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## ANIMAL SERVICES MONTHLY REPORT FOR OCTOBER 2015

## Program Highlights

- Volunteers donated approximately 2173 hours in October in the areas of animal care (including puppies, cats, general kennels and horses); administration needs; grooming; cleaning; socialization; dishes; Petco store cat adoptions; the linen cutting project, and several special events. There were 120 active volunteers in October. Of the 2173 original hours, 1155.25 hours were completed by regular KCAS volunteers, 254.25 hours were completed by employment preparation volunteers, 64.25 hours were completed by MAOF volunteers, 689.75 hours were completed by work release volunteers and, 9.5 hours were completed by one day volunteers. Total volunteer time equates to 13 staff members and the value given back to KCAS by current and new volunteers in all areas is $\$ 53,781.75$.
- The Marketing \& Promotions Associate responded to 12 media inquiries and requests providing information to the media on various topics such as field services including wildlife calls; spay/neuter resources; foster and volunteer needs, and the Howlin' For Homes! adoption event. Of those 12 contacts, 10 resulted in interviews or postings for newspaper, television and radio media outlets via video, newsprint on the news agency websites and papers and, on Facebook pages.
- The Rescue Team coordinated two transports; one to Northern California and another rescue that met our staff and transported dogs north to Washington. These transports resulted in 50 dogs finding their forever homes. In addition, rescue partners helped place 96 other animals for a grant total of 146 animals placed with rescue organizations in October.
- Our Foster Program continues to grow and save more lives. 48 new animals entered the foster care program during the month of October.
- Starting July 1, 2013, the Department implemented its first ever Trap-Neuter-Return (TNR) program for feral and free-roaming cats, joining thousands of other agencies across the country embracing TNR as the humane method to control the feral and freeroaming cat populations. The program has been extremely successful with 117 cats being spayed or neutered and returned to the areas where they were trapped in October. The total number of cats that have been altered since the beginning of the program is 3,620 .
- The Department hosted its fifth annual Howlin' for Homes! adoption promotion during the month of October. All dog adoptions were reduced to just $\$ 15$ and all cat adoptions were reduced to just $\$ 5$. The promotion was overwhelmingly supported by the community with an amazing 182 cat adoptions and 293 dog adoptions, which is an increase of approximately $23 \%$ in adoptions over the same time period as the previous year.
- KCAS hosted one successful low-cost vaccination, licensing and microchip clinic in Oildale (North Meadows Park). 132 licenses; 125 Rabies vaccinations; 81 DHPP vaccinations; 9 FVRCP vaccinations and, 64 free microchips were implanted during this vaccination clinic.
- The Department's Wednesday evening vaccination, licensing and microchipping clinics at the Fruitvale Shelter location in Bakersfield continued in October with 151 DHPP vaccinations; 34 FVRCP vaccinations; 153 Rabies vaccinations; 124 licenses and, 107 microchips issued during the four Wednesday evening clinics.
- We continue to provide free microchips for all pet owners both onsite at all three shelters and at our low-cost clinic locations. We have implanted a total of 10,347 microchips for Kern County residents since the program began on October 23, 2012.
- In October, the Department partnered with $2^{\text {nd }}$ District Kern County Supervisor Zack Scrivner to bring spay and neuter services to unincorporated residents in the East Kern areas. The first clinic was scheduled for the Mojave area and resulted in 12 dogs and 21 cats being spayed or neutered, for a total of 33 animals altered at this clinic. The second clinic day was scheduled for the Boron area and resulted in 12 dogs and 20 cats being spayed or neutered, for a total of 32 animals altered at this clinic. A low-cost vaccination, licensing and microchipping clinic was held in conjunction with these spay and neuter clinics for the residents of Mojave and Boron and resulted in 85 Rabies vaccinations, 68 DHPP vaccinations, 5 FVRCP vaccinations, 93 licenses and 49 microchips administered at these low-cost clinics. The Department will continue partnering with additional agencies and the Kern County Board of Supervisors to bring spay/neuter services to as many unincorporated residents as possible.


