



Multnomah County Animal Services July 2019 Monthly Report

The Multnomah County Animal Shelter (MCAS) accepted 679 animals in July 2019. The majority of intakes were stray and impounded animals. Dogs and cats were the most commonly accepted animals.

Animal Intakes by Intake Type

Intake Type	Count	Percent
Stray animals brought in by a member of the public	331	49%
Impound animals brought in by a field officer	216	32%
Dead on arrival <i>Primarily non-domesticated animals; The same number of animals is listed as "Dead on arrival" in the "Animal Releases by Outcome Type" table</i>	71	10%
Owner surrender	23	3%
Shelter offspring <i>Animals born to animals while in care, usually kittens</i>	19	3%
Return of adopted animal	15	2%
Other (less than 1% each)	4	1%
Total	679	100%

Animal Intakes by Animal Type

Animal Type	Count	Percent
Dogs	200	29%
Kittens	187	28%
Cats	175	26%
Other mammals <i>Examples: squirrels, rabbits</i>	29	4%
Rabbits	25	4%
Birds (wildlife) <i>Examples: pigeons, owls</i>	22	3%
Puppies	18	3%
Marsupials <i>Example: opossums</i>	10	1%
Other (less than 1% each)	8	1%
Guinea pigs	5	1%
Total	679	100%



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The Multnomah County Animal Shelter released 651 animals. The majority of these animals were adopted, transferred to another agency, or reclaimed. Dogs and cats were the most commonly released animals.

Animal Releases by Outcome Type

Outcome Type	Count	Percent
Adopted	187	29%
Transferred to another agency	170	26%
Reclaimed/returned to owner	157	24%
Dead on arrival <i>Primarily non-domesticated animals; The same number of animals is listed as "Dead on arrival" in the "Animal Intakes by Intake Type" table</i>	71	11%
Euthanized <i>This number represents all animals under MCAS care that were euthanized. It does not necessarily represent the number of euthanasias that will be counted in our end-of-year Asilomar report.</i>	43	7%
Released to habitat <i>Non-domesticated animals released to their natural habitat after treatment</i>	17	3%
Other <i>(less than 1% each)</i>	6	1%
Total	651	100%

Animal Releases by Animal Type

Animal Type	Count	Percent
Dogs	214	33%
Kittens	174	27%
Cats	171	26%
Other mammals <i>Examples: squirrels, rabbits</i>	28	4%
Birds (wildlife) <i>Examples: pigeons, owls</i>	17	3%
Puppies	13	2%
Rabbits	11	2%
Marsupials <i>Example: opossums</i>	10	2%
Other <i>(less than 1% each)</i>	8	1%
Guinea pigs	5	1%
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Our field services officers responded to **880** calls.

Field Officer Calls by Type

Call Type	Count	Percent
Dead Animal Pickup	189	21%
Stray Animal	163	19%
Bite Investigation	104	12%
Suspected Cruelty / Neglect	103	12%
Other <i>(less than 2%)</i>	88	10%
Loose aggressive animal <i>Animals actively charging, attacking, or chasing people or animals</i>	75	9%
Injured Animal	44	5%
Freezer Pickup	28	3%
Loose nuisance animal <i>Animals that are frequently loose and/or causing nuisances</i>	27	3%
Animal In Distress	22	3%
Unattended Animal In Vehicle	19	2%
Abandoned Animal	18	2%
Total	880	100%

In addition, volunteers worked **10,028** hours - the equivalent of **58** full time staff members.