



# OCT 2024 Monthly Report



### TOTAL ANIMALS ADMITTED

# 700

About **22** Animals Per Day

### INCOMING ANIMALS

# 582

Lost Pets

# 25

Surrendered Pets

|     |    |
|-----|----|
| 245 | 13 |
| 276 | 7  |
| 10  | 2  |
| 51  | 3  |

### OUTGOING ANIMALS

|                                          |                                                          |                                                 |
|------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| <h1>464</h1> <p>Adoptions</p>            | <h1>35</h1> <p>Transferred to a 501c3 Partner Agency</p> | <h1>72</h1> <p>Humane Euthanasia* (Medical)</p> |
| 213<br>237<br>5<br>9                     | 21<br>1<br>2<br>11                                       | 8<br>43 *<br>1<br>14                            |
| <h1>100</h1> <p>Reunited with Family</p> | <h1>9</h1> <p>SNR 5<br/>WW 4</p>                         | <h1>6</h1> <p>Humane Euthanasia* (Behavior)</p> |
| 83<br>15<br>2<br>0                       |                                                          | 5<br>1<br>0<br>0                                |

### ADDITIONAL SHELTER STATISTICS

|                                                       |                                                       |                                                    |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| <h1>181</h1> <p>Animals Entering Foster Care</p>      | <h1>5,496</h1> <p>Foster Care Hours Donated</p>       | <h1>32</h1> <p>Spay or Neuter Citations Issued</p> |
| 23<br>137<br>17<br>4                                  |                                                       |                                                    |
| <h1>5</h1> <p>Animals Diverted Via Pet Retention†</p> | <h1>3,268</h1> <p>Volunteer Hours Donated</p>         | <h1>731</h1> <p>Total Citations Issued</p>         |
| 3<br>1<br>1<br>0                                      |                                                       |                                                    |
| <h1>2,910</h1> <p>Total Pet Licenses Processed</p>    | <h1>91.0%</h1> <p>Average Live Release Rate (LRR)</p> | <h1>3,119</h1> <p>Phone Calls Received</p>         |
| 96.1%                                                 | 85.4%                                                 |                                                    |

**Veterinary Services Provided**

**243** Exams

**399** General Surgeries

**66** TNR Surgeries

**762** Vaccinations

**878** Calls Responded to by an Animal Control Officer

- 142 Rabies Quarantine
- 82 Deceased Animal Pickup
- 0 Cruelty Investigations
- 77 Nuisance Investigations
- 62 Leash Law Patrols
- 102 Welfare Checks
- 78 Aggressive Dog Pick Up
- 38 Nuisance/Barking Complaints
- 297 Other Calls for Assistance  
Public Assistance, Setting Traps, Compliance Checks, Animal Bite Reports, Aggressive Dog Pick-up Safekeeping Pick-up, etc.

\*HUMANE EUTHANASIA - A VCAS Veterinarian authorizes medical euthanasia decisions. Euthanasia for behavior is authorized by a Shelter Review Committee comprised of shelter managers and animal care coordinators. All euthanasia decisions are made on a case-by-case basis with input from a variety of sources.

The medical euthanasia of cats is higher during warmer months when increased breeding occurs. Newborn kittens who arrive in poor health, typically have poor prognoses and do not survive even with immediate medical attention. In these cases, humane euthanasia may be appropriate. VCAS is proud, however, to report that over 85% of all underage or underweight kittens do survive in our care.

\*\*These are impounded community cats who are spayed or neutered, microchipped, vaccinated, ear-tipped and returned to where they were found. Learn more about this program at [www.vcas.us/tnr](http://www.vcas.us/tnr).

†These are animals who we were successfully able to help stay with their families by providing help and offering resources to the owner. This program is also known as our Pet Retention Program. Learn more about this program at [www.vcas.us/PetAssistance](http://www.vcas.us/PetAssistance).