

Resolution #4-R-18 Chicken Ordinance

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Referred to: Board of Health

WHEREAS the City of Appleton passed a resolution a year ago allowing the keeping of chickens, and the past year has given us a chance to see that some improvements are called for,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the ordinance be updated in the following 4 ways:

1. Reduce the minimum square feet per bird in the coop to 1.5 feet to make it easier for birds to stay warm, and increase the maximum run space from 24 square feet to 100 square feet to provide for healthy exercise.
2. Increase maximum number of birds allowed from 4 to 6.
3. Remove neighbour veto power.
4. Adjust fee schedule to be more in line with surrounding communities.