DRAFT MEMORANDUM

TO: Cape Elizabeth Town Council FROM: Maureen O'Meara, Town Planner

DATE: August 30, 2017

SUBJECT: Domestic Fowl Amendments

Introduction

At the July 10, 2017 meeting, the Town Council referred to Ordinance Committee amendments to regulate domestic fowl. The Ordinance Committee discussed possible amendments at the August 8th and August 15th meeting.

Draft amendment

The Ordinance Committee considered an amendment to the Miscellaneous Offenses Ordinance (Chapter 12) that would require the owners of domestic fowl to keep them off private property absent permission of the property owner.

The Ordinance Committee asked Police Chief Neil Williams about the town's experience with animal control issues.

Recommendation

The Ordinance Committee voted x - x to