



# **Montgomery County Animal Care and Control**

**2020**

**2<sup>ND</sup> Quarter Report**

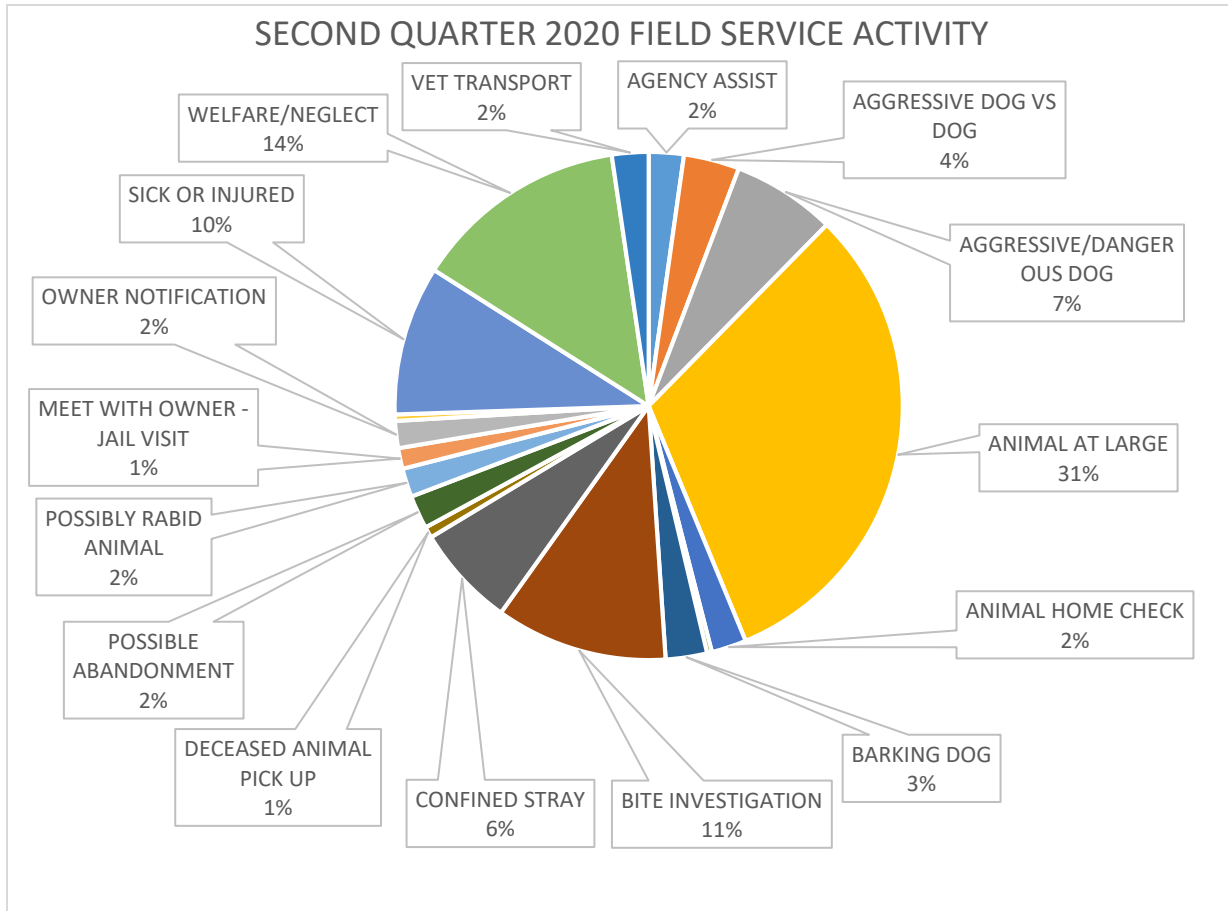
**Field and Shelter Activity**

## FIELD SERVICES

Montgomery County Animal Care and Control provided active and on call animal control service for all areas of Montgomery County and the City of Clarksville for the Second Quarter of 2020.