## Key Statistics

## INTAKES OCTOBER 2014 \& 2015

ALL JURISDICTIONS (All unincorporated areas of Kern County, City of Bakersfield \& City of Arvin)

| INTAKE TYPE | ADOPTION RETURN |  | QUARANTINE |  | SEIZURE |  | STRAY |  | OWNER SURRENDER |  | INTAKE TOTAL |  |
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| OCTOBER | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* |
| ANIMAL TYPE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CAT | 7 | 28 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 173 | 577 | 4783 | 29 | 278 | 624 | 5263 |
| DOG | 19 | 105 | 2 | 25 | 53 | 414 | 761 | 6721 | 104 | 1164 | 939 | 8429 |
| OTHER** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 127 | 7 | 157 | 0 | 21 | 10 | 305 |
| INTAKE TOTAL | 26 | 133 | 2 | 26 | 67 | 714 | 1345 | 11,661 | 133 | 1463 | 1573 | 13,997 |


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| OCTOBER | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* |
| ANIMAL TYPE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CAT | 6 | 64 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 139 | 447 | 4647 | 17 | 463 | 471 | 5316 |
| DOG | 25 | 160 | 6 | 46 | 52 | 425 | 573 | 6386 | 172 | 1181 | 828 | 8198 |
| OTHER** | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 90 | 4 | 207 | 4 | 21 | 18 | 320 |
| INTAKE TOTAL | 31 | 226 | 6 | 49 | 63 | 654 | 1024 | 11,240 | 193 | 1665 | 1317 | 13,834 |

CITY OF BAKERSFIELD

| INTAKE TYPE | ADOPTION RETURN |  | QUARANTINE |  | SEIZURE |  | STRAY |  | OWNER SURRENDER |  | INTAKE TOTAL |  |
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| OCTOBER | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* |
| ANIMAL TYPE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CAT | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 36 | 224 | 0 | 2 | 37 | 234 |
| DOG | 5 | 36 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 76 | 6 | 26 | 18 | 138 |
| OTHER** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| INTAKE TOTAL | 6 | 44 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 43 | 304 | 6 | 29 | 55 | 377 |


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| OCTOBER | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* |
| ANIMAL TYPE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CAT | 3 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 131 | 0 | 20 | 16 | 178 |
| DOG | 9 | 72 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 46 | 9 | 38 | 29 | 157 |
| OTHER** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| INTAKE TOTAL | 12 | 99 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 24 | 177 | 9 | 58 | 45 | 335 |

## COUNTY (All unincorporated areas of Kern County \& City of Arvin)

| INTAKE TYPE | ADOPTION RETURN |  | QUARANTINE |  | SEIZURE |  | STRAY |  | OWNER SURRENDER |  | INTAKE TOTAL |  |
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| OCTOBER | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* |
| ANIMAL TYPE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CAT | 6 | 20 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 173 | 541 | 4559 | 29 | 276 | 587 | 5029 |
| DOG | 14 | 69 | 2 | 25 | 53 | 414 | 754 | 6645 | 98 | 1138 | 921 | 8291 |
| OTHER** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 127 | 7 | 153 | 0 | 20 | 10 | 300 |
| INTAKE TOTAL | 20 | 89 | 2 | 26 | 67 | 714 | 1302 | 11,357 | 127 | 1434 | 1518 | 13,620 |


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| OCTOBER | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* |
| ANIMAL TYPE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CAT | 3 | 37 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 139 | 434 | 4516 | 17 | 443 | 455 | 5138 |
| DOG | 16 | 88 | 6 | 46 | 52 | 424 | 562 | 6340 | 163 | 1143 | 799 | 8041 |
| OTHER** | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 90 | 4 | 207 | 4 | 21 | 18 | 320 |
| INTAKE TOTAL | 19 | 127 | 6 | 49 | 63 | 653 | 1000 | 11,063 | 184 | 1607 | 1272 | 13,499 |

