

TOWN OF RED CROSS

**AN AMENDMENT TO THE TOWN OF RED CROSS ANIMAL ORDINANCE
ADOPTED JANUARY 13, 2025.**

WHEREAS, under N.C.G.S. section 160D-601, et seq. the Town may amend its ordinances, including the planning and zoning ordinances to protect health, safety, and welfare of the public; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was duly advertised and conducted at a time where all interested parties were heard; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Board unanimously recommends that the current Animal Ordinance be amended in the section dealing with Fowl under Facilities for care and holding of Fowl, sentence number 4, shall be rewritten as follows: All accessory buildings housing birds including coops, enclosures, and pens shall be set back at least fifty feet (50) from all property lines, and be located at least one hundred feet (100) from an existing well.

NOW PURSUANT TO N.C.G.S. SECTIONS §160D-601 THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF RED CROSS ADOPTS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS IN SUPPORT OF THE AMENDMENT.

BE IT ORDAINED THAT THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF RED CROSS OF THE COUNTY OF STANLY, THAT THE ANIMAL ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF RED CROSS, NORTH CAROLINA, LISTED BELOW BE REPEALED AND THE AMENDED ANIMAL ORDINANCE BE ADOPTED AS FOLLOWS:

ORDINANCE NO, 25-01

SECTION 1. The Town of Red Cross Animal Ordinance adopted January 13, 2025 is hereby repealed, and replaced as written above.

SECTION 2. The Town of Red Cross Animal Ordinance as attached hereto is hereby adopted.

SECTION 3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall become effective at 12:00 AM on February 11, 2025 upon adoption.

Adopted this tenth day of February 2025 by a vote of _____ for and _____ against.

Lionel Hahn (Mayor)