### Officer Activity

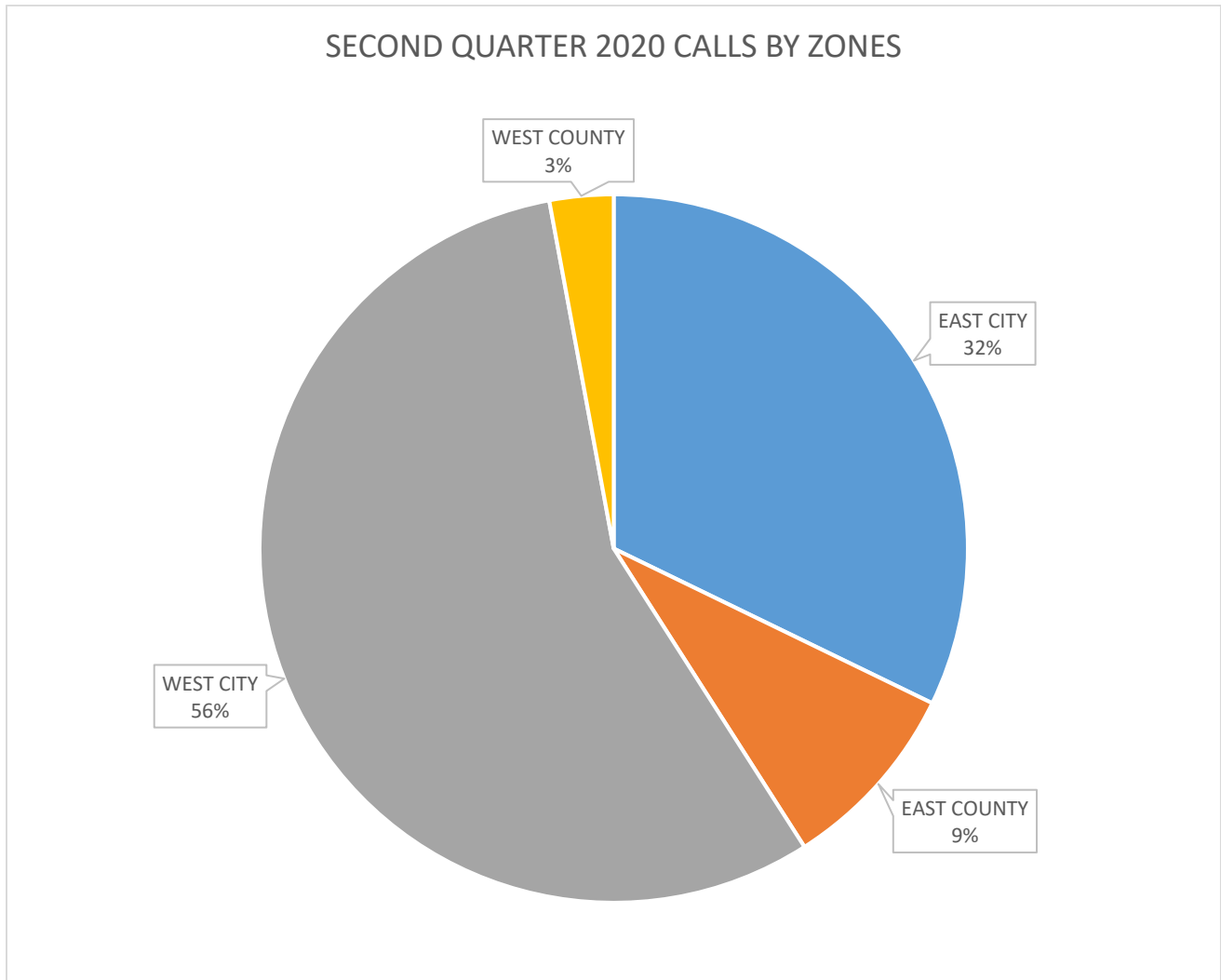
For the Second Quarter of 2020, Animal Control Officers handled 993 calls for service. Nearly half of all calls, (31%) were for a stray domestic animal, normally a dog running at large. Investigations for Welfare/Neglect, Bites, Confined Stray's, Aggressive dogs made up for (42%) of all calls.



| TYPE OF CALL             | 1 <sup>ST</sup> . Quarter | 2 <sup>ND</sup> Quarter | 3 <sup>RD</sup> Quarter | 4 <sup>TH</sup> Quarter |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Agency Assist            | 39                        | 22                      |                         |                         |
| Aggressive Dog Vs. Dog   | 12                        | 35                      |                         |                         |
| Aggressive/Dangerous Dog | 60                        | 65                      |                         |                         |
| Animal At Large          | 527                       | 310                     |                         |                         |
| Animals Left in Vehicle  | 4                         | 3                       |                         |                         |
| Barking Dog              | 24                        | 26                      |                         |                         |
| Bite Investigation       | 73                        | 108                     |                         |                         |
| Confined Stray           | 149                       | 64                      |                         |                         |
| Possible Abandonment     | 35                        | 21                      |                         |                         |
| Possibly Rabid Animal    | 25                        | 18                      |                         |                         |
| Owner Notification       | 32                        | 17                      |                         |                         |
| Sick or Injured Animal   | 87                        | 94                      |                         |                         |
| Welfare/Neglect          | 179                       | 135                     |                         |                         |
| Other                    | 82                        | 24                      |                         |                         |
| <b>Total</b>             | <b>1,338</b>              | <b>993</b>              |                         |                         |