## INTAKES BY JURISDICTION

| Arvin City | 42 | $3.2 \%$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bakersfield City | 45 | $3.4 \%$ |
| County | 1230 | $93.4 \%$ |
| Total | 1317 | $100 \%$ |

## OUTCOMES OCTOBER 2014 \& 2015

ALL JURISDICTIONS (All unincorporated areas of Kern County, City of Bakersfield \& City of Arvin)

| OUTCOME TYPE | ADOPTION |  | RESCUE |  | RTO |  | EUTHANIZED |  | TRANSFER |  | TNR |  | MISC* |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { OUTCOME } \\ \text { TOTAL } \end{gathered}$ |  |
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| OCTOBER | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* |
| ANIMAL TYPE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CAT | 148 | 767 | 4 | 350 | 2 | 12 | 249 | 2026 | 0 | 5 | 230 | 1634 | 39 | 394 | 672 | 5188 |
| DOG | 239 | 1666 | 149 | 1614 | 62 | 529 | 437 | 3988 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 55 | 539 | 943 | 8347 |
| OTHER* | 2 | 102 | 0 | 31 | 3 | 13 | 1 | 110 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 43 | 7 | 310 |
| OUTCOME TOTAL | 389 | 2535 | 153 | 1995 | 67 | 554 | 687 | 6124 | 1 | 27 | 230 | 1634 | 95 | 976 | 1622 | 13,845 |


| OUTCOME TYPE | ADOPTION |  | RESCUE |  | RTO |  | EUTHANIZED |  | TRANSFER |  | TNR |  | MISC* |  | OUTCOME TOTAL |  |
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| OCTOBER | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* |
| ANIMAL TYPE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CAT | 182 | 1074 | 1 | 299 | 2 | 25 | 206 | 2378 | 0 | 0 | 117 | 1068 | 27 | 345 | 535 | 5189 |
| DOG | 293 | 2083 | 144 | 1622 | 80 | 604 | 282 | 3450 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 47 | 468 | 846 | 8230 |
| OTHER* | 5 | 106 | 1 | 23 | 1 | 14 | 3 | 80 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 90 | 11 | 315 |
| OUTCOME TOTAL | 480 | 3263 | 146 | 1944 | 83 | 643 | 491 | 5908 | 0 | 5 | 117 | 1068 | 75 | 903 | 1392 | 13,734 |


| ADOPTION |  | RESCUE |  | RTO |  | EUTHANIZED |  | TRANSFER |  | TNR |  | MISC. |  |
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| 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 |
| $24 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $9.4 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $4.1 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $42.4 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $0 \%$ | $0 \%$ | $14.2 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $5.9 \%$ | $5 \%$ |

MISC* = died, disposal, escaped, missing, unknown, theft
YTD* $=$ calendar year
OTHER* $=$ mammal, bird, reptile, livestock, fish, rodent

## CITY OF BAKERSFIELD

| OUTCOME TYPE | ADOPTION |  | RESCUE |  | RTO |  | EUTHANIZED |  | TRANSFER |  | TNR |  | MISC* |  | OUTCOME TOTAL |  |
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| OCTOBER | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* |
| ANIMAL TYPE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CAT | 8 | 23 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 31 | 164 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 32 | 2 | 13 | 43 | 237 |
| DOG | 11 | 39 | 2 | 27 | 1 | 16 | 3 | 42 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 16 | 19 | 140 |
| OTHER* | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 5 |
| OUTCOME TOTAL | 19 | 63 | 2 | 32 | 1 | 16 | 34 | 206 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 32 | 4 | 31 | 62 | 382 |


