



# SEP - 2019

## Monthly Report



### TOTAL ANIMALS ADMITTED TO SHELTER

**943**  
(Avg. 31 per day)

### INCOMING ANIMALS

<b>749</b> STRAY PETS	244		<b>89</b> SURRENDERED	54	
	397			16	
	14			6	
	94			13	

### OUTGOING ANIMALS

<b>495</b> ADOPTIONS	161		<b>33</b> TRANSFERRED TO A PARTNER AGENCY (501c3)	11		<b>95</b> EUTHANASIA (MEDICAL)	11	
	296			2			50	
	20			0			5	
	18			20			29	
<b>128</b> REUNITED	110		<b>30</b> TNR & WORKING WHISKERS CATS			<b>05</b> EUTHANASIA (BEHAVIOR)	4	
	15						1	
	0							
	3							

### ADDITIONAL SHELTER STATISTICS

<b>2,767</b> VOLUNTEER HOURS DONATED	<b>337</b> GOING INTO FOSTER CARE	14 315 X 8	   	<b>4,776</b> PET LICENSES PROCESSED	<b>91.1%</b> LIVE RELEASE RATE (LRR)	96.3% 87.2%	 
<b>7,098</b> FOSTER CARE HOURS DONATED	<b>231</b> ANIMALS DIVERTED	139 84 0 8	   	<b>806</b> CALLS RESPONDED TO BY AN ACO*	<b>963</b> EXAMS	<b>407</b> SURGERIES	<b>960</b> VACCINATIONS

\*ACO - Animal Control Officer

DIVERTED - Animals who were able to help keep out of the shelter by providing help and offering resources to the owner. This program is also known as our Pet Retention Program.

HUMANE EUTHANASIA - Our Chief Veterinarian authorizes all euthanasia decisions for medical reasons. 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 ("wild") cats to continue living their lives, outdoors. These cats are fixed, vaccinated, ear-tipped, microchipped and released.

Note - The medical euthanasia of cats is higher during warmer months when uncontrolled breeding occurs. Newborn kittens who arrive cold, often with umbilical cords still attached and without their mothers, typically have a poor prognosis and will not survive. In these cases, humane euthanasia may be appropriate. VCAS is, however, proud to report that over 85% of all underage or underweight kittens do survive.

- Dog - Cat - Rabbit - Other Species **X** - Statistic not yet tracked.

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