## FIELD SERVICE CALLS BY ZONES

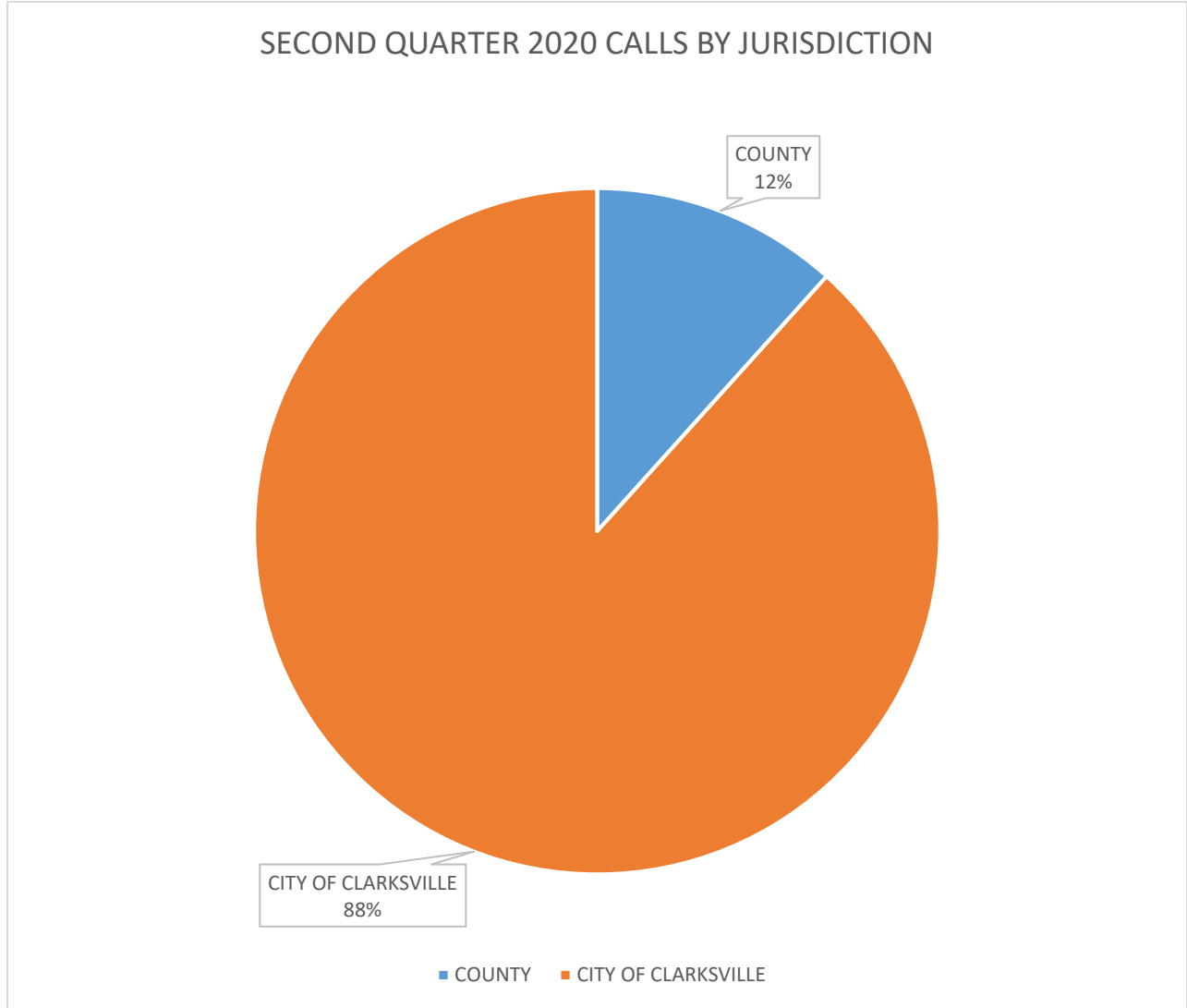
Animal Control Officers responded to 994 calls for service in Montgomery County with a majority of the calls, (59%) being in the West portion of Montgomery County/City of Clarksville.



| ZONE         | 1 <sup>ST</sup> . Quarter | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter | 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter |
|--------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| East City    | 463                       | 320                     |                         |                         |
| East County  | 102                       | 87                      |                         |                         |
| West City    | 723                       | 558                     |                         |                         |
| West County  | 50                        | 29                      |                         |                         |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>1,338</b>              | <b>994</b>              |                         |                         |

