

**STANDARD MONTHLY STATISTICS:
OCTOBER 2011**

The following are the monthly statistics for the month of October 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: October 2011

	Animal Control		From Public		Total Incoming	Percent of Total
	Strays (1)	Surrender	Strays	Surrender		
Carrboro	2	0	6	8	16	5.4%
Chapel Hill	1	1	18	12	32	10.7%
Hillsborough	9	0	1	1	11	3.7%
Orange County	35	10	51	32	128	43.0%
Other County	0	0	16	15	31	10.4%
Unknown	0	0	79	1	80	26.8%
Total	47	11	171	69	298	100.0%
Strays	218	73.2%	Animal Control	58	19.5%	
Surrenders	80	26.8%	Public	240	80.5%	

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

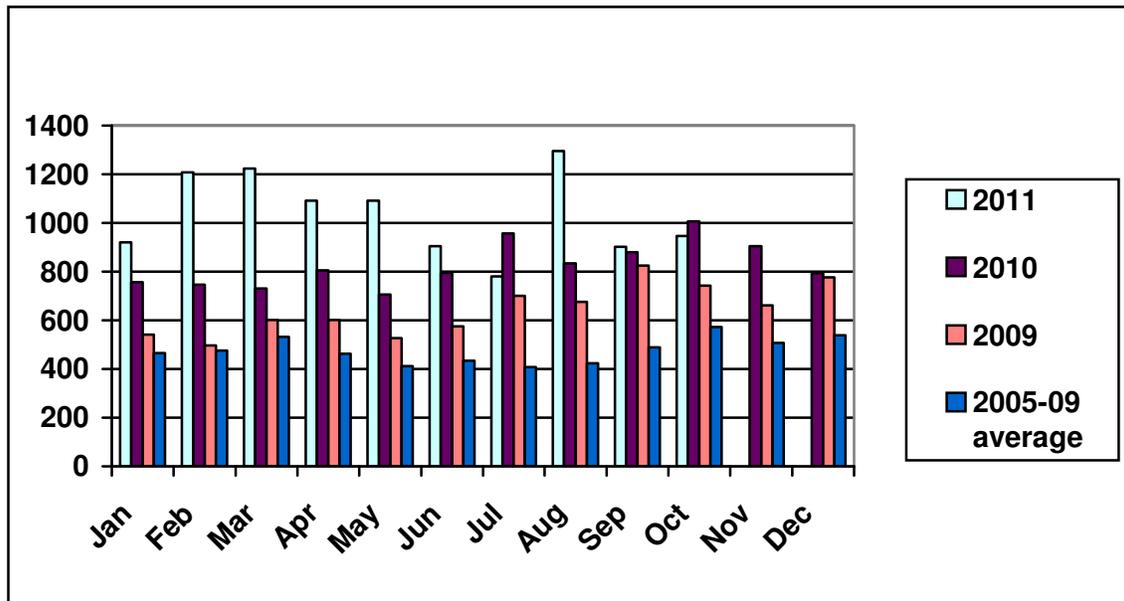
A.2 Shelter Activity: October 2011

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total
In Shelter Custody as of October 1, 2011	66	97	4	167
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Total Admitted October 2011	161	133	4	298
Sheltered in October 2011	227	230	8	465
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Dispositions for October 2011 (1)	194	143	7	344
Remaining in Shelter Custody on November 1, 2011 (2)	33	87	1	121

(1) Includes corrections to previous month

(2) Within Shelter: 33 dogs, 87 cats, 1 other
In Foster Homes/ Pet Stores: 0 dog, 0 cat, 0 other

A.3 Volunteer Hours: October 2011



B. Animal Sheltering Statistics

B.1 Total Dispositions: October 2011

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total	% of Total Dispositions
Reclaimed	28	5	0	33	9.59%
Adopted	57	49	4	110	31.98%
Transferred (1)	15	2	0	17	4.94%
Euthanized	92	83	3	178	51.74%
Died	2	4	0	6	1.74%
Other	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Totals	194	143	7	344	100.00%

(1) Transferred to rescue organization

B.2 Live Releases for Placeable and Recovered Animals: October 2011⁽¹⁾

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total	% of Total Dispositions
Reclaimed	28	5	0	33	10.86%
Adopted	57	49	4	110	36.18%
Transferred (2)	15	2	0	17	5.59%
Totals	100	56	4	160	52.63%

(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 October, this number was 40, and removing these animals from the total number dispositioned leaves 304 “placeable” animals.

(2) Transferred to rescue organization

B.3 Reasons for Euthanasia: October 2011

	% of Total Euthanized By Reason		% of Total Euthanized By Reason		% of Total Euthanized By Reason			
	Dogs		Cats		Others			
Behavioral (1)	28	30.43%	Behavioral (1)	26	31.33%	Behavioral (1)	1	33.33%
Feral	0	0.00%	Feral	20	24.10%	Feral	0	0.00%
Medical (2)	62	67.39%	Medical (2)	29	34.94%	Medical (2)	2	66.67%
Owner Request	2	2.17%	Owner Request	2	2.41%	Owner Request	0	0.00%
Time / Space	0	0.00%	Time / Space	6	7.23%	Time / Space	0	00.00%
Test	0	0.00%	Test	0	0.00%	Test	0	0.00%
Totals	92	100.00%	83	100.00%	3	100.00%		

(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: October 2011

	Dogs	Cats	Other	Total
Exposures Investigated	0	0	1	1
Tested Positive	0	0	0	0

C.2 Rabies Statistics: October 2011

Total Rabies Exposures Jan 1- October 31, 2011: 8
Total Rabies Exposures Jan 1- October 31, 2011: 6

C.3 Rabies Vaccinations: October 2011

	Dogs	Cats	Other	Total
Vaccinated at Shelter	50	36	0	86
Vaccinated at Vet Clinics	524	659	0	1183
Vaccinated at Rabies Clinics	43	53	0	96
Total Vaccinations	609	728	0	1365

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

#	Date	Dogs	Cats	Total	Location
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)
8	9/22/11	30	33	63	Hillsborough (Public Market House)
9	9/24/11	43	27	70	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
10	10/20/11	43	53	96	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
	TOTAL	575	400	975	