

Subject: Re: Checking in on Permit Update and question.

Tue, Aug 11, 2020,
2:00 PM

to Gaby Lera, Felix Lopez

I'm so confused! Lol.

So, right now at studio city we will be boarding client dogs of course.

We are also boarding the adult rescue dogs for the rescue. (We aren't doing adoptions) But the dogs will live there till they are adopted. Puppies are for the most part in foster. Just checking that legally we can board rescue dogs at the hotel even if they are owner surrenders. And the permit is fine if necessary. Lol

Valley Village has unfortunately been closed since the pandemic started. Happy to meet you there anyday to inspect. But we have not been able to open.

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 9, 2020, at 2:20 PM, Gaby Lera <gaby.lera@lacity.org> wrote:

Hi Melissa,

The only dogs that can be at the hotel are the ones that belong to clients. If you are still keeping dogs that are going to be adopted then you still need Pet shop permit. It has nothing to do with the money transaction but with the animals being there. Anytime there are animals, we have to know why they are there. If they are not there as privately owned pets boarding then we have to enforce Pet shop permit . We can definitely cancel the pet shop permit if you don't need it, fostering them out works and since you are so busy maybe having a kennel facility in a Manufacturing zone will help you with running your Rescue and with keeping all the owner's surrenders that you receive. Please note that when we inspect we will have to check all records of dogs there. I know this is all very confusing! I am including Officer Lopez here in case he has anything to add or any other info.

We can discuss further if you'd like.

thank you and we'll be in touch, I have to inspect the Valley Village location soon. What days are you there?

Gaby Lera
Permits Officer