



# SEP 2025

## Monthly Report

### TOTAL ANIMALS ADMITTED

# 788

About **26** Animals Per Day

### INCOMING ANIMALS

# 642

Lost  
Animals

289  
291  
7  
55

# 20

Surrendered  
Animals

9  
7  
4  
0

# 65

Confiscated  
Animals

54  
4  
0  
7

### OUTGOING ANIMALS

# 362

Adoptions

183  
149  
5  
25

# 52

Transferred to a  
Rescue Partner

29  
2  
4  
17

# 91

Humane Euthanasia\*  
(For Medical)

7  
65  
1  
18

# 137

Reunited with Family

125  
11  
0  
1

# 11

Spay Neuter Return &  
Working Whiskers Cats

SNR 11  
WW 0

# 3

Humane Euthanasia\*  
(For Behavior)

3  
0  
0  
0

### ADDITIONAL SHELTER STATISTICS

# 4,378

Volunteer Hours  
Donated

# 50

Spay or Neuter  
Citations Issued

# 519

Total Citations  
Issued

# 4,570

Total Pet Licenses  
Processed

# 4,054

Phone Calls  
Received

# 87.1%

Average Live  
Release Rate (LRR)

97.1%  
72.7%

Pets For Life  
Community Outreach Program

Spay & Neuter Surgeries: 0

Vaccinations Provided: 244

Pounds of Pet Food Distributed: 2,117

Veterinary Services  
Provided

# 363

Exams

# 386

General Surgeries

# 44

TNR Surgeries

# 797

Vaccinations

# 687

Calls Responded to by an  
Animal Control Officer

- 120 Rabies Quarantine
- 66 Deceased Animal Pickup
- 0 Cruelty Investigations
- 47 Nuisance Investigations
- 35 Leash Law Patrols
- 56 Welfare Checks
- 47 Aggressive Dog Pick Up
- 18 Nuisance/Barking Complaints
- 298 Other Calls for Assistance  
Public Assistance, Setting Traps, Compliance Checks, Animal Bite Reports, Aggressive Dog Pick-up Safekeeping Pick-up, etc.

#### \* HUMANE EUTHANASIA

Each year, Ventura County Animal Services (VCAS) provides medical care to thousands of animals through our dedicated veterinary team. While we strive to treat and rehabilitate every animal, some arrive in such critical condition that humane euthanasia is the most compassionate option.

In cases involving severe behavioral concerns, a Shelter Review Committee is convened. This

committee is comprised of shelter managers and animal care personnel. Every animal's unique circumstances are reviewed on a case-by-cases basis with careful consideration with input from multiple sources, including observational notes from shelter staff, volunteers, previous pet owners and adopters.

#### \*\* HUMANE EUTHANASIA - CATS

The rate of humane euthanasia for cats increases during warmer months due to seasonal breeding.

Sadly, many kittens arrive in critical condition and often have poor prognoses. They may not even survive despite immediate medical attention. In such cases, humane euthanasia may be the most appropriate and compassionate course of action.

Please note: VCAS ended the humane euthanasia of healthy and treatable animals in 2012. No animals are euthanized for time or space.