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ANIMAL CONTROL DIVISION MONTHLY REPORT FOR MAY 2010

Program Highlights

- Volunteers donated approximately 324.5 hours in the areas of veterinary medical care, shelter office support, adoption center assistance, exercising, grooming, and off-site adoptions. Three off-site events were held this month and accounted for 107 of the 324.5 hours of volunteer time. Five dogs were adopted out as a result of these three events.
- The Director, the Marking and Promotions Specialist and Public Health's Health Promotion staff participated in a news conference arranged by the Jason Debus Heigl Foundation in Hollywood, California. The news conference informed people of the animal abuse case that occurred in Kern County as well as addressing animal abuse problems in general.
- The suspect in the abuse case of the Pit bull named England was arraigned in Kern County Superior Court. He is scheduled for a Pre-Trial conference in July. The suspect in an animal cruelty case in Frazier Park is set for trial on 23 animal cruelty counts in July.
- The Marketing & Promotions Associate was a guest on the Scott Cox Show, broadcasted on KERN 1180AM. Topics discussed included, responsible pet ownership; hot weather do's and don'ts; importance of spaying/neutering pets and how to adopt a pet from the shelter.
- The Division was represented at the GET Bus Employee Health Fair by the Marketing & Promotions Associate and a KCAC volunteer. Employees received information about responsible pet ownership; spay/neuter options in the County; keeping pets healthy and disaster preparedness for pets.
- **The new Public Education and Enforcement Team personnel completed their fifth full month of canvassing in the unincorporated area of the county.**
 - 1056 properties were surveyed.
 - 370 Courtesy Notices were issued for dogs not having a current rabies vaccination or current dog license.
 - 2593 new dog licenses have been attributed to the PEET Program since January 1, 2010.

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• **Key Statistics**

INTAKES MAY 2010

ALL JURISDICTIONS

INTAKES	ADOPTION RETURN		QUARENTINE		SEIZURE		STRAY		OWNER SURENDER		INTAKE TOTAL	
	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10
MAY												
ANIMAL TYPE												
CAT	3	0	0	1	1	9	1735	1529	99	162	1,838	1,701
DOG	6	4	3	5	50	27	1182	1183	183	189	1,424	1,408
OTHER **	0	0	0	0	1	0	21	0	11	0	33	0
INTAKE TOTAL	9	4	3	6	52	36	2938	2712	293	351	3,295	3,109

CITY OF BAKERSFIELD

INTAKES	ADOPTION RETURN		QUARENTINE		SEIZURE		STRAY		OWNER SURENDER		INTAKE TOTAL	
	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10
MAY												
ANIMAL TYPE												
CAT	1	1	0	0	0	3	753	720	38	7	792	731
DOG	0	4	0	0	19	13	490	544	55	83	564	644
OTHER **	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	2	0	0	7	2
INTAKE TOTAL	1	5	0	0	19	16	1,250	1,266	93	90	1,363	1,377

INTAKES BY JURISDICTION

County	1657	53%
Bakersfield City	1377	44%
Arvin City	75	3%
Total	3109	100%

OUTCOMES MAY 2010

ALL JURISDICTIONS

OUTCOME TYPE	ADOPTION		RESCUE		RTO		EUTHANIZED		TRANSFER		MISC.*		OUTCOME TOTAL	
	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10	08-09	09-10
MAY														
ANIMAL TYPE														
CAT	74	58	105	66	4	10	1473	1299	2	146	59	39	1,717	1,618
DOG	221	171	278	454	129	80	596	621	130	88	19	11	1,373	1,425
OTHER **	1	2	3	0	0	1	19	2	0	0	3	0	26	5
OUTCOME TOTAL	296	231	386	520	133	91	2088	1922	132	234	81	50	3,116	3,048

MISC* = foster, died, disposal, escaped, missing, unknown
 OTHER** = mammal, bird, reptile, livestock

86% 80% CATS
43% 44% DOGS

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9%	8%	12%	17%	4%	3%	67%	63%	4%	8%	3%	2%

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MAY														
ANIMAL TYPE														
CAT	28	25	44	22	1	7	611	622	1	10	21	31	706	707
DOG	70	73	100	213	66	39	218	279	66	57	8	5	531	666
OTHER**	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	5	0
OUTCOME TOTAL	98	98	144	235	67	46	833	901	67	67	35	36	1242	1373

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 OTHER** = mammal, bird, reptile, livestock 41% 42% DOGS

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2010 Medical Evaluations Classification

Month	MTA*	Local Vet	Emergency-Injury Off Truck			Non Emergency Evaluation (Vet Exam)			Recheck	Pre-Sx	KWT**	Spay	Neuter	Minor Sx	Total
			ACO/KC	ACO/BC	ACW	ACO/KC	ACO/BC	ACW							
Jan	505		4	1	38	27	6	218	39	18	75	5	8		944
Feb	438		4		185	37	6	103	23	49	76	5	39		965
Mar	600		7	2	111	28	9	167	33	20	71	45	57	1	1151
Apr	413		11		170	18	4	179	34	8	49	88	80	2	1056
May	522		12	1	162	21	7	108	41	1	42	118	104		1139
TOTAL	2478	0	38	4	666	131	32	775	170	96	313	261	288		5255

***Move to Adoption (MTA) Exams Include:**

1. Physical Screening Exam
2. Prophylactic deworming for roundworms
3. Flea/tick spray "Frontline" applied (non pesticide)
4. I.D. of congenital abnormalities, age, previous spay or neuter, etc.

ACO/KC Animal Control Officer - Kern County
ACO/BC Animal Control Officer - Bakersfield City
ACW Animal Care Worker - Shelter
MTA * Move to Adoption Exams
KWT** Kennel Walk Through

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