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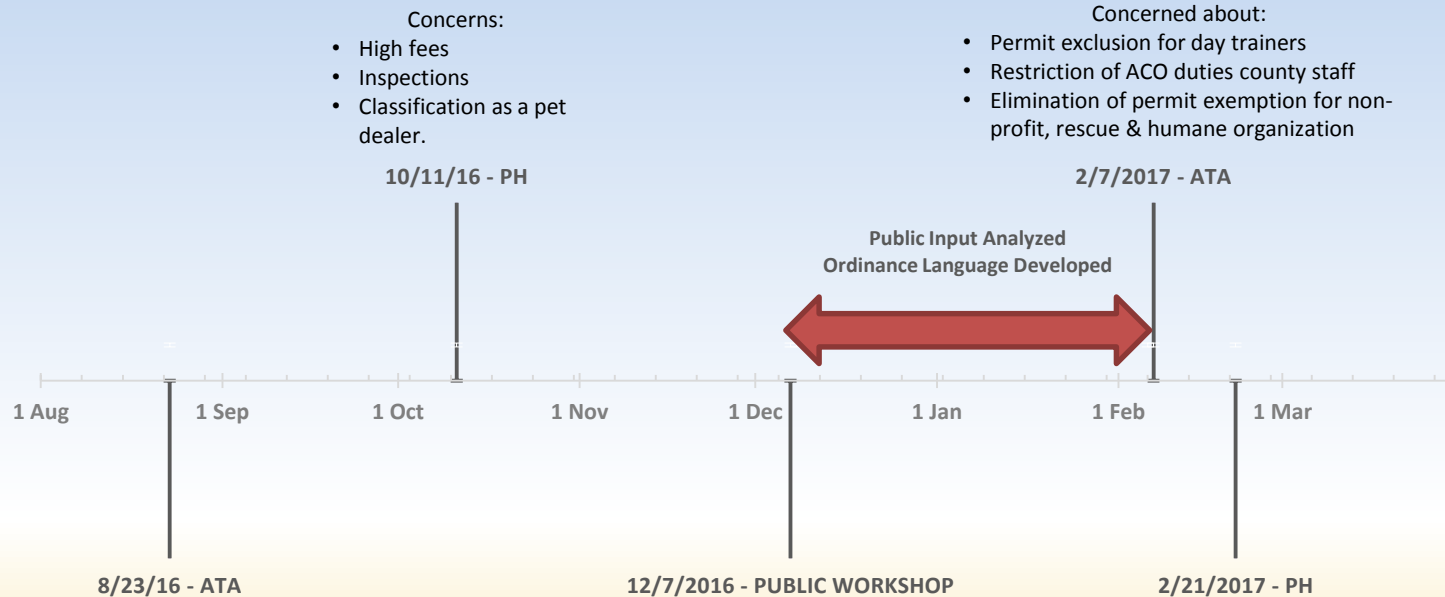
## Animal Services

February 21, 2017





# Ordinance Change Timeline



- Concerns:
- High fees
  - Inspections
  - Classification as a pet dealer.

- Concerned about:
- Permit exclusion for day trainers
  - Restriction of ACO duties county staff
  - Elimination of permit exemption for non-profit, rescue & humane organization

Feedback from citizens, for and against changes:

- Hobby Breeder exemption with 20 animal allowance (granted)
- No inspections (granted)
- Lower Permit fee (granted)
- Elimination of exemption for rescue & non-profit & humane organization
- Permit exclusion for day trainers

# Chapter 14 Ordinance Actions

- Clarify
  - 14-26 Definitions
  - 14-27 Violation of Articles; Penalties
  - 14-37 Trap-Neuter-Vaccinate-Return
  - 14-47 Fees and Charges; Administration of Article
  - 14-64 Dangerous Dogs
- Augment
  - 14-28 Irresponsible Owner
  - 14-29 Pet Dealerships; Kennels; and Hobby Breeders
  - 14-61 Rabies Vaccinations and Licensing
  - 14-62 Guard Dogs
- Delete
  - 14-68 Striking or Interfering with a law enforcement animal
  - 14-36 Animal Control or cruelty surcharge
- Ordinances will be in effect countywide



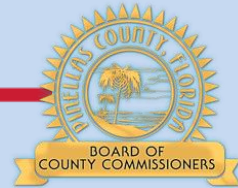
# Sections Requested for Review

## – Topics for Future Consideration

- Regulation of rescue and hobby rescue organizations
- Exemption for subsection of dog trainers
- Stricter regulatory requirements for hobby breeders
- Lessening restrictions on in heat females



# Questions?



Pinellas County **Animal Services**