

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

Ordinance No. 551

An Ordinance recognizing animal facilities which existed prior to the adoption of Ordinance No. 480 as Pre-Existing Uses

Section 1. Findings.

- A. On October 31, 1986, Ordinance No. 480 revised the Animal Control Ordinance to require Land Development approval prior to the issuance of an animal facilities license;
- B. There are animal facilities which had received annual facility licenses for a number of years prior to the adoption of Ordinance No. 480 which are in zoning districts which do not recognize such facilities as allowed uses;
- C. Those facilities have been operated under the reliance of a County approval and have not been objected to by residents of the surrounding neighborhood;
- D. To require the removal of facilities which have operated in reliance of an approval and without objections of the neighborhood would impose both personal and economic hardships on the operators of those facilities;

Section 2. MCC 11.15 is amended to add:

11.15.7240 Exemptions.

Animal facilities for which Animal Control facility licenses were issued prior to October 31, 1985 shall be exempted from the provision of MCC .7205 -.7235 unless:

- (A). There is an increase in the number of animals in the facility, or
- (B). The use is discontinued for a period of more than two years.

Section 3 Adoption.

This Ordinance, being necessary for the health, safety and general welfare of the people of Multnomah County, shall take effect on the thirtieth (30th) day after its adoption, being April 16, 1987, pursuant to Section 5.50 of the Charter of Multnomah County.

Adopted this 17th day of March, 1987, being the date of its second reading before the Board of County Commissioners of Multnomah County, Oregon.

Section 4. Codification.

This Ordinance shall be codified in the Multnomah County Code Chapter 11.15 and adopted as part of that Code.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
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By Gladys McCoy
Gladys McCoy, Chair

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