			KENNEL LICENSE CHECK LIST	
COMPLIANCE		TITLE DESCRIPTION		ORDINANCE
YES	NO	FOOD AND WATER	Sufficient good wholesome food and water, Cats and Dogs fed at least once a day. Food shall be free from contamination, wholesome, palatable, and in sufficient quantity providing nutritive value to meet the normal daily requirements for the condition and size of dog or cat	City 6.08.130A City
		SHELTER	Proper shelter and protection from the weather; to include heat, cold, rain, and other related conditions.	6.08.130C 6.08.130A
		VETERINARY CARE	When needed to prevent suffering, with humane care and treatment. Proper vaccinations for age and type of animal.	City 6.08.130A
		EXCRETA (waste)	Shall be removed from primary enclosures as often as necessary to prevent contamination and reduce disease hazards and odors. May not cause or allow any place where any animal is or maybe kept, to become unclean or unwholesome.	City 6.08.130 City
		SANITATION	-Adequate; habitat of such size to allow movement without contamination of area by spread of Excreta	6.08.140 S.D. 40-1-2.3
		FACILITIES OR CARE	To be standard and accepted for an animal's health and well being, consistent with species, breed, physical conditions and type of animal.	S.D. 40-1-2.3

No person may keep any animal which is injured or diseased, past recovery, or unfit for any useful purpose and in suffering, or intentionally abandon to die any sick or disabled animal. A violation of this section is a Class 1 Misdemeanor (S.D. 40-1-12

ANIMAL- Any mammal, bird, reptile, amphibian or fish, except humans (defined under State definition)

Refer to State Vet. Or City/ State Attorney for specific information

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KENNEL LICENSE APPLICATION

The undersigned makes application for a Kennel License under the provisions of Rapid City Ordinance 6.08.050 Kennels or Pennington County Ordinance 4, Article V, Section 2, Licensing of Kennels for a period ending December 31, 2

Name of Applicant		Social Security or Tax I.D. No.	
Home Address:		Telephone No:	
Business Name:			
Business Address:		Telephone No:	
If partnership, the name an	d address of each partner:		
If a corporation, the names	and addresses of the office	ers:	
Description of the activity	to be carried on under such	license:	
Number of animals to be ho	oused at this location at an	y given time:	
Number of animals six mor	ths or older owned by app	licant::	
Dogs (Specify Breed):			
Cats (Specify Breed):			
Other (Specify):			
Application made this	day of	,	
Contact Person: Name:		•	
Address:			
Applicant shall ann	ually update information w	ith the Humane Society of the Black Hills	
Signature of Applicant:			
Approved by	Animal Contr	ol	
Approved by	City/ County 2	Zoning	
	NOT TRANSF	ERABLE	

The Humane Society of the Black Hills is under no obligation to refund license application fees if denied

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ORDINANCE 4

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE LICENSING AND CONTROL OF ANIMALS WITHIN PENNINGTON COUNTY

BE IT ORDAINED by the Pennington County Commission that Ordinance 4 of the Ordinances of Pennington County be amended to read as follows:

PURPOSE: Public health safety and welfare is the primary concern of the Pennington County Commission. This ordinance is enacted to replace all previous ordinances relating to animal control and licensing within Pennington County other than Planning and Zoning ordinances. Although the first and primary responsibility for animal control belongs to the owner, this ordinance is intended to address the situations where owners of animals covered by this ordinance fail to take proper responsibility for their animals.

ARTICLE I. GENERAL

SECTION 1. DEFINITIONS.

For the purpose of this chapter the following words and phrases shall have the meanings herein ascribed to them:

Animal: Any mammal, bird, reptile, amphibian or fish, except humans. SDCL § 40-1-1(2). For the purpose of Article IV rabies control, "animal" shall mean any animal that may be infected with rabies.

Animal Control Officer: The officer(s) approved by the Pennington County Commission and authorized to investigate and enforce violations of this ordinance and the laws of the State of South Dakota relating to cruelty, abuse and injury to animals. The Pennington County Sheriff or his deputies may act as Animal Control Officers.

At Large: Any animal located off the property of its owner and not under control of a competent person.

Contracted Agent: Means the person, organization, governmental agency, or corporation with whom the County contracts to perform animal control functions.

Dangerous Animal: Any animal that, by itself or by environmental circumstances, at the determination of an animal control officer after investigation, is a threat to the physical well-being of other owned animals or humans. SDCL § 40-1-2.5.

Kennel: Any lot or premises or portion thereof where four or more dogs, cats, rabbits or other household/domesticated animals, six months of age or older, are maintained, boarded, bred, or cared for in return for any compensation or are kept for the purposes of sale. This definition does not include 4H Club member projects nor fowl.

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The expiration date of the license or renewal be one year from date of issue.

- D. Upon acceptance of the license application and fee, a numbered metal or plastic tag shall be issued to the person paying the fee. Such tag shall be stamped with the number and year for which issued. The tag shall be affixed to the licensed animal in conjunction with the rabies tab in a secure manner anytime the animal is outside. This provision does not require that cats be fitted with a collar displaying required tags. The owner of any cat required to be licensed by this provision, shall at a minimum, maintain any required license with tags in their possession and produce the same upon request by the animal shelter or Animal Control Officer. The owner shall contact the Animal Shelter to report change in ownership, loss, or death of a licensed animal.
- E. In the event that a licensed tag issued for an animal shall be lost, the owner may obtain a duplicate tag upon the payment of one dollar (\$1.00) to the Animal Shelter.
- F. If there is a change of ownership of an animal or kennel during the licensed year, the new owner may have the current license transferred in his name upon application to the County Animal Shelter.
- G. The licensing and vaccination requirements of this ordinance shall not apply to any animal belonging to a nonresident of this County and kept within the County for not longer than thirty (30) days, provided all such animals shall at all times while in the County, be kept within a building, enclosure, or vehicle or be under restraint by the owner, nor shall this ordinance apply to any animal licensed by any municipality within Pennington County.

SECTION 2. LICENSING OF KENNELS.

Every person, group of person, or corporation, operating a kennel as defined in this Ordinance shall pay an annual license fee of one hundred dollars (\$100.00). Licenses will be issued by the Pennington County Animal Shelter provided the use is in compliance with the County zoning ordinances and animal control ordinances. No kennel license shall be issued until the property has been inspected and approved by the Animal Control Officer or Shelter Manager. Persons operating such kennels are not required to license individual animals as provided in this ordinance. Kennel licenses shall be issued for one (1) year beginning the first day of January. Hospitals, clinics and other premises operated by a licensed veterinarian for the care and treatment of animals are exempt from the provisions of this section.

SECTION 3. DISPOSITION OF FEES.

A. All fees collected pursuant to this Article shall be retained by the Shelter Manger and used to supplement the County's Animal Control Budget.