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Dear Mr. Ginty

I have carefully reviewed and evaluated the two proposals submitted in response to the City of London's Request for Proposals 12-28 for Animal Welfare Services.

Overall, based on the materials made available, the presentations, and the follow-up information, I find the proposal submitted by Urban Animal Management (UAM) to be preferred option.

While the Progressive Animal Welfare Services (PAWS) demonstrated some strengths, in a number of essential areas I find the UAM to be the superior submission. Specifically, UAM's response showed:

- A clearer demonstration of financial stability and understanding of the costs related to delivering the requested services.
- 2. A greater demonstrated experience in delivering, licensing, sheltering and enforcement services.
- 3. Flexibility in type and extent of services to be contracted by the City of London.
- 4. A clear understanding of specific legal requirements for all aspects of the project.
- 5. An understanding of staff training needs, standards of care, and standard operating procedures.
- 6. Clear goals for shelter design and design elements that support the stated goals.

I further recommend that UAM be asked to submit further information for discussion and possible inclusion in the final contract; specifically:

- Further analysis of the capacity needs for animal housing for the City of London now and in the future.
- 2. Further information about the intended adoption processes and expected revenues.
- Specifics regarding public education and information initiatives.
- 4. Specifics regarding outcome measurement for the program(s).

I hope you find my report satisfactory. Please do contact me with additional questions or concerns.

Thank you for the opportunity to assist you in this important endeavour.

Sincerely

Bruce Roney