



Multnomah County Animal Services November 2018 Monthly Report

The Multnomah County Animal Shelter (MCAS) accepted **531** animals in November 2018. 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
Impound <i>Animals brought in by a field officer</i>	227	43%
Stray <i>Animals brought in by a member of the public</i>	204	38%
Owner surrender	28	5%
Return of adopted animal	10	2%
Other (less than 1% each)	3	1%
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>	59	11%
Total	531	100%

Animal Intakes by Animal Type

Animal Type	Count	Percent
Dogs	178	34%
Cats	141	27%
Kittens	83	16%
Fowl <i>Examples: chickens, ducks</i>	49	9%
Other mammals <i>Examples: squirrels, rabbits</i>	30	6%
Puppies	16	3%
Marsupials <i>Example: opossums</i>	11	2%
Birds (wildlife) <i>Examples: pigeons, owls</i>	9	2%
Rabbits	7	1%
Rodents <i>Examples: mice, rats, hamsters</i>	6	1%
Other (less than 1% each)	1	.2%
Total	531	100%



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The Multnomah County Animal Shelter released 528 animals. The majority of these animals were adopted, transferred to another agency for care, or reclaimed. Dogs and cats were the most commonly released animals.

Animal Releases by Outcome Type

Outcome Type	Count	Percent
Adopted	210	40%
Transferred to another agency	114	22%
Reclaimed/returned to Owner	112	21%
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>	27	5%
Other (less than 1% each)	6	1%
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>	59	11%
Total	528	100%

Animal Releases by Animal Type

Animal Type	Count	Percent
Dogs	168	32%
Cats	139	26%
Kittens	108	20%
Fowl <i>Examples: chickens, ducks</i>	31	6%
Other mammals <i>Examples: squirrels, rabbits</i>	30	6%
Marsupials <i>Example: opossums</i>	11	2%
Puppies	10	2%
Birds (wildlife) <i>Examples: pigeons, owls</i>	8	2%
Rabbits	8	2%
Rodents <i>Examples: mice, rats, hamsters</i>	6	1%
Other (less than 1% each)	9	2%
Total	528	100%



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Our field services officers responded to **586** calls.

Field Officer Calls by Type

Call Type	Count	Percent
Dead animal	107	18%
Stray animal	103	18%
Suspected cruelty/neglect	65	11%
Loose aggressive animal <i>Animals actively charging, attacking, or chasing people or animals</i>	62	11%
Animal bite investigation	57	10%
Injured animal	36	6%
Other service call	29	5%
Facility inspection <i>For facilities such as breeders, boarders, pet shops, and animal rescues</i>	23	4%
Protective custody <i>Animals placed into MCAS care due to a cruelty investigation or emergency circumstances</i>	21	4%
Loose nuisance animal <i>Animals that are frequently loose and/or causing nuisances</i>	16	3%
Abandoned animal	14	2%
Animal loose in traffic	13	2%
Other (less than 2% each)	40	7%
Total	586	100%

Other Services Provided By MCAS Staff

Our veterinary staff conducted **177** spay and neuter surgeries.

Our customer service staff processed **3,481** pet licenses.

Our call center staff received **2,688** calls.

In addition, volunteers worked **7,815** hours - the equivalent of **45** full time staff members.