# VENTURA COUNTY Animal SERVICES

# AUG - 2022
## Monthly Report

## TOTAL ANIMALS ADMITTED

### 628
About 20 Animals Per Day

## INCOMING ANIMALS

### 529 Lost Pets
- 213
- 253
- 14
- 49

### 39 Surrendered Pets
- 23
- 14
- 0
- 2

## OUTGOING ANIMALS

### 426 Adoptions
- 178
- 212
- 26
- 10

### 18 Transferred to a 501c3 Partner Agency
- 4
- 2
- 0
- 12

### 51 Humane Euthanasia* (Medical)
- 2
- 17
- 9
- 23

### 102 Reunions
- 88
- 11
- 0
- 3

### 13 Trap Neuter Return* & Working Whiskers Cats
- TNR 6
- WW 7

### 5 Humane Euthanasia* (Behavior)
- 4
- 1
- 0
- 0

## ADDITIONAL SHELTER STATISTICS

### 179 Animals Entering Foster Care
- 18
- 160
- 1
- 0

### 5,421 Foster Care Hours Donated

### 29 Spay or Neuter Citations Issued

### 55 Animals Diverted Via Pet Retention*
- 35
- 9
- 0
- 11

### 3,540 Volunteer Hours Donated

### 593 Total Citations Issued

### 3,920 Total Pet Licenses Processed

### 95.5% Average Live Release Rate (LRR)
- 97.8%
- 92.9%

### Veterinary Services Provided
- 370 Vaccinations
- 633 Examinations
- 360 Surgeries

### 589 Calls Responded to by an Animal Control Officer
- 168 Rabies Quarantine
- 78 Deceased Animal Pickup
- 1 Cruelty Investigations
- 41 Nuisance Investigations
- 20 Leash Law Patrols
- 21 Welfare Checks
- 29 Aggressive Dog Pick Up
- 39 Nuisance/Barking Complaints
- 192 Other Calls for Assistance
  *Public Assistance, Setting Traps, Compliance Checks, Animal Bite Reports, Aggressive Dog Pick-up Safekeeping Pick-up, etc.*

*DIVERTED - Animals who we were able to help keep out of the shelter by providing help and offering resources to the owner. This program is also knows as our Pet Retention Program. www.vcas.us/petretention

*HUMANE EUTHANASIA - A VCAS Veterinarian authorizes medical euthanasia decisions. Euthanasia for behavior is authorized by shelter managers, supervisors and directors. All euthanasia decisions are made on a case-by-case basis.

*TNR (Trap Neuter Return) and our Working Whiskers programs allow feral cats to continue living their lives outdoors. These cats are microchipped, vaccinated, ear-tipped, altered and released. www.vcas.us/tnr

Note - 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.

- Dog
- Rabbit
- Cat
- Other Species