

**STANDARD MONTHLY STATISTICS:  
AUGUST 2010**

The following are the monthly statistics for the month of August 2010. 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 2010***

	<b>Animal Control</b>		<b>From Public</b>		<b>Total Incoming</b>	<b>Percent of Total</b>
	Strays (1)	Surrender	Strays	Surrender		
Carrboro	3	2	6	8	<b>19</b>	5.9%
Chapel Hill	6	2	57	22	<b>87</b>	26.9%
Hillsborough	3	2	23	17	<b>45</b>	13.9%
Orange County	57	24	46	28	<b>155</b>	47.8%
Other County	0	0	1	10	<b>11</b>	3.4%
Unknown	0	0	7	0	<b>7</b>	2.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Strays	<b>209</b>	<b>64.5%</b>	Animal Control	<b>99</b>	<b>30.6%</b>	
Surrenders	<b>115</b>	<b>35.5%</b>	Public	<b>225</b>	<b>69.4%</b>	

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

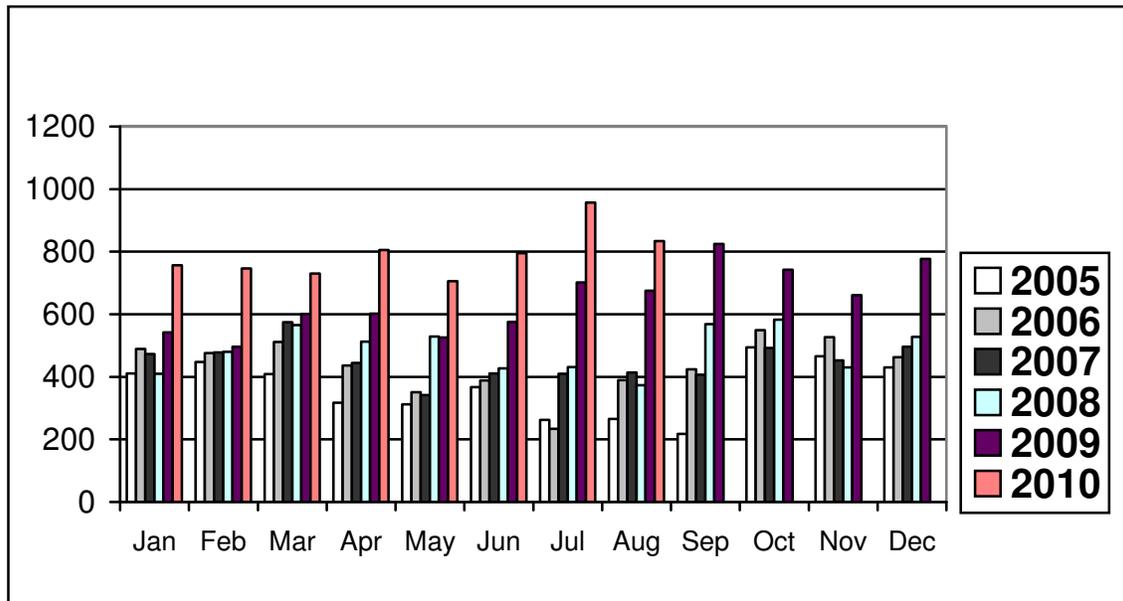
***A.2 Shelter Activity: August 2010***

	<b>Dogs</b>	<b>Cats</b>	<b>Others</b>	<b>Total</b>
In Shelter Custody as of August 1, 2010	70	143	2	<b>215</b>
				<b>+</b>
Total Admitted August 2010	156	159	9	<b>324</b>
Sheltered in August 2010	226	302	11	<b>539</b>
				<b>-</b>
Dispositions for August 2010 (1)	171	185	8	<b>364</b>
Remaining in Shelter Custody on September 1, 2010 (2)	<b>55</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>175</b>

(1) Includes corrections to previous month

(2) Within Shelter: 55 dogs, 115 cats, 3 other  
In Foster Homes/ Pet Stores: 0 dogs, 1 cat, 0 other

**A.3 Volunteer Hours: August 2010**



**B. Animal Sheltering Statistics**

**B.1 Total Dispositions: August 2010**

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total	% of Total Dispositions
Reclaimed	40	10	0	50	13.74%
Adopted	61	82	1	144	39.56%
Transferred (1)	9	7	5	21	5.77%
Euthanized	61	80	0	141	38.74%
Died	0	6	2	8	2.20%
Other	0	0	0	0	0.00%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

(1) Transferred to Rescue Service

***B.2 Live Releases for Placeable and Recovered Animals: August 2010<sup>(1)</sup>***

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total	% of Total Dispositions
Reclaimed	40	10	0	50	15.97%
Adopted	61	82	1	144	46.01%
Transferred <sup>(1)</sup>	9	7	5	21	6.71%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>68.69%</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 51, and removing these animals from the total number dispositioned leaves 313 "placeable" animals.

(2) Transferred to Rescue Service

***B.3 Reasons for Euthanasia: August 2010***

	Dogs		Cats		Others	
	Count	% of Total Euthanized By Reason	Count	% of Total Euthanized By Reason	Count	% of Total Euthanized By Reason
Age	0	0.00%	12	15.00%	0	0.00%
Behavioral (1)	28	45.90%	10	12.50%	0	0.00%
Feline Leukemia	0	0.00%	3	3.75%	0	0.00%
Feral	0	0.00%	19	23.75%	0	0.00%
Heartworm	12	19.67%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Medical (2)	13	21.31%	33	41.25%	0	0.00%
Pregnant	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Owner Request	5	8.20%	3	3.75%	0	0.00%
Space	3	4.92%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>00.00%</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 2010***

	<b>Dogs</b>	<b>Cats</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Exposures Investigated</b>	0	0	16	<b>16</b>
<b>Tested Positive</b>	0	0	3	<b>3</b>

***C.2 Rabies Statistics: August 2010***

Total Rabies Exposures Jan 1- August 31, 2010: 5  
 Total Rabies Exposures Jan 1- August 31, 2009: 12

***C.3 Rabies Vaccinations: August 2010***

	<b>Dogs</b>	<b>Cats</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total</b>
Vaccinated at Shelter	47	53	0	<b>100</b>
Vaccinated at Vet Clinics	551	628	0	<b>1179</b>
Vaccinated at Rabies Clinics	40	29	0	<b>69</b>
<b>Total Vaccinations</b>	<b>638</b>	<b>710</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1348</b>

***C.4 Year to Date Rabies Vaccination Clinic Numbers***

<b>#</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Dogs</b>	<b>Cats</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Location</b>
1	2/16/10	49	47	96	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
2	3/16/10	64	40	104	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
3	4/22/10	59	26	85	Hillsborough (Public Market House)
4	5/18/10	45	26	71	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
5	6/15/10	79	63	142	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
6	7/20/10	78	54	132	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
7	8/17/10	40	29	69	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)