## FIELD SERVICE CALLS BY JURISDICTION

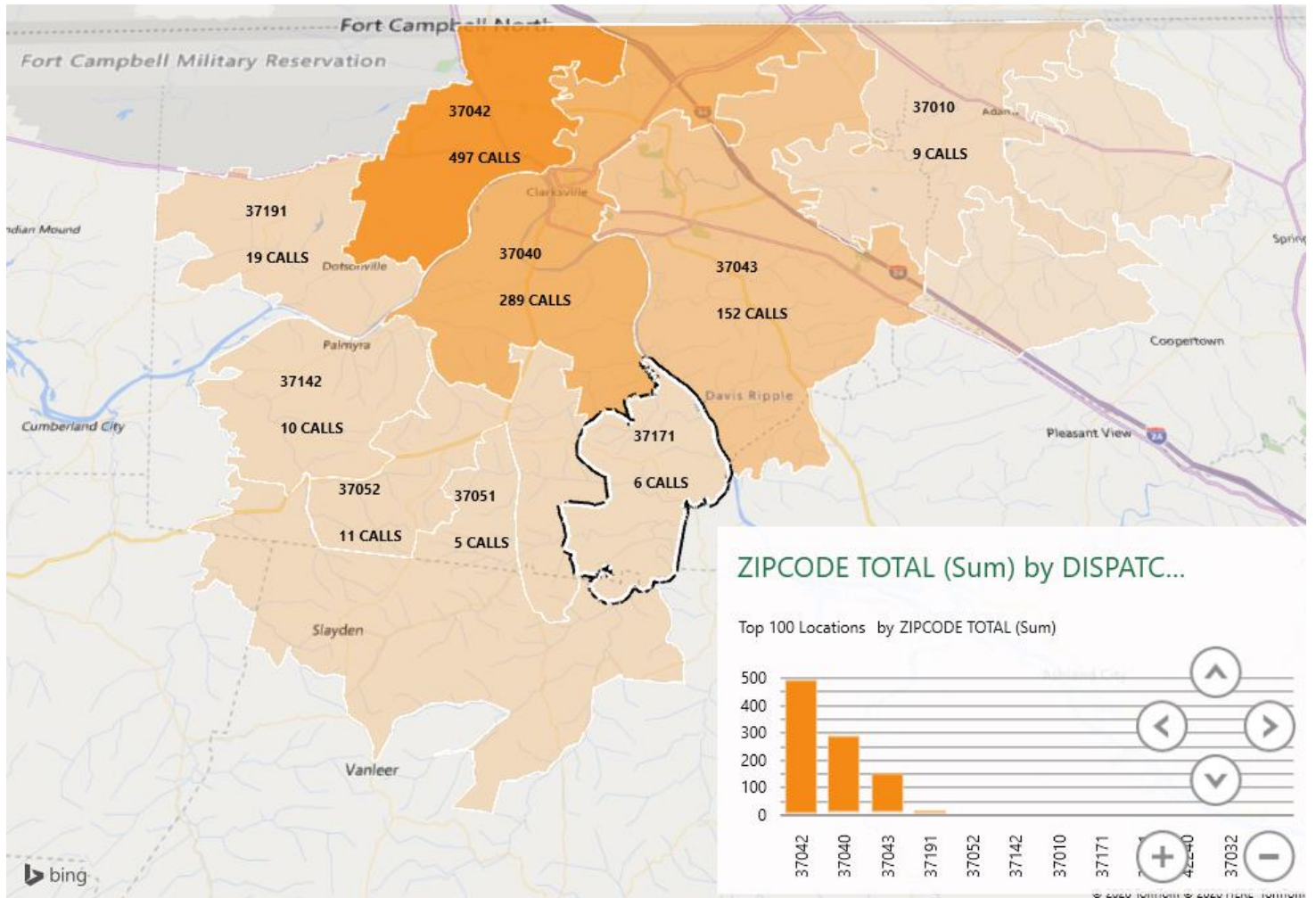
Calls for service that were responded to in Montgomery County were dispersed into the following two Jurisdictions, which covers the Montgomery County outside of the Clarksville City Limits and all unincorporated areas of the County, and within the city limits of Clarksville. (88%) of all calls for the 2<sup>ND</sup> Quarter of 2020 occurred within the City of Clarksville and (12%) of calls for the 2<sup>ND</sup> Quarter of 2020 occurred in the unincorporated areas of Montgomery County.



| JURISDICTION      | 1 <sup>ST</sup> . Quarter | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter | 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter |
|-------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Clarksville       | 1186                      | 878                     |                         |                         |
| Montgomery County | 152                       | 116                     |                         |                         |
| <b>Total</b>      | <b>1338</b>               | <b>994</b>              |                         |                         |

