STANDARD MONTHLY STATISTICS:
SEPTEMBER 2011

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

	Animal Control		From Public		Total Incoming	Percent of Total
	Strays (1)	Surrender	Strays	Surrender		
Carrboro	5	0	5	3	**13**	4.2%
Chapel Hill	6	0	8	9	**23**	7.3%
Hillsborough	8	3	7	2	**20**	6.4%
Orange County	55	11	78	33	**177**	56.5%
Other County	0	0	9	6	**15**	4.8%
Unknown	0	0	60	5	**65**	20.8%
Total	**74**	**14**	**167**	**58**	**313**	**100.0%**

Strays	**241**	**77.0%**	Animal Control	**88**	**28.1%**
Surrenders	**72**	**23.0%**	Public	**225**	**71.9%**

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

A.2 Shelter Activity: September 2011

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total
In Shelter Custody as of September 1, 2011	69	89	1	**159**
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Total Admitted September 2011	158	149	6	**313**
Sheltered in September 2011	227	238	7	**472**
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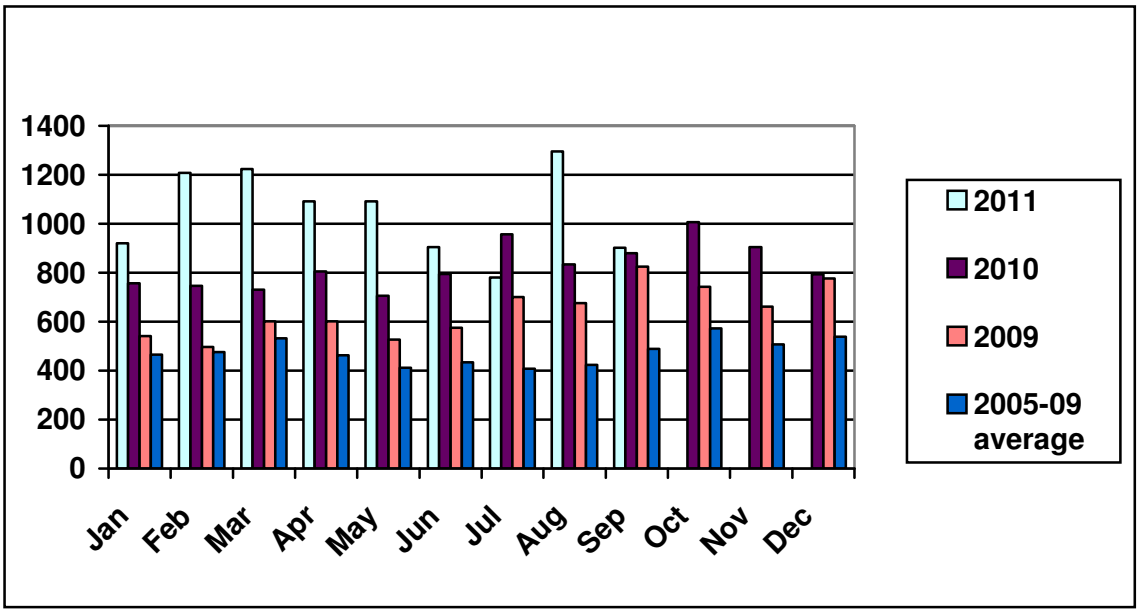
Dispositions for September 2011 (1)	161	141	3	**305**
Remaining in Shelter Custody on October 1, 2011 (2)	**66**	**97**	**4**	**167**

(1) Includes corrections to previous month

(2) Within Shelter: 65 dogs, 97 cats, 4 other
In Foster Homes/ Pet Stores: 1 dog, 0 cat, 0 other

A.3 Volunteer Hours: September 2011



B. Animal Sheltering Statistics

B.1 Total Dispositions: September 2011

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total	% of Total Dispositions
Reclaimed	30	3	0	**33**	**10.82%**
Adopted	55	64	3	**122**	**40.00%**
Transferred (1)	15	34	0	**49**	**16.07%**
Euthanized	58	38	0	**96**	**31.48%**
Died	3	2	0	**5**	**1.64%**
Other	0	0	0	**0**	**0.00%**
Totals	**161**	**141**	**3**	**305**	**100.00%**

(1) Transferred to rescue organization

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

	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total	% of Total Dispositions
Reclaimed	30	3	0	**33**	**12.22%**
Adopted	55	64	3	**122**	**45.19%**
Transferred (2)	15	34	0	**49**	**18.15%**
Totals	**100**	**101**	**3**	**204**	**75.56%**

(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 September, this number was 35, and removing these animals from the total number dispositioned leaves 270 "placeable" animals.

(2) Transferred to rescue organization

B.3 Reasons for Euthanasia: September 2011

	Dogs	% of Total Euthanized By Reason		Cats	% of Total Euthanized By Reason		Others	% of Total Euthanized By Reason
Behavioral (1)	26	**44.83%**	Behavioral (1)	12	**31.58%**	Behavioral (1)	0	**0.00%**
Feral	0	**0.00%**	Feral	15	**39.74%**	Feral	0	**0.00%**
Medical (2)	28	**48.28%**	Medical (2)	9	**23.68%**	Medical (2)	0	**00.00%**
Owner Request	4	**6.90%**	Owner Request	2	**5.26%**	Owner Request	0	**0.00%**
Time / Space	0	**0.00%**	Time / Space	0	**0.00%**	Time / Space	2	**100.00%**
Test	0	**0.00%**	Test	0	**0.00%**	Test	0	**0.00%**
Totals	**58**	**100.00%**		**38**	**100.00%**		**2**	**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: September 2011

	Dogs	Cats	Other	Total
Exposures Investigated	0	1	2	**3**
Tested Positive	0	0	0	**0**

C.2 Rabies Statistics: September 2011

Total Rabies Exposures Jan 1- September 30, 2011: 8
Total Rabies Exposures Jan 1- September 30, 2010: 5

C.3 Rabies Vaccinations: September 2011

	Dogs	Cats	Other	Total
Vaccinated at Shelter	56	54	0	**110**
Vaccinated at Vet Clinics	502	573	0	**1075**
Vaccinated at Rabies Clinics	73	60	0	**133**
Total Vaccinations	**631**	**687**	**0**	**1318**

C.4 Year to Date Rabies Vaccination Clinic Numbers: September 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)