

**STANDARD MONTHLY STATISTICS:
OCTOBER 2012**

The following are the monthly statistics for the month of October 2012. 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 2012

	Animal Control		From Public		Total Incoming	Percent of Total
	Strays (1)	Surrender	Strays	Surrender		
Carrboro	0	1	15	8	24	8.4%
Chapel Hill	10	1	35	15	61	21.4%
Hillsborough	11	2	0	3	16	5.6%
Orange County	45	6	32	32	115	40.4%
Other County	0	0	12	7	19	6.7%
Unknown	0	0	48	2	50	17.5%
Total	66	10	142	67	285	100.0%
Strays	208	73.0%	Animal Control	76	26.7%	
Surrenders	77	27.0%	Public	209	73.3%	

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

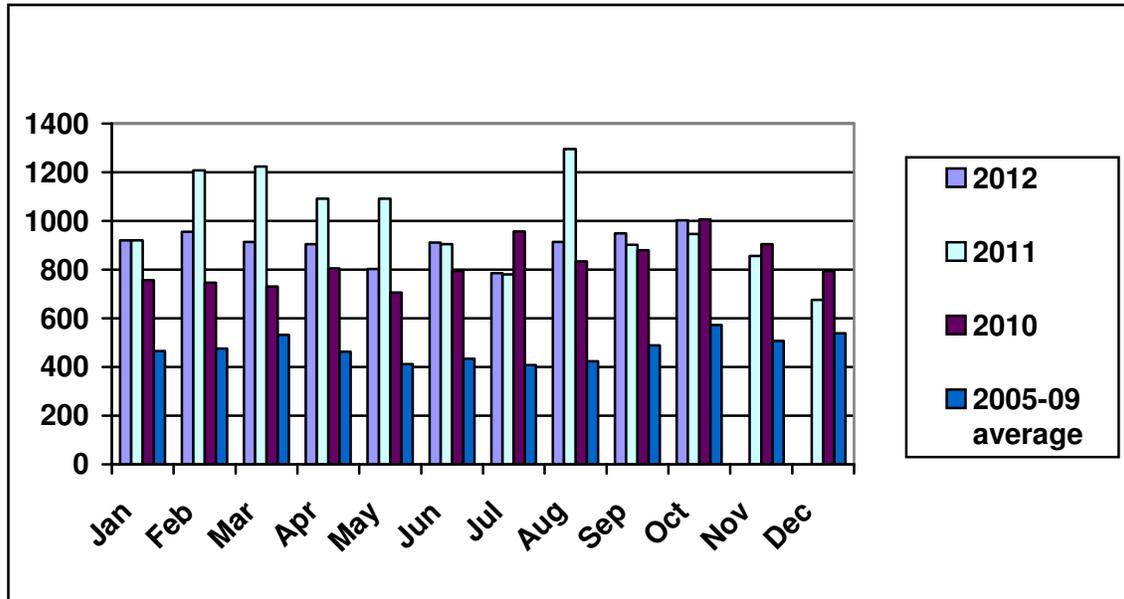
A.2 Shelter Activity: October 2012

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total
In Shelter Custody as of September 1, 2011	59	114	0	173
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Total Admitted October 2012	175	106	4	285
Sheltered in October 2012	234	220	4	458
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Dispositions for October 2012 (1)	184	126	3	313
Remaining in Shelter Custody on November 1, 2012 (2)	50	94	1	145

(1) Includes corrections to previous month

(2) Within Shelter: 50 dogs, 89 cats, 1 others
In Foster Homes/ Pet Stores: 0 dog, 5 cats, 0 other

A.3 Volunteer Hours: October 2012



B. Animal Sheltering Statistics

B.1 Total Dispositions: October 2012

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total	% of Total Dispositions
Reclaimed	46	5	1	52	16.61%
Adopted	65	71	0	136	43.45%
Transferred (1)	26	1	2	29	9.27%
Euthanized	17	49	0	96	30.67%
Died	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Other	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Totals	184	126	3	313	100.00%

(1) Transferred to rescue organization

B.2 Live Releases for Placeable and Recovered Animals: October 2012⁽¹⁾

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total	% of Total Dispositions
Reclaimed	46	5	1	52	17.99%
Adopted	65	71	0	136	47.06%
Transferred (2)	26	1	2	29	10.03%
Totals	137	77	3	217	75.09%

(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 24, and removing these animals from the total number dispositioned leaves 289 “placeable” animals.

(2) Transferred to rescue organization

B.3 Reasons for Euthanasia: October 2012

	Dogs		Cats		Others			
	% of Total Euthanized By Reason		% of Total Euthanized By Reason		% of Total Euthanized By Reason			
Behavioral (1)	35	74.47%	Behavioral (1)	23	46.94%	Behavioral (1)	0	0.00%
Feral	0	0.00%	Feral	14	28.57%	Feral	0	0.00%
Medical (2)	11	23.40%	Medical (2)	10	20.41%	Medical (2)	0	0.00%
Owner Request	1	2.13%	Owner Request	0	0.00%	Owner Request	0	0.00%
Time / Space	0	0.00%	Time / Space	2	4.08%	Time / Space	0	0.00%
Test	0	0.00%	Test	0	0.00%	Test	0	0.00%
Totals	47	100.00%	49	100.00%	0	0.00%		

(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 2012

	Dogs	Cats	Other	Total
Exposures Investigated	0	1	3	4
Tested Positive	0	0	3	3

C.2 Rabies Statistics: October 2012

<p>Total Rabies Exposures Jan 1- October 31, 2012: 11 Total Rabies Exposures Jan 1- October 31, 2011: 8</p>
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C.3 Rabies Vaccinations: October 2012

	Dogs	Cats	Other	Total
Vaccinated at Shelter	80	36	0	116
Vaccinated at Vet Clinics	596	787	0	1383
Vaccinated at Rabies Clinics	41	41	0	82
Total Vaccinations	717	864	0	1581

C.4 Year to Date Rabies Vaccination Clinic Numbers: October 2012

#	Date	Dogs	Cats	Total	Location
1	1/30/12	54	64	118	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
2	2/16/12	30	46	76	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
3	3/22/12	64	25	89	Hillsborough (Public Market House)
4	4/19/12	56	32	88	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
5	5/10/12	79	25	104	Hillsborough (Public Market House)
6	6/16/12	71	48	119	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
7	7/19/12	65	34	99	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
8	8/16/12	69	54	123	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
9	9/27/12	43	44	87	Hillsborough (Public Market House)
10	9/29/12	35	31	66	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
11	10/11/12	41	41	82	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
	TOTAL	607	444	1051	