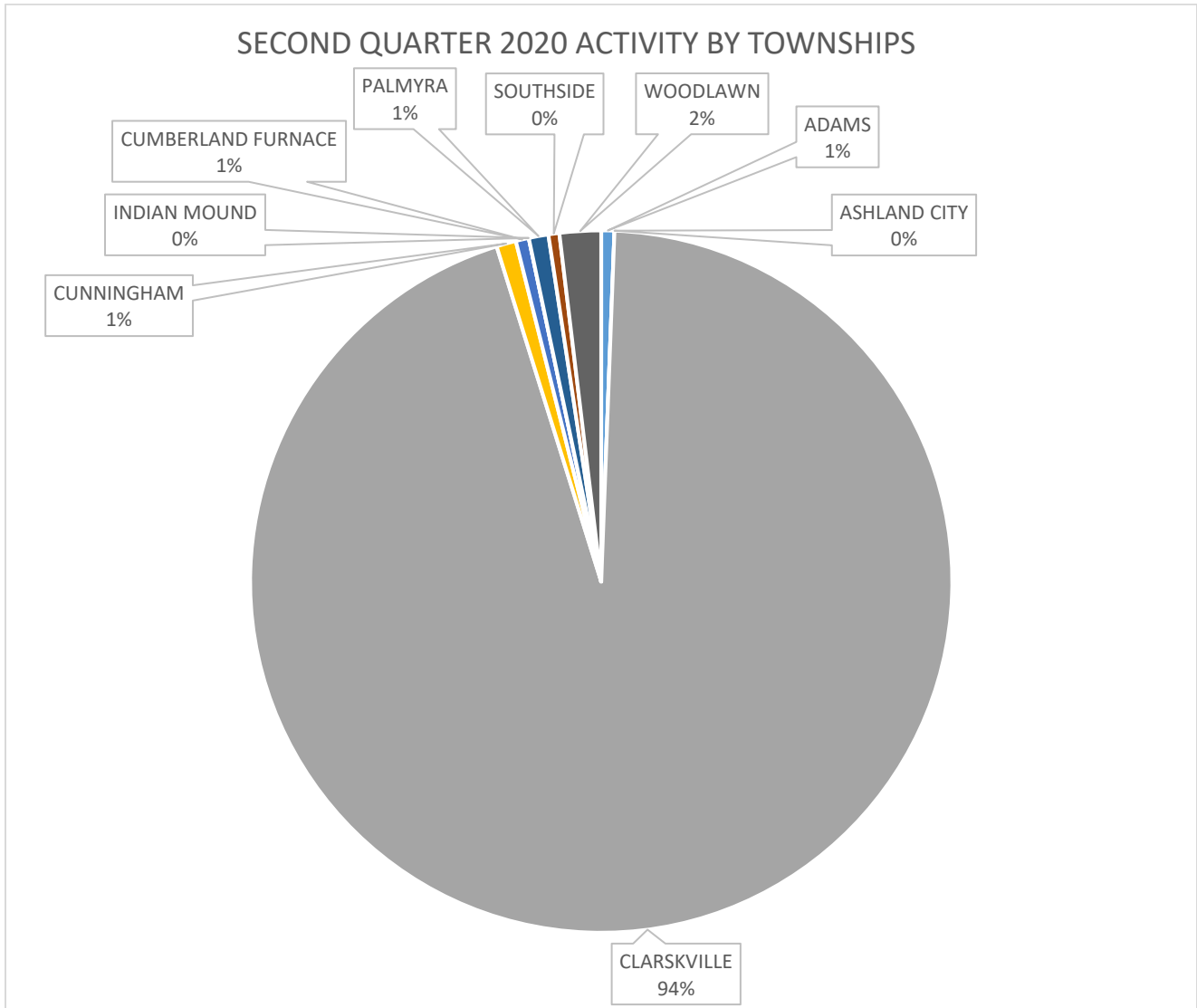
## FIELD SERVICE CALLS BY ZIP CODE

Calls for service that were responded to in Montgomery County were dispersed into the following Nine (9), which covers the Montgomery County outside of the Clarksville City Limits and all unincorporated areas of the County, and within the city limits of Clarksville. (50%) of all calls for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter of 2020 occurred within the 37042 Zip Code, which compromises the North Central portion of Montgomery County north of the Cumberland River, while (29%) of calls occurred in Zip Code area 37040, which compromises the Northeast and South Central portion of the County



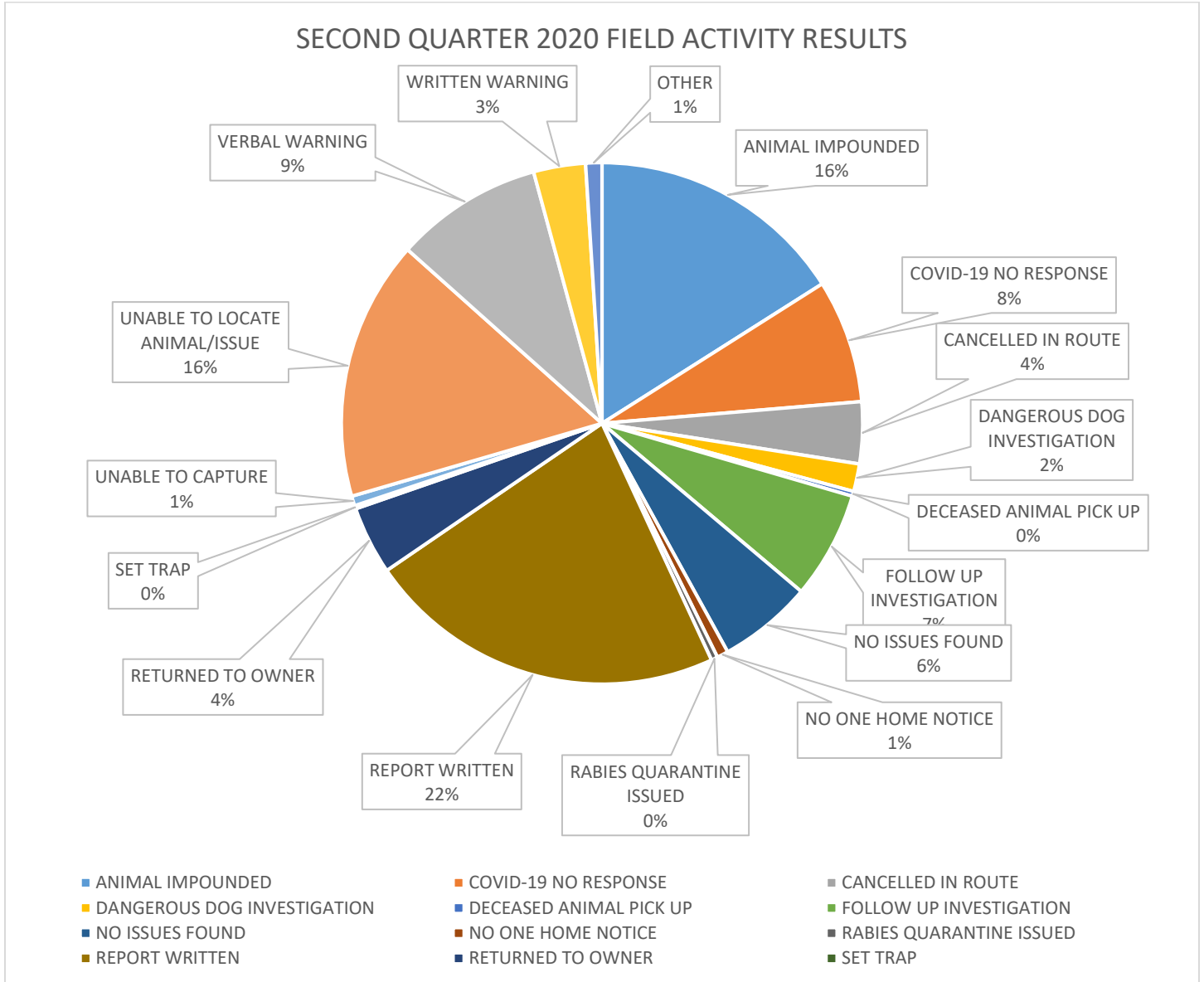
## OFFICER FIELD ACTIVITY RESULTS BY TOWNSHIP

