WITH YOUR SUPPORT...

Animal Humane Society continues to advance animal welfare and shape the way organizations care for animals and engage their communities.

In fiscal year 2019, we placed more than 93 percent of the animals entrusted to our care. Together we helped 21,356 animals find new homes and served thousands of Minnesota families through free and affordable programs for people and pets.

Adoption and Surrender

AHS helps thousands of dogs, cats, and critters in need find loving homes each year. AHS takes in every animal surrendered regardless of its health, age, breed, or behavior. This commitment to open admission guarantees shelter and care to thousands of animals that would otherwise have no safe refuge.

The success of Animal Humane Society’s shelter program is reflected in three key measures: the total number of animals admitted for rehoming, the percentage of animals with live placements (placement rate), and the average length of stay in shelter. AHS continues to achieve strong results across all three metrics.

| In the year ended June 30, 2019:                                                                 |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 22,585  ANIMALS ARRIVED AT AHS  | 18,684  ANIMALS ADOPTED | + 1,060  ANIMALS REUNITED WITH OWNERS |
| + 995  CATS RETURNED TO FIELD | + 617  ANIMALS TRANSFERRED TO PARTNER ORGANIZATIONS | 21,356  ANIMALS PLACED |

93.6% ANIMALS PLACED

9.3 DAYS AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY FOR ANIMALS IN SHELTER

| WE PLACED MORE THAN 93% OF THE ANIMALS IN OUR CARE |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 12,572  SPAY/NEUTER SURGERIES | 753  CATS AND DOGS ENROLLED IN BEHAVIOR PROGRAMS | 10,296  STERILIZED FOR PET OWNERS AND OTHER RESCUE GROUPS |
| 26,367  DIAGNOSED AND TREATED CONDITIONS |

Robust medical and behavioral programs contribute to this continued success:
EDUCATION
Our education programs foster humane values and compassion for animals through day camps, classroom programs, in-shelter tours, and other activities for kids and families.

STUDENTS IN CLASSROOM PROGRAMS: 955
CAMP PARTICIPANTS: 1,261
SHELTER AND COMMUNITY PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS: 7,989

Community Engagement
Animal Humane Society works with individuals and organizations across Minnesota to create a more humane world for animals.

OUTREACH
Our Community Outreach program aims to increase the overall health and well-being of animals by empowering people who live in under-engaged communities through education and resources.

- 9,132 FAMILIES SUPPORTED IN FROGTOWN AND EAST ST. PAUL
- 1,527 LOW-COST SPAY/NEUTER SURGERIES FOR PETS
- 1,554 PETS SERVED AT FREE WELLNESS CLINICS

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- 1,261 CAMP PARTICIPANTS
- 5,773 SHELTER AND COMMUNITY PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS

WILDLIFE
143 injured and orphaned wild animals received emergency care through a partnership with the Wildlife Rehabilitation Center of Minnesota.

COMMUNITY CATS
995 cats were served through our Community Cats program which focuses on reducing euthanasia and providing alternative solutions for feral and free-roaming cats through return-to-field and trap-neuter-return programs.

COMPANION ANIMAL INTAKE TOTAL: 22,585

COMPANION ANIMAL PLACEMENT TOTAL: 21,356

COMPANION ANIMAL EUTHANASIA TOTAL: 1,460

*All statistics are for the fiscal year 2021.

For more information about these statistics, please see animalhumanesociety.org/stats.
Pet Services

Animal Humane Society offers more than just adoption. Our programs serve all stages of an animal’s life.

VETERINARY CENTERS

AHS Veterinary Centers deliver low-cost spay/neuter, wellness, dental, and specialty veterinary services for pets of people in need at locations in Golden Valley and St. Paul.

10,296 SPAY/NEUTER SURGERIES
2,857 WELLNESS EXAMS AND PROCEDURES

TRAINING

We offer more than 100 family-friendly pet training classes each week, along with one-on-one training and socialization sessions, therapy animal courses, playgroups, and rabbit agility classes.

