BEFORE THE HEARING EXAMINER for the CITY of MERCER ISLAND

ORDER of SUMMARY DISMISSAL

- FILE NUMBER: APL23-007 (Ref case # A23-004852)
- APPELLANT: Peter Weiss 7204 76th Avenue SE Mercer Island, WA 98040 weisspeter1@gmail.com SERVICE BY E-MAIL (First class mail service if requested)
- RESPONDENT: City of Mercer Island Animal Control Officer C/o Eileen M. Keiffer Madrona Law group, PLLC 14205 SE 36th Street Suite 100, PMB 440 Bellevue, WA 98006 eileen@madronalaw.com SERVICE BY E-MAIL (First class mail service if requested)

AND

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TYPE OF CASE: Appeal from Notice of Potentially Dangerous Dog ("Whisky")

WHEREAS, on September 15, 2023, Respondent City of Mercer Island ("City") withdrew the Notice of Potentially Dangerous Dog against "Whisky." On September 19, 2023, Respondent City advised the Hearing Examiner ("Examiner") of that withdrawal and asked that the matter be dismissed without prejudice; and

WHEREAS, Hearing Examiner Rule of procedure 228(e) provides that "[w]hen the Respondent Department withdraws or vacates the decision or action being appealed, the appeal becomes moot and shall automatically be dismissed."