MCACC Officers responded to 993 Activity Calls in 9 different townships across Montgomery County. 94% Of Activity calls were within the City of Clarksville.



## OFFICER FIELD ACTIVITY RESULTS

Officers responded to 993 calls for service. In response to calls for services officer complete various forms of outcomes to close out and complete these calls ranging from warnings to written reports on the incidents.



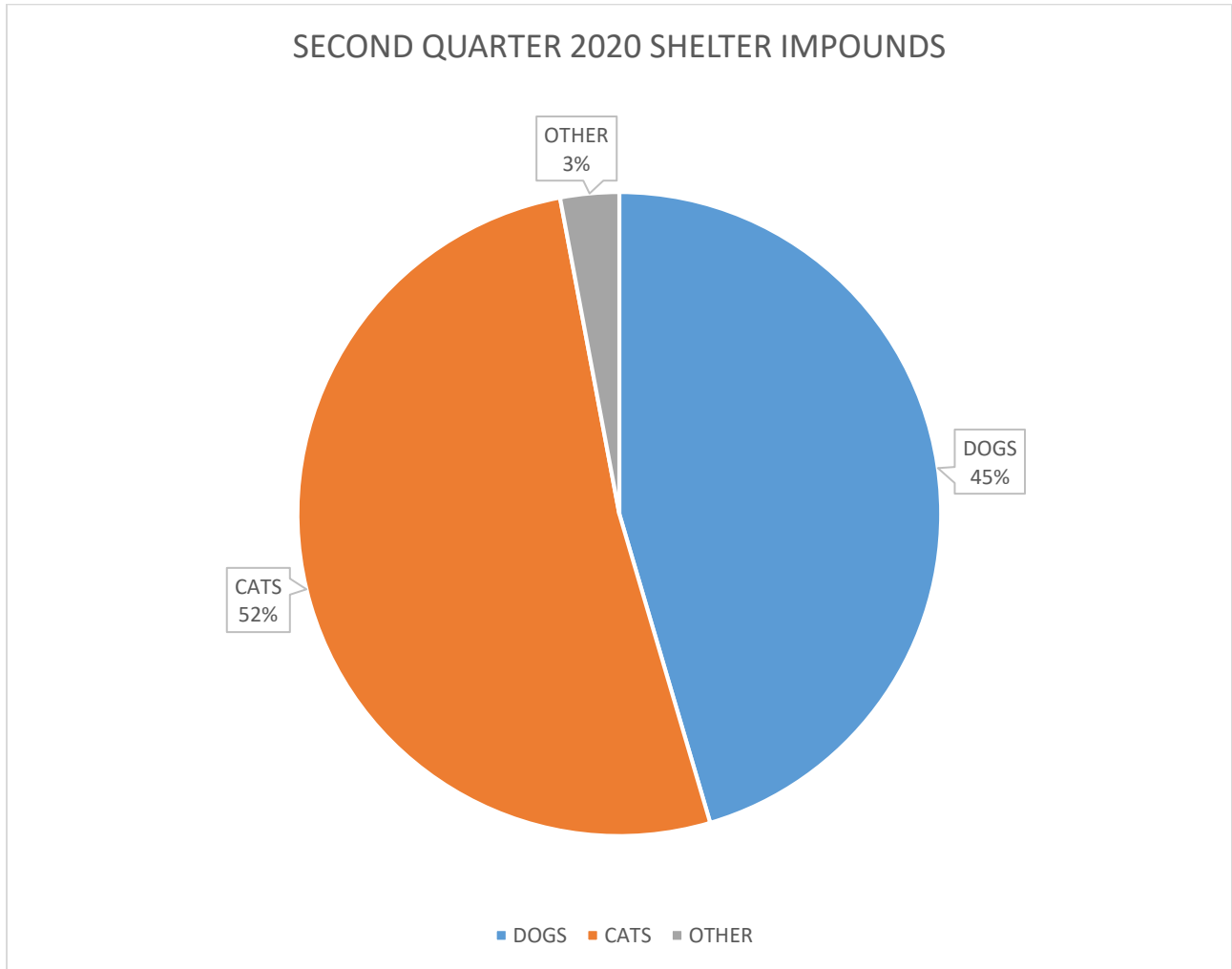
## SHELTER AND ADOPTION SERVICES

### Kennel Visitors

The shelter saw a tremendous drop in visitors in the Second Quarter due to COVID-19 with 1,823 people visiting the shelter in the Second Quarter. Most of the visitors indicated they were looking to adopt a pet or trying to locate a lost pet.

