

**STANDARD MONTHLY STATISTICS:  
AUGUST 2011**

The following are the monthly statistics for the month of August 2011. For more detailed analysis and further interpretation of these statistics, please refer to our Monthly Report Guide, available on the reports page of our website or at <http://www.co.orange.nc.us/animalservices/documents/newmonthlyrptgeneral.pdf>.

**A. Overview Statistics**

***A.1 Demographics: August 2011***

	Animal Control		From Public		Total Incoming	Percent of Total
	Strays (1)	Surrender	Strays	Surrender		
Carrboro	0	0	15	3	<b>18</b>	4.7%
Chapel Hill	12	2	18	17	<b>49</b>	12.8%
Hillsborough	2	1	12	3	<b>18</b>	4.7%
Orange County	61	3	83	40	<b>187</b>	49.0%
Other County	0	0	17	1	<b>18</b>	4.7%
Unknown	0	0	83	9	<b>92</b>	24.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>382</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Strays	<b>303</b>	<b>79.3%</b>	Animal Control	<b>81</b>	<b>21.2%</b>	
Surrenders	<b>79</b>	<b>20.7%</b>	Public	<b>301</b>	<b>78.8%</b>	

(1) "Strays" under Animal Control Demographics also includes quarantined animals that have not been surrendered.

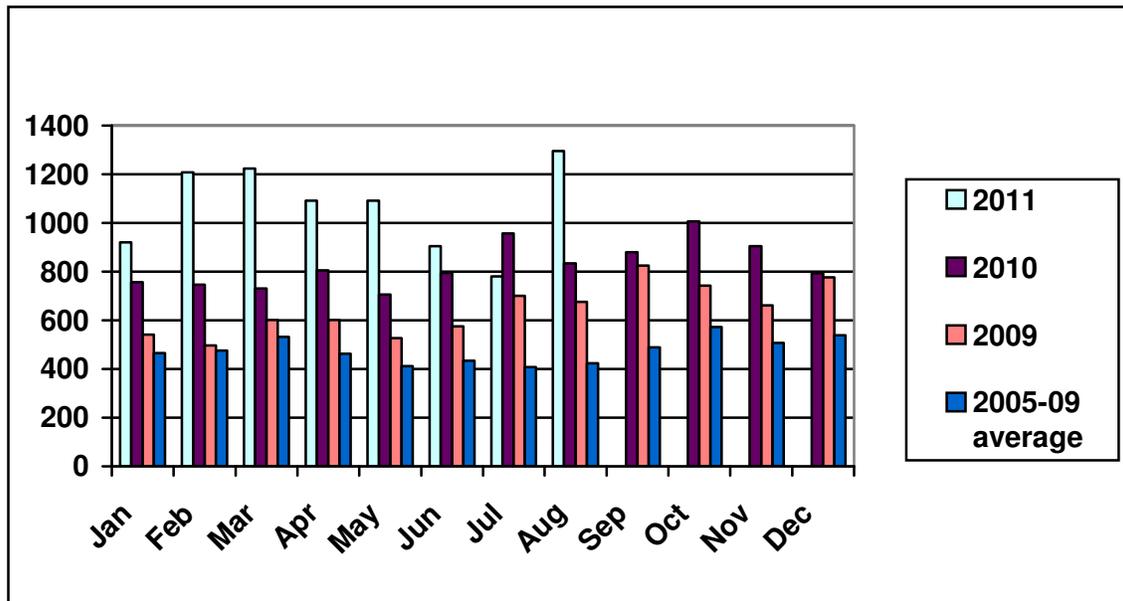
***A.2 Shelter Activity: August 2011***

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total
In Shelter Custody as of August 1, 2011	64	75	4	<b>143</b>
				<b>+</b>
Total Admitted August 2011	175	202	5	<b>382</b>
Sheltered in August 2011	239	277	9	<b>525</b>
				<b>-</b>
Dispositions for August 2011 (1)	170	188	8	<b>366</b>
Remaining in Shelter Custody on September 1, 2011 (2)	<b>69</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>159</b>

