

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE APPLICATION AND ENFORCEMENT
OF THE STANLY COUNTY ANIMAL CONTROL ORDINANCE IN
THE MUNICIPALITY OF MISENHEIMER**

WHEREAS, the Stanly County Animal Control Program (hereinafter referred to as "Animal Control Program") seeks to protect and promote the health of Stanly County (hereinafter referred to as "County") residents through the provision of animal control services and the enforcement of specified regulations and requirements as allowed by the Stanly County Animal Control Ordinance (hereinafter referred to as "Animal Control Ordinance") and the North Carolina General Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the Stanly County Board of Commissioners approved a new Stanly County Animal Control Ordinance on June 3, 2013 with an effective date of July 3, 2013; and

WHEREAS, North Carolina General Statute (hereinafter referred to as "NCGS") 153A-122 allows a board of commissioners to make an ordinance, adopted pursuant to Article 6 of NCGS Chapter 153A, applicable to any part of the county not within a city; and

WHEREAS, NCGS 153A-122 allows the governing board of a city, by resolution, to permit a county ordinance, adopted pursuant to Article 6 of NCGS Chapter 153A, to be applicable within the city; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the governing board of Misenheimer to permit the Animal Control Ordinance to be applicable within the city/town/village of Misenheimer

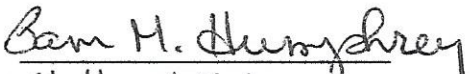
WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Animal Control Program to apply the new Animal Control Ordinance uniformly across all geographic regions within the County; and

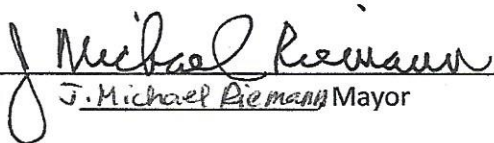
WHEREAS, the Animal Control Program will enforce provisions of the new Animal Control Ordinance within a municipality's jurisdiction only if so permitted to do so by resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE GOVERNING BOARD OF MISENHEIMER, that the Stanly County Animal Control Ordinance hereby applies in the city/town/village of Misenheimer. Furthermore, this resolution shall exist indefinitely unless a subsequent resolution withdraws the municipality's permission for application of the Stanly County Animal Control Ordinance in the city/town/village of Misenheimer.

Adopted this the 8th day of July, 2013.

ATTEST:


Pam M. Humphrey
Pam M. Humphrey Clerk


J. Michael Diemann Mayor