### Animals Impounded

In the 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter of 2020, 779 animals were impounded. Of the animals impounded, 52% were cats/kittens, 45% were dogs/puppies.

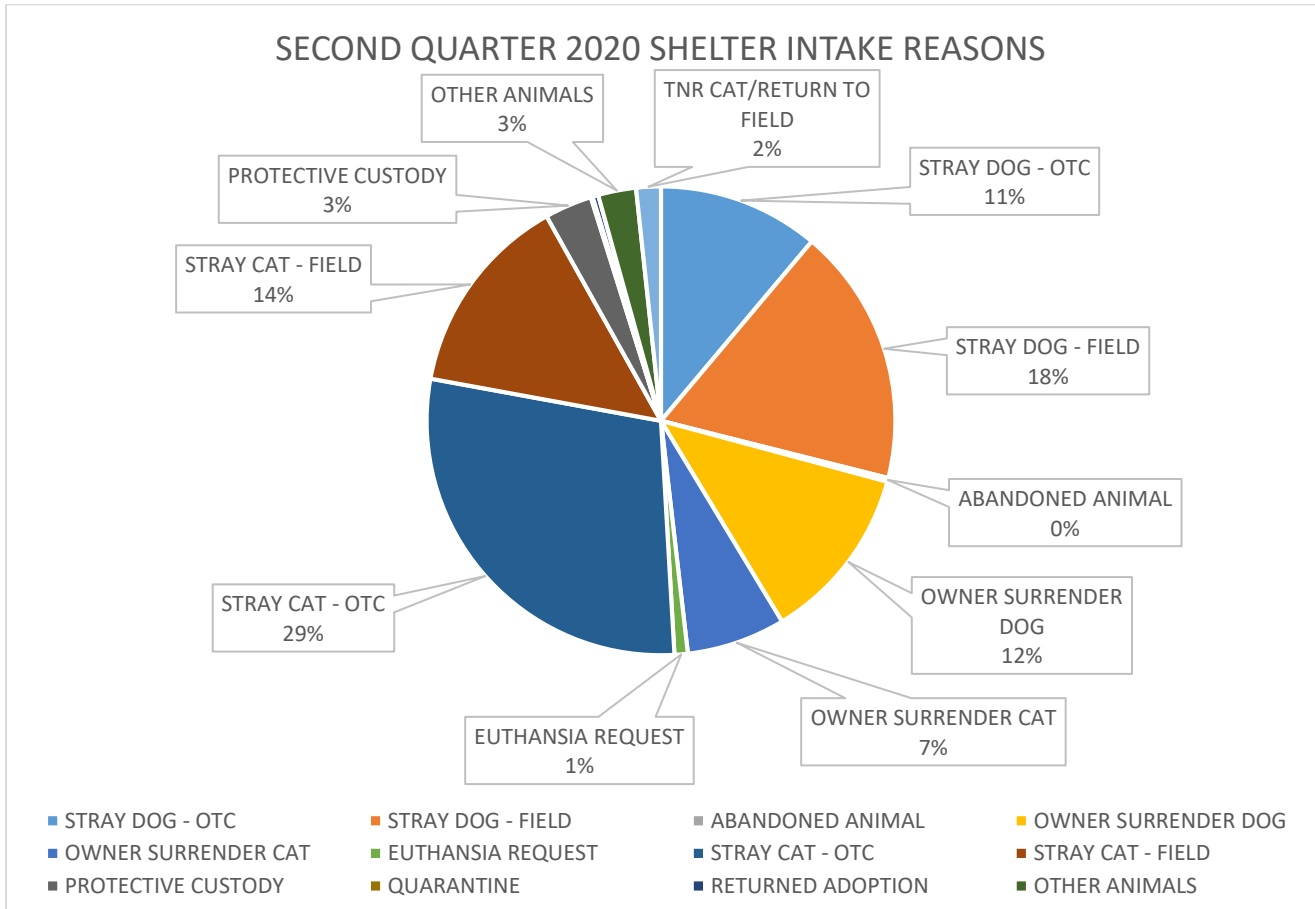


| Types of Animals Impounded | 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter | 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Dog/Puppies                | 557                     | 354                     |                         |                         |
| Cat/Kittens                | 272                     | 402                     |                         |                         |
| Other                      | 41                      | 23                      |                         |                         |
| <b>Total</b>               | <b>870</b>              | <b>779</b>              |                         |                         |



