The following resolution was introduced by Commissioners Celentino, De Leon and Schor:

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING FUNDING FOR TWO TEMPORARY ANIMAL CONTROL POSITIONS

RESOLUTION #11-206

WHEREAS, the Ingham County Animal Control Department is responsible for enforcing the Ingham County Animal Control Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Ingham County Animal Control Department is currently down two authorized staff positions during the busiest time of the year for Animal Control services in the County; and

WHEREAS, temporary staff is desirable to meet the minimal demands on services at Animal Control through October 31, 2011; and

WHEREAS, the costs of the temporary staff (a clerk/dispatcher and an animal control licensing officer) is estimated at \$20,477 for forty hours each per week from July 5, 2011 to October 31, 2011; and

WHEREAS, the funds for the temporary staff will come from the existing Animal Care Fund Account and from anticipated new dog licensing revenue for the 2011 FY.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Ingham County Board of Commissioners approves the funding of two temporary positions including a clerk/dispatcher and an animal control licensing officer for forty hours per week from July 5, 2011 to October 31, 2011 at a cost not to exceed \$20,477.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that funding from the Animal Care Fund Account in the amount of \$5,477 and \$15,000 in increased dog licensing revenue for the 2011 FY is authorized as necessary to cover the costs of these positions.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Ingham County Board of Commissioners authorizes the Controller/Administrator to make any necessary budget adjustments and position allocation list amendments in the Animal Control's 2011 budget.

SS/ Celentino, De Leon, Schor