

**STANDARD MONTHLY STATISTICS:
OCTOBER 2010**

The following are the monthly statistics for the month of October 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: October 2010

	Animal Control		From Public		Total Incoming	Percent of Total
	Strays (1)	Surrender	Strays	Surrender		
Carrboro	0	2	11	9	22	6.5%
Chapel Hill	13	4	21	45	83	24.6%
Hillsborough	7	4	22	7	40	11.8%
Orange County	64	13	49	23	149	44.1%
Other County	0	1	8	4	13	3.8%
Unknown	0	0	28	3	31	9.2%
Total	84	24	139	91	338	100.0%
Strays	223	66.0%	Animal Control	108	32.0%	
Surrenders	115	34.0%	Public	230	68.0%	

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

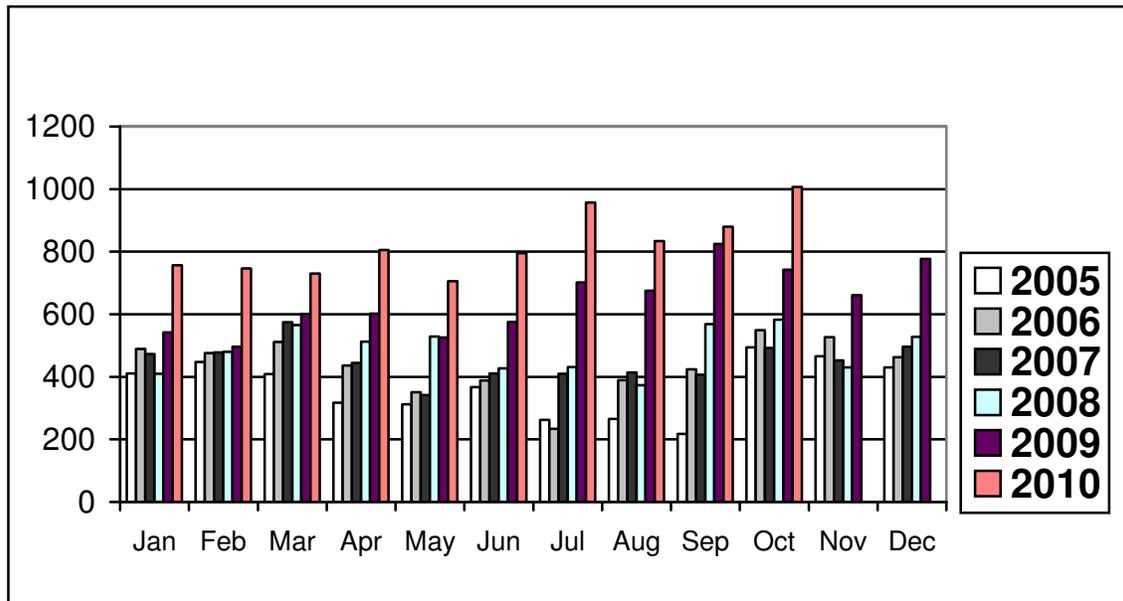
A.2 Shelter Activity: October 2010

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total
In Shelter Custody as of October 1, 2010	77	102	0	179
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Total Admitted October 2010	168	160	10	338
Sheltered in October 2010	245	262	10	517
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Dispositions for October 2010 (1)	202	142	8	352
Remaining in Shelter Custody on November 1, 2010 (2)	43	120	2	165

(1) Includes corrections to previous month

(2) Within Shelter: 43 dogs, 113 cats, 2 other
In Foster Homes/ Pet Stores: 0 dogs, 7 cats, 0 other

A.3 Volunteer Hours: October 2010



B. Animal Sheltering Statistics

B.1 Total Dispositions: October 2010

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total	% of Total Dispositions
Reclaimed	56	9	0	65	18.47%
Adopted	62	53	4	119	33.81%
Transferred (1)	22	11	1	34	9.66%
Euthanized	62	68	3	133	37.78%
Died	0	1	0	1	0.28%
Other	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Totals	202	142	8	352	100.00%

(1) Transferred to Rescue Service

B.2 Live Releases for Placeable and Recovered Animals: October 2010⁽¹⁾

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total	% of Total Dispositions
Reclaimed	56	9	0	65	19.76%
Adopted	62	53	4	119	36.17%
Transferred ⁽¹⁾	22	11	1	34	10.33%
Totals	140	73	5	218	66.26%

(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 23, and removing these animals from the total number dispositioned leaves 329 "placeable" animals.

(2) Transferred to Rescue Service

B.3 Reasons for Euthanasia: October 2010

	Dogs		Cats		Others			
		% of Total Euthanized By Reason		% of Total Euthanized By Reason		% of Total Euthanized By Reason		
Age	0	0.00%	Age	4	5.88%	Age	0	0.00%
Behavioral (1)	39	62.90%	Behavioral (1)	14	20.59%	Behavioral (1)	0	0.00%
Feline Leukemia	0	0.00%	Feline Leukemia	0	0.00%	Feline Leukemia	0	0.00%
Feral	0	0.00%	Feral	4	5.88%	Feral	0	0.00%
Heartworm	5	8.06%	Heartworm	0	0.00%	Heartworm	0	0.00%
Medical (2)	13	20.97%	Medical (2)	28	41.18%	Medical (2)	2	66.67%
Pregnant	0	0.00%	Pregnant	0	0.00%	Pregnant	0	0.00%
Owner Request	5	8.06%	Owner Request	0	0.00%	Owner Request	0	0.00%
Space	0	0.00%	Space	18	26.47%	Space	1	33.33%
Totals	62	100.00%	68	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 2010

	Dogs	Cats	Other	Total
Exposures Investigated	0	1	4	5
Tested Positive	0	0	1	1

C.2 Rabies Statistics: October 2010

<p>Total Rabies Exposures Jan 1- October 31, 2010: 6 Total Rabies Exposures Jan 1- October 31, 2009: 12</p>
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C.3 Rabies Vaccinations: October 2010

	Dogs	Cats	Other	Total
Vaccinated at Shelter	43	27	0	70
Vaccinated at Vet Clinics	510	348	0	858
Vaccinated at Rabies Clinics	28	23	0	51
Total Vaccinations	581	398	0	979

C.4 Year to Date Rabies Vaccination Clinic Numbers

#	Date	Dogs	Cats	Total	Location
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)
8	9/23/10	43	34	77	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)
9	9/25/10	34	24	58	Hillsborough (Gov. Services Annex)
10	10/19/10	28	23	51	Chapel Hill (Animal Services Center)