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| OCTOBER | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* |
| ANIMAL TYPE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CAT | 23 | 146 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 95 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 8 | 27 | 264 |
| DOG | 16 | 86 | 9 | 39 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 30 | 181 |
| OTHER* | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| OUTCOME TOTAL | 39 | 232 | 10 | 47 | 1 | 8 | 6 | 140 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 11 | 57 | 445 |


| ADOPTION |  | RESCUE |  | RTO |  | EUTHANIZED |  | TRANSFER |  | TNR |  | MISC. |  |
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| 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 |
| $31 \%$ | $68.4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $17.5 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1.8 \%$ | $55 \%$ | $10.5 \%$ | $0 \%$ | $0 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $0 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $1.8 \%$ |

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| OCTOBER | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* | 2014 | YTD* |
| ANIMAL TYPE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CAT | 140 | 744 | 4 | 345 | 2 | 12 | 218 | 1862 | 0 | 5 | 228 | 1602 | 37 | 381 | 629 | 4951 |
| DOG | 228 | 1627 | 147 | 1587 | 61 | 513 | 434 | 3946 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 53 | 523 | 924 | 8207 |
| OTHER* | 2 | 101 | 0 | 31 | 3 | 13 | 1 | 110 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 41 | 7 | 305 |
| OUTCOME TOTAL | 370 | 2472 | 151 | 1963 | 66 | 538 | 653 | 5918 | 1 | 25 | 228 | 1602 | 91 | 945 | 1560 | 13,463 |


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| OCTOBER | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* | 2015 | YTD* |
| ANIMAL TYPE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CAT | 159 | 928 | 0 | 291 | 2 | 25 | 203 | 2283 | 0 | 0 | 117 | 1061 | 27 | 337 | 508 | 4925 |
| DOG | 277 | 1997 | 135 | 1583 | 79 | 596 | 279 | 3405 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 46 | 465 | 816 | 8049 |
| OTHER* | 5 | 106 | 1 | 23 | 1 | 14 | 3 | 80 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 90 | 11 | 315 |
| OUTCOME TOTAL | 441 | 3031 | 136 | 1897 | 82 | 635 | 485 | 5768 | 0 | 5 | 117 | 1061 | 74 | 892 | 1335 | 13,289 |


| ADOPTION |  | RESCUE |  | RTO |  | EUTHANIZED |  | TRANSFER |  | TNR |  | MISC. |  |
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| 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 | 2015 | 2014 |  |
| $23.7 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $9.7 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $4.2 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $41.9 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $0 \%$ | $0 \%$ | $14.6 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $5.9 \%$ |  |

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YTD* = calendar year
OTHER* $=$ mammal, bird, reptile, livestock,
fish, rodent

EUTHANASIA TYPES ALL JURISDICTIONS - All unincorporated areas of Kern County, City of Bakersfield \& City of Arvin

| EUTHANASIA TYPE | OCTOBER 2015 |
| :---: | :---: |
| HUMANE/NOT ADOPTABLE | 207 (42\%) |
| TEMPERAMENT (Behavior History, Fail SAFER, Feral) | 68 (14\%) |
| MEDICAL ISSUES (Injury, Irremediably Suffering in Field, Medical <br> Advice, Symptom URI, Exposed to URI, URI, Exposed to <br> Distemper, Exposed to Parvo, Parvo, Possible Distemper) | $108(\mathbf{2 2 \%})$ |
| TOO YOUNG TO SURVIVE ON OWN (Nursing without a mother) | $\mathbf{1 0 8 ( 2 2 \% )}$ |
| TYPE TOTAL | 491 |


| FIELD SERVICES - OCTOBER 2015 | 6 |
| :---: | :---: |
| RETURN TO OWNER |  |
| FIELD SERVICES - OCTOBER 2015 |  |
| SECURED ON PROPERTY | 55 |

## Volunteer Hours for October 2015



## Type of Volunteer Work Performed

 October 2015```
\square Direct Animal Care
■ PETCO
\squareClinics
\square Linen Cutting Project
■ Orientation
■ Office/PEET Administration
Training
\squareGrooming
Socialization
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