

DALLAS ANIMAL SERVICES

Department Shelter Fact Sheet September 2024

Volunteer Activity							
	Fiscal Year End 2022/23	Fiscal YTD 2022/23	Fiscal YTD 2023/24	September 2023	September 2024	Current Month Variance	Current Month % Change
Individual Volunteers	1,141	1,141	1,719	234	393	159	68%
Volunteer Hours*	14,641	14,641	22,479	1,432	1,954	522	36%
Active Volunteers	995	995	1,562	220	352	132	60%
Spay/Neuter Surgeries							
	Fiscal Year End 2022/23	Fiscal YTD 2022/23	Fiscal YTD 2023/24	September 2023	September 2024	Current Month Variance	Current Month % Change
Total	9,782	9,782	13,270	946	1,306	360	38%
In-House Surgeries	9,782	9,782	13,270	946	1,306	360	38%
Spay Neuter Plus	2,172	2,172	2,733	182	211	29	16%
Specialty Surgeries	349	349	277	21	24	3	14%
Subsidized Surgeries	806	806	2,660	79	443	364	461%
Dogs	17	17	40	1	2	1	100%
Cats	789	789	2,620	78	441	363	465%
Microchipping							
Microchip	Fiscal Year End 2022/23	Fiscal YTD 2022/23	Fiscal YTD 2023/24	September 2023	September 2024	Current Month Variance	Current Month % Change
Dogs already Microchipped at Intake	27%	27%	25%	23%	26%	3%	14%
Cats already Microchipped at Intake	9%	9%	7%	7%	6%	-1%	-12%
Owned Pets Microchipped Total	979	979	1,181	83	89	6	7%
Over-the-Counter: Dogs	18	18	23	0	0	0	N/A
Return-to-Home: Dogs	897	897	1104	70	84	14	20%
Over-the-Counter: Cats	7	7	3	1	0	-1	-100%
Return-to-Home: Cats	57	57	51	12	5	-7	-58%
Pets Microchipped in Field Total	2	2	0	0	0	0	N/A
Dogs Microchipped in Field	2	2	0	0	0	0	N/A
Cats Microchipped in Field	0	0	0	0	0	0	N/A
Fosters							
Foster Animals	Fiscal Year End 2022/23	Fiscal YTD 2022/23	Fiscal YTD 2023/24	September 2023	September 2024	Current Month Variance	Current Month % Change
Fosters Total	4,081	4,081	7,132	452	591	139	31%
Dogs	2,473	2,473	4,511	242	287	45	19%
Cats	1,608	1,608	2,621	210	304	94	45%
SHELTER ACTIVITY							
INTAKES	Fiscal Year End 2022/23	Fiscal YTD 2022/23	Fiscal YTD 2023/24	September 2023	September 2024	Current Month Variance	Current Month % Change
Shelter Intakes	12,143	12,143	14,880	1,088	1,432	344	32%
Lost Dog Intakes	5,966	5,966	6,266	539	560	21	4%
Dog Owner Surrender Intakes	2,238	2,238	2,925	150	217	67	45%
**Dog Other Intakes	240	240	274	27	28	1	4%
Lost Cat Intakes	2,344	2,344	3,187	236	331	95	40%
Cat Owner Surrender Intakes	1,147	1,147	1,412	119	136	17	14%
**Cat Other Intakes	41	41	603	2	148	146	7300%
Other (wildlife, livestock, exotic)	167	167	213	15	12	-3	-20%
Field Intakes	12,395	12,395	13,753	875	886	11	1%
Lost Dog Intakes	5,302	5,302	7,093	563	543	-20	-4%
Dog Owner Surrender Intakes	971	971	1,133	75	87	12	16%
**Dog Other Intakes	1,040	1,040	1,206	86	77	-9	-10%
Lost Cat Intakes	909	909	1,297	87	130	43	49%
Cat Owner Surrender Intakes	120	120	171	10	8	-2	-20%
**Cat Other Intakes	97	97	115	10	5	-5	-50%
Other (wildlife, livestock, exotic)	3,956	3,956	2,738	44	36	-8	-18%
Dog Intake Totals	15,757	15,757	18,897	1,440	1,512	72	5%
Cat Intake Totals	4,658	4,658	6,785	464	758	294	63%
Other Total Intakes	4,123	4,123	2,951	59	48	-11	-19%
INTAKE Totals	24,538	24,538	28,633	1,963	2,318	355	18%
OUTCOMES	Fiscal Year End 2022/23	Fiscal YTD 2022/23	Fiscal YTD 2023/24	September 2023	September 2024	Current Month Variance	Current Month % Change
Adoptions	8,869	8,869	11,679	775	1,003	228	29%
Dog	6,531	6,531	8,342	547	667	120	22%
Cat	2,142	2,142	3,153	223	330	107	48%
Other	196	196	184	5	6	1	20%
Total Return-to-Homes	2,856	2,856	3,674	253	283	30	12%
Dog - Field	694	694	1,118	53	90	37	70%
Dog - Shelter	2,038	2,038	2,415	179	181	2	1%
Dog Return-to-Home Subtotals	2,732	2,732	3,533	232	271	39	17%
Cat	112	112	127	20	12	-8	-40%
Other	12	12	14	1	0	-1	-100%
Cat and Others Return-to-Home Subtotals	124	124	141	21	12	-9	-43%
Rescue Partner Transfer	3,425	3,425	5,208	409	549	140	34%
Dogs	2,437	2,437	4,080	320	439	119	37%
Cat	949	949	1,111	77	109	32	42%
Other	39	39	17	12	1	-11	-92%
Wildlife Release	301	301	331	17	9	-8	-47%
Trap-Neuter-Return(TNR)	N/A	N/A	348	N/A	88	N/A	N/A
Shelter-Neuter-Return(SNR)	173	173	113	17	3	-14	-82%
Euthanized	7,709	7,709	5,872	482	289	-193	-40%
Dog	3,380	3,380	2,448	207	152	-55	-27%
Cat	801	801	1,162	74	109	35	47%
Other	3,528	3,528	2,262	201	28	-173	-86%
Owner Requested Euthanasia	40	40	83	6	7	1	17%
Dog	33	33	79	4	6	2	50%
Cat	7	7	4	2	1	-1	-50%
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	N/A
Missing and Died In Care	471	471	845	73	72	-1	-1%
Dog	200	200	269	37	26	-11	-30%
Cat	224	224	430	28	45	17	61%
Other	47	47	146	8	1	-7	-88%
OUTCOME Totals	23,844	23,844	28,153	2,032	2,303	271	13%
Live Release Rate for Dogs	76.4%	76.4%	85.1%	81.6%	88.2%		
Live Release Rate for Cats	76.6%	76.6%	75.2%	76.4%	77.8%		
Live Release Rate all Animals	65.5%	65.5%	75.8%	72.4%	84.0%		
Live Release Rate Dogs+Cats	76.4%	76.4%	82.6%	80.3%	85.0%		

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.