PET HELPLINE

Our free Pet Helpline (952-HELP-PET) provides caring, compassionate advice and resources to help people keep and care for their pets.

108,013 INCOMING CALLS

ANIMAL HOUSE PET BOARDING

We provide personalized, peace-of-mind boarding so pets feel at home at Animal House in Golden Valley.

1,655 PETS FROM 1,249 FAMILIES

END-OF-LIFE SERVICES

AHS provided compassionate end-of-life services, including owner-requested euthanasia for 2,408 pets and a weekly pet loss support group.

Humane Investigations

Our humane agents investigate possible animal cruelty or neglect throughout Minnesota.

From reports of individual animals lacking proper food, water, or shelter, to larger cases of aiding law enforcement agencies with on-site investigations and seizures, their work takes them across nearly every inch of the state.

1,640 REQUESTS FOR ASSISTANCE
437 FORMAL CASES
66 COUNTIES ASSISTED
5,735 ANIMALS IMPACTED

Critical Response Team

Our Critical Response Team provides specialized expertise to support humane cases that result in the seizure or surrender of animals. Last year, Animal Humane Society removed 583 animals from dangerous or unhealthy conditions.

Partnerships

Animal Humane Society proudly partners with rescue organizations to help even the most challenged animals get a second chance.

AHS works with rescue groups from other areas of the country where resources for animals are scarce and adoption rates are low.

Animals that experience high stress in shelter and display fearful behavior at AHS will often flourish with rescue groups that can provide a non-shelter environment.

59 LOCAL RESCUE PARTNERS ASSISTED AHS WITH 617 ANIMALS (ABOUT 3 PERCENT OF OUR TOTAL PLACEMENTS)

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Community Support
The support of donors, friends, and advocates makes our work possible.

VOLUNTEERS
2,242 ACTIVE VOLUNTEERS
143,893 VOLUNTEER HOURS
359 FOSTER VOLUNTEERS
1,928 ANIMALS FOSTERED

DONORS
46,056 INDIVIDUAL DONORS
$10.1 MILLION IN CONTRIBUTIONS
$3.4 MILLION IN BEQUESTS

ONLINE ENGAGEMENT
117,190 PET DISH SUBSCRIBERS
117,000 FACEBOOK FOLLOWERS
7,520 TWITTER FOLLOWERS
28,500 INSTAGRAM FOLLOWERS
15,000 YOUTUBE SUBSCRIBERS

More than 9,000 people and 3,000 pets attended the Walk for Animals on May 4, raising nearly $1 million to support AHS.

Financials

ANIMAL HUMANE SOCIETY
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
For the 12 months ended June 30, 2019

SUPPORT AND REVENUES
Adoption fees and program revenue 8,507,283
Contributions - Operating 9,419,033
Contributions - Capital Campaign 3,851,193
Wills and estates 3,398,998
In-kind contributions 738,116
Special events and promotions 993,091
Investment gain (loss) 31,155
Dividend and interest income 252,170
Gain (loss) on sale of assets (180,917)
Other 37,470
TOTAL SUPPORT AND REVENUES 27,047,592

EXPENSES
Program services:
- Rescue and outreach 3,048,216
- Adoption and surrender 11,817,863
- Pet services 1,054,174
Supporting services:
- Management and general 1,568,354
- Capital Campaign 760,980
- Fundraising 3,465,072
expenses combined. Animal Humane Society exceeded this standard by directing 73% of our expenses back into programming for the animals and our community.

The Minnesota Charities Review Council’s Standards of Accountability state that at least 70% of an organization’s annual expenses should be for program activity with not more than 30% for management, general, and fundraising expenses combined. Animal Humane Society exceeded this standard by directing 73% of our expenses back into programming for the animals and our community.
The mission of Animal Humane Society is to engage the hearts, hands, and minds of the community to help animals.

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AREA SERVED
Animal Humane Society serves animals and people in the seven-county metro area and beyond from its facilities in Anoka, Hennepin, Ramsey, and Washington counties. The Humane Investigations team serves all of Minnesota.