

**ORDINANCE NO. 182-22**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 505.07 (a) OF THE  
CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF MEDINA, OHIO  
RELATIVE TO CRUELTY TO ANIMALS GENERALLY.**

**WHEREAS:** Section 505.07 (a) of the codified ordinances of the City of Medina, Ohio presently reads in part as follows relative to Cruelty to Animals Generally:

**505.07 CRUELTY TO ANIMALS GENERALLY.**

**(a) No person shall:**

- (1) Torture an animal, deprive one of necessary sustenance, unnecessarily or cruelly beat, needlessly mutilate or kill, or impound or confine an animal without supplying it during such confinement with a sufficient quantity of good wholesome food and water;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MEDINA, OHIO:**

**SEC. 1:** That Section 505.07 (a) of the codified ordinances of the City of Medina, Ohio shall be amended to read as follows relative to Cruelty to Animals Generally:

**505.07 CRUELTY TO ANIMALS GENERALLY.**

**(a) ~~No person shall:~~ *Except as permitted by 505.11, No person shall:***

- (1) Torture an animal, deprive one of necessary sustenance, unnecessarily or cruelly beat, needlessly mutilate or kill, or impound or confine an animal without supplying it during such confinement with a sufficient quantity of good wholesome food and water;

**SEC. 2:** That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with the law.

**SEC. 3:** That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect at the earliest period allowed by law.

**PASSED:** October 11, 2022

**SIGNED:** John M. Coyne, III  
President of Council

**ATTEST:** Kathy Patton  
Clerk of Council

**APPROVED:** October 12, 2022

**SIGNED:** Dennis Hanwell  
Mayor