore resolved that the Roane County Commission does hereby create an Animal Control Authority which shall be responsible for implementation of operating procedures, pertinent fee schedules, and any other functions necessary to the efficient operation of the animal control program.



This Years Issues & Challenges:

- **Volunteer Program**
 - **UT Spay & Neuter Program**
 - **Rescue Group**
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Anticipated Issues & Challenges:

- **Funding for Dog Park**
 - **Go North Animal Rescue**
 - **Continued Cooperation with Present Animal Wellness Foundation**
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