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**ANIMAL CONTROL DIVISION MONTHLY REPORT FOR
JANUARY 2013**

Program Highlights

- Volunteers donated approximately 302.25 hours in January in the areas of shelter office support, adoption assistance, kennel cleaning and horse corral clean-up assistance.
- The Happy Kern Cats PetSmart Charities® Grant to fund free spaying/neutering of feral and free-roaming cats in the targeted 93306 area continued with one clinic date in January, altering 43 cats. The total for the 2nd year of the grant is 731 cats. Unfortunately, a second clinic date had to be canceled due to a medical emergency suffered by the contracted veterinarian. Staff is working to secure a make-up date for volunteers. Two dates have been scheduled for February.
- The Department was involved in several news making stories and interviews to help promote the good work accomplished by staff and volunteers. The Director provided several interviews to local media including information to ABC23 regarding how to adopt a pet from Kern County Animal Control, and how the community can assist the shelter through donations and volunteerism and, to KGET 17 and KERN Radio Newstalk 1180 on the increase in horses entering the shelter and how the community can assist by fostering and volunteering. An Animal Control Officer provided information to the local Univision station regarding why Kern County Animal Control is seeing an increase in horses entering the shelter, how much time, money and care is involved in owning a horse and how the community can help horses through donations and volunteering.
- Several Animal Control Officers participated in a criminal justice career fair hosted by Kaplan College. Information was presented to nearly 200 students regarding responsible pet ownership including the importance of spaying/neutering pets, general services provided by Kern County Animal Control and, what steps to take to eventually be hired in the animal welfare field.
- The Rescue Team made four trips to transport animals to Emeryville and San Diego during the month. Approximately 172 dogs found new homes due to the transports by rescue staff this month.
- Two successful low-cost vaccination, licensing and microchip clinics were held in Bakersfield (The Park at Riverwalk and North Beardsley Park). 176 licenses, 364 Rabies vaccinations, of which 172 were County and 192 were City, and 291 DHPP vaccinations were administered at these clinics. A total of 165 free microchips were implanted during these 2 vaccine 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 940 microchips for County and City residents since the program began on October 23, 2012.

Key Statistics

INTAKES JANUARY 2013

ALL JURISDICTIONS

INTAKE TYPE	ADOPTION RETURN			QUARANTINE			SEIZURE			STRAY			OWNER SURRENDER			INTAKE TOTAL			
	JANUARY	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2011	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*
ANIMAL TYPE																			
CAT	1	2	2	0	0	0	6	1	1	385	431	431	23	24	24	415	458	458	
DOG	3	18	18	4	2	2	216	32	32	1382	1648	1648	185	154	154	1790	1854	1854	
OTHER **	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	1	1	19	19	19	15	0	0	54	20	20	
INTAKE TOTAL	4	20	20	4	2	2	242	34	34	1786	2098	2098	223	178	178	2259	2332	2332	

CITY OF BAKERSFIELD

INTAKE TYPE	ADOPTION RETURN			QUARANTINE			SEIZURE			STRAY			OWNER SURRENDER			INTAKE TOTAL			
	JANUARY	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*
ANIMAL TYPE																			
CAT	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	173	207	207	18	15	15	192	223	223	
DOG	2	10	10	2	0	0	3	7	7	578	710	710	68	52	52	653	779	779	
OTHER **	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	11	7	7	14	0	0	26	8	8	
INTAKE TOTAL	2	11	11	2	0	0	5	8	8	762	924	924	100	67	67	871	1010	1010	

INTAKES BY JURISDICTION

Arvin City	41	2%
Bakersfield City	1010	43%
County	1281	55%
Total	2332	100%

OUTCOMES JANUARY 2013

ALL JURISDICTIONS

OUTCOME TYPE	ADOPTION			RESCUE			RTO			EUTHANIZED			TRANSFER			MISC.*			OUTCOME TOTAL		
	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*
JANUARY ANIMAL TYPE																					
CAT	34	53	53	33	14	14	1	5	5	255	271	271	1	0	0	49	85	85	373	428	428
DOG	134	201	201	378	366	366	100	89	89	776	964	964	15	1	1	106	148	148	1509	1769	1769
OTHER **	11	5	5	26	1	1	2	2	2	9	1	1	10	0	0	11	7	7	69	16	16
OUTCOME TOTAL	179	259	259	437	381	381	103	96	96	1040	1236	1236	26	1	1	166	240	240	1951	2213	2213

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

YTD* = calendar year

OTHER** = mammal, bird, reptile, livestock

ADOPTION		RESCUE		RTO		EUTHANIZED		TRANSFER		MISC.*	
2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013
10%	12%	22%	17%	5%	4%	53%	56%	1%	0%	9%	11%

CITY OF BAKERSFIELD

OUTCOME TYPE	ADOPTION			RESCUE			RTO			EUTHANIZED			TRANSFER			MISC*			OUTCOME TOTAL		
	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*	2012	2013	YTD*
JANUARY ANIMAL TYPE																					
CAT	4	18	18	12	9	9	2	3	3	112	116	116	3	0	0	25	67	67	158	213	213
DOG	52	69	69	82	141	141	48	37	37	223	387	387	0	1	1	46	89	89	451	724	724
OTHER **	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	1	0	0	0	4	6	6	8	8	8
OUTCOME TOTAL	56	88	88	94	150	150	50	40	40	339	504	504	3	1	1	75	162	162	617	945	945

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ADOPTION		RESCUE		RTO		EUTHANIZED		TRANSFER		MISC.*	
2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013
9%	9%	15%	16%	8%	5%	55%	53%	1%	0%	12%	17%

EUTHANASIA TYPES ALL JURISDICTIONS

EUTHANASIA TYPE	JANUARY 2013
HUMANE/NOT ADOPTABLE	403 (32%)
TEMPERAMENT (Behavior History, Fail SAFER, Feral)	164 (13%)
MEDICAL ISSUES (Injury, Irremediably Suffering in Field, Medical Advice, Symptom URI, Exposed to URI, URI, Exposed to Distemper, Exposed to Parvo, Parvo, Possible Distemper)	612 (50%)
TOO YOUNG TO SURVIVE ON OWN (Nursing without a mother)	57 (5%)
TYPE TOTAL	1236

2013 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	36	0	6	0	92	32	7	277	67	26	120	0	0	0	663
Feb															
Mar															
Apr															
May															
Jun															
July															
Aug															
Sep															
Oct															
Nov															
Dec															
TOTAL	36	0	6	0	92	32	7	277	67	26	120	0	0	0	663

***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