



# DEC 2024

## Monthly Report

### TOTAL ANIMALS ADMITTED

456

About 15 Animals Per Day

### INCOMING ANIMALS



357

Lost Pets

220  
95  
7  
35



22

Surrendered Pets

7  
11  
2  
2

### OUTGOING ANIMALS



304

Adoptions

170  
117  
7  
10



11

Transferred to a 501c3  
Partner Agency

4  
0  
0  
7



41

Humane Euthanasia\*  
(Medical)

8  
17  
2  
14



93

Reunited with Family

80  
6  
0  
7



4

Spay Neuter Return (SNR)\* &  
Working Whiskers Cats

SNR 3  
WW 1



2

Humane Euthanasia\*  
(Behavior)

0  
2  
0  
0

### ADDITIONAL SHELTER STATISTICS



100

Animals Entering  
Foster Care

25  
59  
14  
2



3,238

Foster Care Hours  
Donated



63

Spay or Neuter  
Citations Issued



8

Animals Diverted Via  
Pet Retention\*

6  
2  
0  
0



3,839

Volunteer Hours  
Donated



885

Total Citations  
Issued



3,077

Total Pet Licenses  
Processed



93.5 %

Average Live Release  
Rate (LRR)

96.9 % 87.5 %

3,229

Phone Calls  
Received

Veterinary  
Services  
Provided



249

Exams

182

General Surgeries

65

TNR Surgeries

578

Vaccinations



815

Calls Responded to by an  
Animal Control Officer

- 196 Rabies Quarantine
  - 57 Deceased Animal Pickup
  - 0 Cruelty Investigations
  - 65 Nuisance Investigations
  - 61 Leash Law Patrols
  - 64 Welfare Checks
  - 39 Aggressive Dog Pick Up
  - 18 Nuisance/Barking Complaints
  - 315 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).



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