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ANIMAL CONTROL DIVISION MONTHLY REPORT FOR OCTOBER 2010

Program Highlights

- Volunteers donated approximately 268.8 hours in the areas of veterinary medical care, shelter office support, adoption center assistance, exercising, grooming, and off-site adoptions at Petco. Two off-site events were held this month and accounted for 44.5 hours of the 268.8 total volunteer hours. Two dogs were adopted out as a result of the event.
- The Marketing & Promotions Associate participated in an off-site adoption event at Tractor Supply Company. During this event several dogs were showcased and information about animal control, responsible pet ownership, importance of spaying/neutering companion animals and vaccination and licensing requirements for dogs was presented.
- The division was pleased to host and be part of the first ever Pet Adoption Festival. The event was held to promote the wonderful animals available for adoption in local shelters and promote community collaboration. The public was invited to attend and learn more about the many animal related organizations and businesses in the community. The division had a very successful day with a total of 66 animals adopted (53 dogs and 13 cats). The mobile unit was used to provide a safe area for cats and puppies to be viewed by the public. Over 20 volunteers assisted the division with customer service and dog walking that day. More collaborative events are being planned for the future. The division would like to extend a special thank you to the 2010 sponsors: Friends of the Kern County Animal Shelters Foundation, Azteca 42 & KERO ABC 23 and the Kern County Public Health Services Department.
- The division was also a participant at the Responsible Dog Ownership Day hosted by the Responsible Dog Owners of Kern County and Anderson Akers. The mobile unit was also utilized during this event and 10 dogs were adopted out during this special event. 10 volunteers assisted with dog walking and customer service and, 48 DHPP vaccinations were provided to the public at a reduced cost to help protect the public's dogs against distemper and parvo. Over 100 Rabies vaccinations and licenses were also administered to the public during this event. Information regarding responsible pet ownership, importance of spaying and neutering, licensing and vaccinations as well as animal control operations was made available to the public by staff and volunteers.

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- The Marketing & Promotions Associate was a guest on the recent *To Your Health* program. This segment featured information on the importance of keeping pets healthy by staying up-to-date on regular vaccinations and proper care through grooming, nutrition, exercise and love.
- Three successful low cost rabies clinics were held in Bakersfield. Over four hundred and forty (440) people purchased dog licenses and had their dogs vaccinated for rabies at these clinics.
- **The new Public Education and Enforcement Team personnel completed their eighth full month of canvassing in the unincorporated area of the county.**
 - 826 properties were surveyed.
 - 371 Courtesy Notices were issued for dogs not having a current rabies vaccination or current dog license.
 - 4673 new dog licenses have been attributed to the PEET Program since January 1, 2010.
 - 29% of all dog licenses issued since January 2010 have been attributed to PEET.

- **Key Statistics**

INTAKES OCTOBER 2010

ALL JURISDICTIONS

INTAKES	ADOPTION RETURN		QUARENTINE		SEIZURE		STRAY		OWNER SURENDER		INTAKE TOTAL	
	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11
OCTOBER												
ANIMAL TYPE												
CAT	2	3	1	1	12	0	1210	871	37	53	1262	928
DOG	6	9	1	1	46	24	1418	1440	152	184	1623	1658
OTHER **	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	7	0	2	8	9
INTAKE TOTAL	8	12	2	2	58	24	2636	2318	189	239	2893	2595

CITY OF BAKERSFIELD

INTAKES	ADOPTION RETURN		QUARENTINE		SEIZURE		STRAY		OWNER SURENDER		INTAKE TOTAL	
	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11
OCTOBER												
ANIMAL TYPE												
CAT	1	3	0	1	0	0	438	427	12	23	451	454
DOG	2	4	1	0	10	2	449	650	55	91	517	747
OTHER **	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	2	3	4
INTAKE TOTAL	3	7	1	1	10	2	890	1079	67	116	971	1205

INTAKES BY JURISDICTION

Arvin City	66	3%
Bakersfield City	1205	46%
County	1324	51%
Total	2595	100%

OUTCOMES OCTOBER 2010

ALL JURISDICTIONS

OUTCOME TYPE	ADOPTION		RESCUE		RTO		EUTHANIZED		TRANSFER		MISC.*		OUTCOME TOTAL	
	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11
OCTOBER														
ANIMAL TYPE														
CAT	54	100	47	21	6	5	1106	778	0	1	28	16	1241	921
DOG	226	212	426	238	107	121	608	1054	64	27	18	31	1449	1683
OTHER **	2	17	1	0	0	0	4	2	0	1	0	28	7	48
OUTCOME TOTAL	282	329	474	259	113	126	1718	1834	64	29	46	75	2697	2652

MISC* = foster, died, disposal, escaped, missing, unknown

OTHER** = mammal, bird, reptile, livestock

ADOPTION		RESCUE		RTO		EUTHANIZED		TRANSFER		MISC.*	
09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11
10%	12%	18%	10%	4%	5%	64%	69%	2%	1%	2%	3%

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	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11
OCTOBER														
ANIMAL TYPE														
CAT	5	39	11	12	2	2	416	387	0	0	6	5	440	445
DOG	58	85	155	99	36	63	183	485	23	12	2	11	457	755
OTHER **	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	3	3
OUTCOME TOTAL	63	126	166	111	38	65	602	872	23	13	8	16	900	1203

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09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11	09-10	10-11
7%	10%	18%	9%	4%	5%	67%	72%	3%	1%	1%	1%

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	0	944
Feb	438		4	0	185	37	6	103	23	49	76	5	39	0	965
Mar	600		7	2	111	28	9	167	33	20	71	45	57	1	1151
Apr	413		11	0	170	18	4	179	34	8	49	88	80	2	1056
May	522		12	1	162	21	7	108	41	1	42	118	104	0	1139
Jun	540		3	2	114	23	4	104	22	5	37	124	93	0	1071
July	535		2	1	108	39	6	138	45	5	61	89	76	0	1105
Aug	605		3	0	107	28	6	106	144	1	70	117	103	0	1290
Sep	579		0	6	112	20	10	121	42	0	150	104	91	0	1235
Oct	562		6	4	152	20	9	109	39	1	178	121	104	0	1305
Nov															0
Dec															0
TOTAL	5299	0	52	17	1259	261	67	1353	462	108	809	816	755	3	11261

***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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