



## Waynesboro City Council Agenda Briefing

<b>Meeting Date:</b>	<b>June 13, 2022</b>	<b>Staff/Council Member(s):</b> <b>Mike Hamp, City Manager</b>
<b>Agenda Item #</b>	<b>10</b>	
<b>Ordinance</b>		
<b>Department:</b>	<b>City Manager's Office</b>	
<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Revisions To Chapter 14 Animals Article I</b>	

**Background:** City Council has considered possible revisions to City Code Chapter 14, Animals, in a number of work sessions and regular meetings. Most recently, attention was narrowed to possible restrictions on chickens, a prohibition of roosters, and clarifying restrictions on ownership of swine. Council communicated that if new restrictions are enacted, an ample grandfathering period should also be established. As such, a July 1, 2025 compliance date is provided with each potential restriction.

At present, restrictions provided for Council's consideration include:

- 1) Domestic, companion or pet ownership of swine is not permitted. (July 1, 2025)
- 2) Chickens are limited to 12 with penning provisions. (July 1, 2025)
- 3) Roosters are prohibited. (July 1, 2025)

Council may confirm the revisions and introduce the ordinance or confirm the revisions and schedule the introduction for a subsequent meeting.

**City Manager's Recommendation:** Consider and provide feedback or confirmation on the revisions to Chapter 14.

**Suggested Motion(s):**

**Attachments:**

Redlined Chapter 14 Article I.