# Whitman County Humane Society Annual Report 2021 Submitted by Annie Lindsey

### **Outcomes**

Adoptions: 497 animals
277 (2-4mo) kits, 7 (5-6mo) kits, 81 adult cats,
46 (2-4mo) pups, 4 (5-6mo) pups, 59 adult dogs
22 rats, 1 hamster

#### **Died in Care**:

15 (0-4mo) kits, 1 adult cat 3 (2-4mo) pups

Euthanized: 5(2-4mo) kits, 1 adult cat

**Transfers (Out)**: 14 cats, 2 dogs

#### RTOs (Return to Owners):

4 cats, 60 dogs, 1 rabbit

Microchip to Public: 5 cats, 14 dogs

## **Intakes**

# 430 felines, 190 canines Owner Surrenders:

188 (2-4mo)kits, 8 (5-6mo) kits, 67 adult cats 43 (2-4mo) pups, 22 adult dogs 2 rats

#### Transfers (In):

17 (2-4mo) kits, 6 (5-6mo) kits, 8 adult cats 7 (2-4mo) puppies, 17 adult dogs

Returns: 6 felines, 9 dogs

**Seized/Custody:** 19 felines, 1 dog, 1 rat

#### Strays:

80 (2-4mo)kits, 2 (5-6mo) kits, 26 adult cats 3 (2-4mo) puppies, 3108 (5-6mo) puppies, 71 adult dogs 1 rabbit, 1 hamster

### **Animals Impounded:**

Pullman Police: 26 animals Pullman ACO's: 53 Citizen: 98 animals

# Length of Stay 2021

**Feline Average:** 29.1 days (Includes all days in foster too) **0-6mo:** 32.7 days

**7+mo:** 20.4 days

Canine Average: 17.9 days **0-6mo:** 39.8 days

**7+mo:** 9.5 days

Exotic Average: 137 days

(rats from 2020 heavily imapacting this)

All Animal Average: 29.6 days

## **Shelter Volunteers**

<u>Hours Logged</u>: 2,336 Hours Up from 2020 (2175 hours)

-Moved to online sign ups for orientation and

shifts

-Introduced suggestions box and feedback surveys

-Worked with Volunteer Program Assessment to improve our program:

- 1. Our volunteers feel appreciated, like they're time at shelter is impactful
- 2. Volunteers wanted to see improvements with busy work and being able to share their opinions

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Albion: 17F/11C Surr, 4F/1C Stray, 23F Seized

Colfax: 28F/4C Surr, 3F/4C Stray

Endicott: 3F Surr

Garfield: 1F/1C Surr, 3C Stray

Lacrosse: 26F Surr Malden: 4F Surr Oakesdale: 8F Surr

Palouse: 18F/8C Surr, 7F/3C Stray

Pullman: 83F/26C Surr, 83F/77C Stray, 1F/1C Seized

Rosalia: 25F/1C Surr, 1F Stray

Saint John: 3F Surr Steptoe: 5F Stray Uniontown: 4F Surr

Unincorporated County: 6 Feline Surr. 2 Canine Stray.

# **Outside of Whitman County**

Grant County: 14F Transfer
Adams County: 11C Transfer
Latah County: 14F/10C Surr, 2F Stray
Nez Perce County: 5F/10C Surr, 4F/7C Transfer

Clearwater County: 1F Stray
Spokane County: 11F/2C Surr

Texas: 4C Transfer

### Misc.

- 42% of feline intakes were automatically sent to foster (under 2mo old)
- 3-4% feline RTO
- 77% canine RTO
- 2% animals returned after adoption
- 6 dogs, 2 cats Hope Fund Animals
- 20 animals born in care

## **Foster Volunteers**

In Foster: 12,260 Hours

-Acquired a foster cell phone to improve communication and relieve stress on staff -started Pawliday foster program - very successful!

## **Common Surrender Reasons**

Abandoned by Owner 9F/2C
Aggression to Animals 2F/11C
Cannot Afford 24F/3C
Found - Cannot Keep 40F/8C
Health of Owner 8F/2C
Moving: 14F/23C

Too Many Animals: 123F/3C
Unwanted Litter from Pet: 8F/19C

## **Live Release Rate**

625 total intakes 25 total deaths

96% Live Release