

SWARTLAND WEST COAST SPCA
INSPECTOR REPORT

I3482

Complaint Reference No.

Building:
Street: 13 MERCURY STREET
Suburb:
Postal Code:
Inspector: CARINA BODENSTEIN
Date of Inspection: 2024-07-02
Time of Inspection: 13:15

RESPONDENT'S DETAILS

Name: Rouvea Van Dyl
Company:
Identification: 8301060044082
Email:
Tel 1:
Tel 2:

REPORT

Access Granted By: Rouvea Van Dyk
Comment:
Were Animals Seen on the Property: Yes
Relationship to Property Owner: Owner
Captured By: CARINA BODENSTEIN 2024-07-02 16:01

CHECKLISTS

WATER AVAILABLE	Yes	
ADEQUATE SHELTER AVAILABLE	Yes	
ADEQUATE SPACE AVAILABLE	Yes	
CLEAN LIVING ENVIRONMENT	Yes	
ANIMALS IN GOOD CONDITION	Yes	
VETERINARY PROBLEMS / HEALTH CO	Yes ***	Coco has an old cancerous growth
CONFINEMENT OF ANIMALS	Free roaming - in property	

General Report Comments: Upon arrival, I was met and granted access to the property by the owner, Rouvea.

I first observed a Rottweiler, named Sheeba, free roaming in the front yard. Sheeba is in good condition, with no veterinary or health concerns. Sheeba has access to the house and the back yard at all times. Sheeba is rather aggressive and the owner took her to a room inside the house for me to enter the property and inspect the other dogs.

2x Yorkies, Whiskey and Lady, free roams in the house and back yard, the sliding door is always left open, even when the owners are not home. Both Yorkies appeared to be in good condition with no veterinary or health concerns.

Coco, the Pitbull, was temporarily closed in the back yard for me to conduct my inspection. Coco is also rather aggressive. I could see Coco through the sliding door. Coco is in condition, but has an old cancerous growth on her abdomen close to her left leg. The growth is about the size of a golf ball. According to the owner they had the growth removed 3 times in the past and everytime it just grows back. Coco was last seen by a vet in December, before they moved to Vredenburg from Vanderbijl Park. The last vet they were at advised them to spray Teremycin Wound Spray on when it burst or bleeds. There is currently 2 small sections (about 2mm x 2mm) where it appears to have bursts. I could see the residue of the Teremycin spray as there was blue residue on the growth .

According to the owner, she and her husband decided that they wont have the cancer cut out if it burst again, but would rather then have the dog euthanized, however, it has not come to that stage yet, according to her.

After thoroughly examining the growth, as best I could through the glass door, while the owner is holding her on the other side, the growth is solid, is not bleeding or pussy.

I advised the owner that I would recommend the dog is seen by a vet again for a routine check. The owner was very forthcoming, and had no objection, however stated that she wont be able to do this in the next few weeks as she does not have the finances now and asked if she can take the dog at the end of July. Based on my examination, I agreed and issued a warning as such as well. I also advised the owner that she is welcome to contact me if she and her husband makes the decision to euthanize, as we will assist them.

Based on the complaint submitted, none of the dog are thin/underweight or has sores (except for Coco with her cancerous growth). The dogs are fed 2x day with Montego. Their vaccinations are up to date and are given NexGaurd monthly.

I will follow up at the end of July.

ACTIONS

Warning Issued	W5105
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REPORT OUTCOMES

Follow-up inspection to be conducted	2024-07-31
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INSPECTION ANIMALS

Description:

1 x DOGS (ROTTWEILER) - A STERILISED FEMALE CALLED 'Sheeba' (COLOUR: Black/Tan) CONDITION: Good BCS 3/5

Description:

1 x DOGS (PITBULL) - A STERILISED FEMALE CALLED 'Coco' (COLOUR: Brown/White) CONDITION: Good, but has an old cancerous gro

Description:

1 x DOGS (YORKIE) - A STERILISED FEMALE CALLED 'Lady' (COLOUR: Tan/Grey) CONDITION: Good BCS 3/5

Description:

1 x DOGS (YORKIE) - A STERILISED MALE CALLED 'Whisky' (COLOUR: Tan/Grey) CONDITION: Good BCS 3/5