

Attachment 1

Qualifications Statement – Joseph Seskey

Joseph Seskey has been selected to serve as the new Chief of Animal Control. Mr. Seskey was selected after a national search of candidates and an extensive interview process conducted by a panel consisting of City Staff and Animal Welfare League of Alexandria Board Members.

Mr. Seskey recently retired as a Sergeant from the Alexandria Police Department where he served in various capacities for the last 25 years. Mr. Seskey last served as Supervisor in the Alexandria Police Department's Operations Support Bureau, Office of Special Events where he was a recognized subject matter expert in the development, coordination and strategic response for all large scale special and emergency operation events.

Mr. Seskey has a vast background in problem solving, investigations, training, logistics, supervision and management and will be responsible for the Animal Control Services provided by the Animal Welfare League of Alexandria through contract with the City of Alexandria.