

DALLAS ANIMAL SERVICES

Department Shelter Fact Sheet

January 2025

Volunteer Activity							
	Fiscal Year End 2023/24	Fiscal YTD 2023/24	Fiscal YTD 2024/25	January 2024	January 2025	Current Month Variance	Current Month % Change
Individual Volunteers	1,719	508	1,179	258	334	76	29%
Volunteer Hours*	22,479	6,007	9,453	1,655	1,744	89	5%
Active Volunteers	1,562	473	1,120	244	319	75	31%
Spay/Neuter Surgeries							
	Fiscal Year End 2023/24	Fiscal YTD 2023/24	Fiscal YTD 2024/25	January 2024	January 2025	Current Month Variance	Current Month % Change
Total	13,270	3,857	4,660	993	1,181	188	19%
In-House Surgeries	13,270	3,857	4,660	993	1,181	188	19%
Spay Neuter Plus	2,733	764	927	207	246	39	19%
Specialty Surgeries	277	95	127	25	33	8	32%
Subsidized Surgeries	2,660	503	1,406	106	209	103	97%
Dogs	40	8	5	3	1	-2	-67%
Cats	2,620	495	1,401	103	208	105	102%
Microchipping							
Microchip	Fiscal Year End 2023/24	Fiscal YTD 2023/24	Fiscal YTD 2024/25	January 2024	January 2025	Current Month Variance	Current Month % Change
Dogs already Microchipped at Intake	25%	25%	21%	25%	29%	3%	13%
Cats already Microchipped at Intake	7%	13%	7%	13%	10%	-3%	-23%
Owned Pets Microchipped Total	1,181	376	416	97	132	35	36%
Over-the-Counter: Dogs	23	0	10	0	0	0	N/A
Return-to-Home: Dogs	1,104	360	388	96	126	30	31%
Over-the-Counter: Cats	3	1	1	0	0	0	N/A
Return-to-Home: Cats	51	15	17	1	6	5	500%
Pets Microchipped in Field Total	0	0	2	0	0	0	N/A
Dogs Microchipped in Field	0	0	2	0	0	0	N/A
Cats Microchipped in Field	0	0	0	0	0	0	N/A
Fosters							
Foster Animals	Fiscal Year End 2023/24	Fiscal YTD 2023/24	Fiscal YTD 2024/25	January 2024	January 2025	Current Month Variance	Current Month % Change
Fosters Total	7,132	1,855	2,051	622	475	-147	-24%
Dogs	4,511	1,457	1,379	533	406	-127	-24%
Cats	2,621	398	672	89	69	-20	-22%
SHELTER ACTIVITY							
INTAKES	Fiscal Year End 2023/24	Fiscal YTD 2023/24	Fiscal YTD 2024/25	January 2024	January 2025	Current Month Variance	Current Month % Change
Shelter Intakes	14,880	3,847	4,924	998	1,209	211	21%
Lost Dog Intakes	6,266	1,857	2,298	508	664	156	31%
Dog Owner Surrender Intakes	2,925	835	1,007	228	251	23	10%
**Dog Other Intakes	274	86	129	19	30	11	58%
Lost Cat Intakes	3,187	451	852	80	118	38	48%
Cat Owner Surrender Intakes	1,412	391	366	116	96	-20	-17%
**Cat Other Intakes	603	171	243	35	41	6	17%
Other (wildlife, livestock, exotic)	213	56	29	12	9	-3	-25%
Field Intakes	13,753	4,206	3,846	1,056	874	-182	-17%
Lost Dog Intakes	7,093	2,583	2,071	688	459	-229	-33%
Dog Owner Surrender Intakes	1,133	338	365	137	95	-42	-31%
**Dog Other Intakes	1,206	354	302	89	76	-13	-15%
Lost Cat Intakes	1,297	250	327	65	58	-7	-11%
Cat Owner Surrender Intakes	171	32	163	8	83	75	938%
**Cat Other Intakes	115	34	60	8	8	0	0%
Other (wildlife, livestock, exotic)	2,738	615	558	61	95	34	56%
Dog Intake Totals	18,897	6,053	6,172	1,669	1,575	-94	-6%
Cat Intake Totals	6,785	1,329	2,011	312	404	92	29%
Other Total Intakes	2,951	671	587	73	104	31	42%
INTAKE Totals	28,633	8,053	8,770	2,054	2,083	29	1%
OUTCOMES	Fiscal Year End 2023/24	Fiscal YTD 2023/24	Fiscal YTD 2024/25	January 2024	January 2025	Current Month Variance	Current Month % Change
Adoptions	11,679	3,218	4,228	836	1,060	224	27%
Dog	8,342	2,295	2,820	612	736	124	20%
Cat	3,153	863	1,323	202	295	93	46%
Other	184	60	85	22	29	7	32%
Total Return-to-Homes	3,674	1,303	1,124	331	297	-34	-10%
Dog - Field	1,118	481	299	123	65	-58	-47%
Dog - Shelter	2,415	774	777	200	219	19	10%
Dog Return-to-Home Subtotals	3,533	1,255	1,076	323	284	-39	-12%
Cat	127	42	46	5	13	8	160%
Other	14	6	2	3	0	-3	-100%
Cat and Others Return-to-Home Subtotals	141	48	48	8	13	5	63%
Rescue Partner Transfer	5,208	1,508	1,972	398	479	81	20%
Dogs	4,080	1,318	1,617	352	371	19	5%
Cat	1,111	184	352	44	108	64	145%
Other	17	6	3	2	0	-2	-100%
Wildlife Release	331	45	45	13	4	-9	-69%
Trap-Neuter-Return(TNR)	348	53	146	0	36	36	N/A
Shelter-Neuter-Return(SNR)	113	28	15	9	1	-8	-89%
Euthanized	5,872	1,652	1,297	267	245	-22	-8%
Dog	2,448	902	559	191	146	-45	-24%
Cat	1,162	210	295	41	35	-6	-15%
Other	2,262	540	443	35	64	29	83%
Owner Requested Euthanasia	83	34	41	10	11	1	10%
Dog	79	34	34	10	9	-1	-10%
Cat	4	0	7	0	2	2	N/A
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	N/A
Missing and Died In Care	845	122	158	33	19	-14	-42%
Dog	269	58	78	21	9	-12	-57%
Cat	430	52	73	11	7	-4	-36%
Other	146	12	7	1	3	2	200%
OUTCOME Totals	28,153	7,963	9,026	1,897	2,152	255	13%
Live Release Rate for Dogs	85.1%	83.0%	89.1%	85.3%	89.5%		
Live Release Rate for Cats	75.2%	81.7%	83.4%	83.3%	91.1%		
Live Release Rate all Animals	75.8%	77.3%	83.4%	83.7%	87.2%		
Live Release Rate Dogs+Cats	82.6%	82.8%	87.6%	85.0%	89.9%		

Live Release Rate for all animals = Adoptions + Total Redemptions + Rescue + Wildlife Release + SNR + TNR / Outcome Total

All numbers are rounded to the nearest full number for display on this fact sheet; however, percentages are calculated using numbers with decimals to the hundredth

*This volunteer data reflects corrections and additions made throughout the fiscal year resulting in variance between the sum of monthly data and FYTD totals.

**Cat/Dog Other Intakes consists of Confiscate, Keep Safe and Transfer In intake types.

This data is reflective of the Chameleon database on the date of this report. Reports dated after this report may reflect a slight variance in the numbers.