



2023 IMPACT REPORT

In 2023, HSSW served more than 10,000 pets in Southwest Washington.

IN THE SHELTER

Total animals cared for:
6,057

Total adoptions:
3,779

3,180 spay / neuter surgeries

17,308 medical exams

Average length of stay:
12.24 days

810 animals reunited with their owner

256 animals transferred from areas of high need

IN THE COMMUNITY*

210,000 free pet meals distributed

58 animals received emergency boarding (41% increase over 2022)

Free Wellness Clinics serving more than **672 pets** in our community

122 families received veterinary care through our HELP! Fund (259% increase over 2022)

1,835 public cat surgeries through our Spay & Save program (9% increase over 2022)

**Community Solutions programs are 100% supported by HSSW donors.*

INTAKES	DOG/PUPPY	CAT/KITTEN	OTHER	TOTAL
Stray/Animal Control	1560	2393	186	4139
Relinquished by Owner	421	615	40	1076
Owner Requested Euthanasia Service	105	44	6	155
Transferred In	244	12	0	256
Live Intake: Safe Haven (Emergency Boarding)	18	25	15	58
Live intake: Born in care	10	39	19	68
Non-live intakes: DOA, Wildlife	57	133	69	259
TOTAL INTAKES	2415	3261	335	6011
OUTCOMES	DOG/PUPPY	CAT/KITTEN	OTHER	TOTAL
Adoption	1199	2423	157	3779
Reunited with Owner	695	95	20	810
Transferred to Rescue	64	132	72	268
SNR (Spayed/Neutered & Returned to Field)	0	178	0	178
Non-live intakes: DOA	56	134	15	205
Live intakes: Escaped, died in care	4	38	10	52
Shelter Euthanasia	294	234	82	610
Owner Requested Euthanasia	105	44	6	155
TOTAL OUTCOMES	2595	3100	362	6057

SAVE RATE (Live Release Rate) : 90%

OUR PATH FORWARD

To support the growing needs in our community, we are adding services and programs that reach beyond the walls of the shelter. To learn more about our strategic plan, Path Forward 2025, please visit hssw.org/PathForward2025.