(1) Includes corrections to previous month

(2) Within Shelter: 69 dogs, 88 cats, 1 other  
In Foster Homes/ Pet Stores: 0 dog, 1 cat, 0 other

*A.3 Volunteer Hours: August 2011*



**B. Animal Sheltering Statistics**

*B.1 Total Dispositions: August 2011*

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total	% of Total Dispositions
Reclaimed	27	3	1	31	8.47%
Adopted	63	99	2	164	44.81%
Transferred (1)	14	4	3	21	5.74%
Euthanized	66	78	2	146	39.89%
Died	0	4	0	4	1.09%
Other	0	0	0	0	0.00%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

(1) Transferred to rescue organization

***B.2 Live Releases for Placeable and Recovered Animals: August 2011<sup>(1)</sup>***

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total	% of Total Dispositions
Reclaimed	27	3	1	31	9.23%
Adopted	63	99	2	164	48.81%
Transferred (2)	14	4	3	21	6.25%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>216</b>	<b>64.29%</b>

(1) Live Releases include all animals that are not euthanized, i.e., transfers to placement partners, returns to owners and custodians, and direct adoptions. The “live release rate” is calculated by dividing the live releases by the total number of *placeable* animals. To calculate placeable animals, we must remove the animals surrendered for euthanasia, feral cats, animals that arrive dead or die in our custody, bite quarantine animals, and animals that have been confiscated from the total number of animals dispositioned. For August, this number was 30, and removing these animals from the total number dispositioned leaves 336 “placeable” animals.

(2) Transferred to rescue organization

***B.3 Reasons for Euthanasia: August 2011***

	Dogs		Cats		Others	
		% of Total Euthanized By Reason		% of Total Euthanized By Reason		% of Total Euthanized By Reason
Behavioral (1)	22	33.33%	26	33.33%	0	0.00%
Feral	0	0.00%	12	15.38%	0	0.00%
Medical (2)	24	36.36%	34	43.59%	0	00.00%
Owner Request	3	4.55%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Time / Space	17	25.76%	6	7.69%	2	100.00%
Test	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

(1) “Behavioral” includes a wide range of behavioral issues that may prevent an animal from being available for adoption to the public. These issues vary widely between cats, dogs and other animals, and can include aggression, lack of socialization, severe kennel stress or other factors that make the animal a risk if placed back into the community.

(2) “Medical” includes a wide range of conditions and diseases that may prevent an animal from being available for adoption to the public due to unsound health. These conditions range in severity and differ greatly between cats, dog and other animals. Additionally, because we test animals for certain diseases as a standard protocol, these are often more easily identifiable and thus can be separated as a specific condition statistic. For example, the “Feline Leukemia” category above is listed separately, though it is a medical condition.

**C. Animal Control Statistics**

***C.1 Rabies Exposures Investigated and Positive Cases: August 2011***

	<b>Dogs</b>	<b>Cats</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Exposures Investigated</b>	1	0	17	<b>18</b>
<b>Tested Positive</b>	0	0	3	<b>3</b>

***C.2 Rabies Statistics: August 2011***

Total Rabies Exposures Jan 1- August 31, 2011: 8
Total Rabies Exposures Jan 1- August 31, 2010: 5

***C.3 Rabies Vaccinations: August 2011***

	<b>Dogs</b>	<b>Cats</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total</b>
Vaccinated at Shelter	53	56	0	<b>109</b>
Vaccinated at Vet Clinics	540	459	0	<b>999</b>
Vaccinated at Rabies Clinics	56	37	0	<b>93</b>
<b>Total Vaccinations</b>	<b>649</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1201</b>

***C.4 Year to Date Rabies Vaccination Clinic Numbers: August 2011***

<b>#</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Dogs</b>	<b>Cats</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Location</b>
1	2/17/11	86	72	158	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
2	3/17/11	83	45	128	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
3	4/21/11	88	27	115	Hillsborough (Public Market House)
4	5/19/11	45	44	89	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
5	6/11/11	40	28	68	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
6	7/21/11	61	34	95	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
7	8/18/11	56	37	93	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)