

**Lions Clubs International – Multiple District 36
Policy Manual
Chapter 3**

I. Name: Canine Services

II. Purpose: To promote assistance dog programs.

III. Specific Responsibilities:

- A. To educate Oregon Lions to the needs of funds for these programs.
- B. To promote the need for volunteer puppy raisers.
- C. To educate Lions as to the courtesies of behavior that should be afforded to those teams they may encounter.
- D. To present programs to individual clubs and to have information booths at all conventions.
- E. To assist graduates in monies needed for equipment and team training.

IV. Committee Makeup:

- A. The committee will consist of 1 member from each District to be appointed annually by the District Governor (DG).
- B. Officers: The Council of Governors (COG) shall appoint a Chairperson.

V. Fiscal Responsibilities: None.

VI. Meetings:

- A. 4 regular meetings will be held before each COG meeting.
- B. Meetings to be held at a mutually agreed upon time and place.
- C. To constitute an official meeting of this committee, a *quorum* shall be defined as a majority (50% plus 1) of the committee members for the purpose of transacting business.

VII. Reports: The Committee Chairperson will report at the COG meetings.

General Policy Statements: (Added and dated as adopted by the COG)

1. Adopted by the Council of Governors, July 21, 2002
2. Revision adopted by COG, March 5, 2004

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