

# THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

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### Ollie's Law Advisory Committee Meeting

Date: Wednesday, September 17th, 2025

Time: 9:00AM-10:30AM

Location: Zoom Webinar <https://www.zoom.us/join> Meeting ID: 891 7465 2703

Passcode: animal

*Posted at 2PM September 12, 2025*

#### AGENDA

##### **I. Attendance-Advisory Committee Roll Call**

##### **II. Approval of Minutes**-from August 19, 2025 **(vote required)**

##### **III. Staffing Number Guidelines/ Proposed Ratios**

- A. Co-Mingled Dogs Operations
- B. Non-Comingled Dogs Operations
- C. Materials for Consideration-AC Developed Staffing Guidance Documents  
Review submitted materials.

##### **IV Remaining Meeting Schedule**

##### **V. Discussion: Staffing / Operator Education and Training**

- A. Employee and Owner/ Operator Training and Education Requirements
  - 1. Foundational animal behavior knowledge and baselines
  - 2. Baseline competencies in husbandry, medical awareness, and basic first aid
  - 3. Review of Potential Learning Platforms for Kennel Staff
  - 4. Review Potential Testing Platform

##### **VI. New Business**

- A. Open forum for additional committee input
- B. Topics for future agenda development