## SHELTER INTAKE REASONS

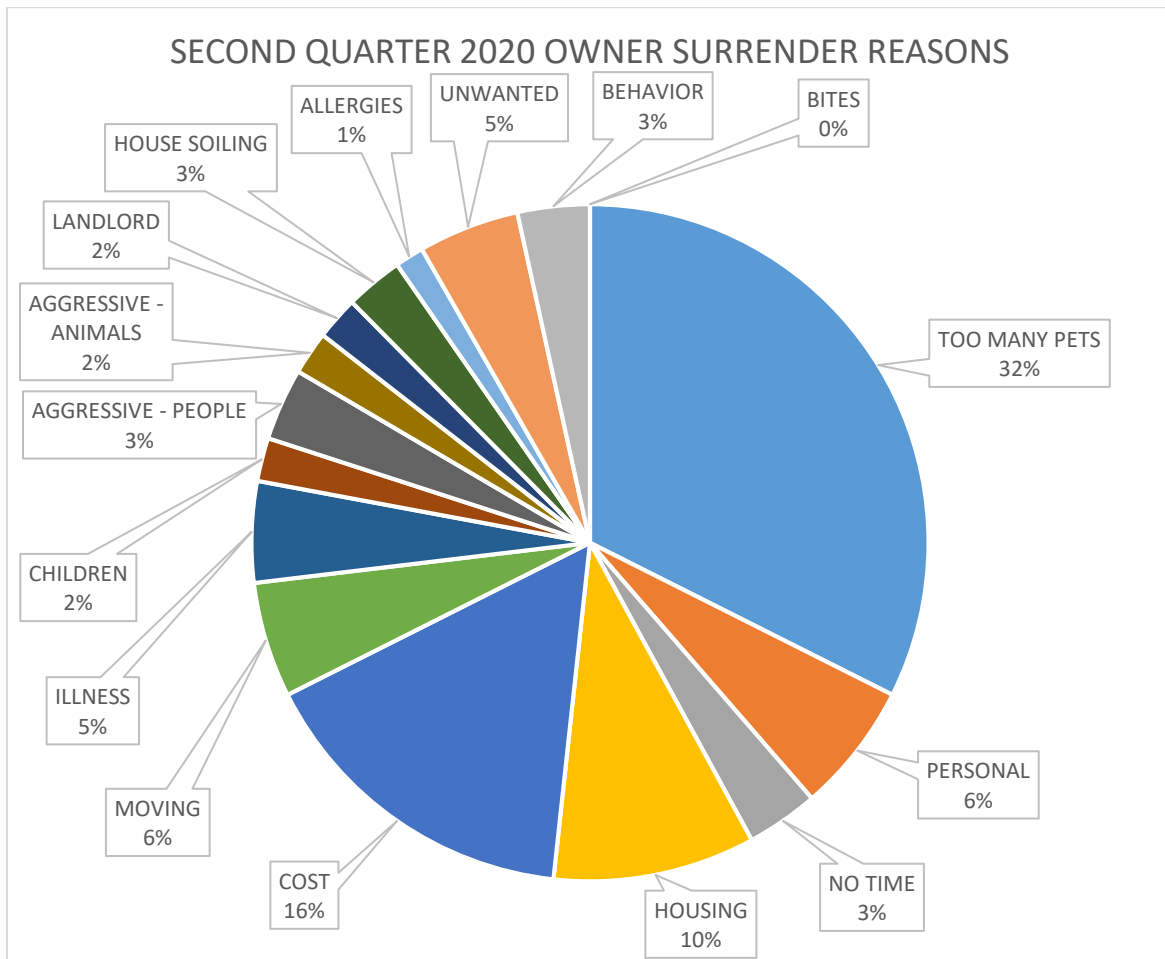
The shelter took in 764 animals in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter of 2020. A majority of those intakes, (72%) were stray animals either picked up in the field or brought in over the counter. (19%) were owner surrendered pets and the remaining (9%) consisted of Adoption Returns, Feral Animals, Euthanasia Requests, Bite Quarantines, Protective Custody, and Abandoned Animals.



| ENTRY REASON            | 1 <sup>ST</sup> QUARTER | 2 <sup>ND</sup> QUARTER | 3 <sup>RD</sup> QUARTER | 4 <sup>TH</sup> QUARTER |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Stray Dog – OTC         | 191                     | 85                      |                         |                         |
| Stray Dog – Field       | 214                     | 136                     |                         |                         |
| Abandoned Animal        | 22                      | 2                       |                         |                         |
| Owner Surrender Dog     | 88                      | 93                      |                         |                         |
| Owner Surrender Cat     | 51                      | 52                      |                         |                         |
| Euthanasia Request      | 7                       | 7                       |                         |                         |
| Stray Cat – OTC         | 191                     | 220                     |                         |                         |
| Stray Cat – Field       | 41                      | 107                     |                         |                         |
| Protective Custody      | 34                      | 25                      |                         |                         |
| Quarantine              | 5                       | 1                       |                         |                         |
| Returned Adoption       | 18                      | 3                       |                         |                         |
| Other Animals           | 34                      | 20                      |                         |                         |
| TNR Cat/Return to Field | 13                      | 13                      |                         |                         |
| <b>Total</b>            | <b>909</b>              | <b>764</b>              |                         |                         |

## Owner Surrenders

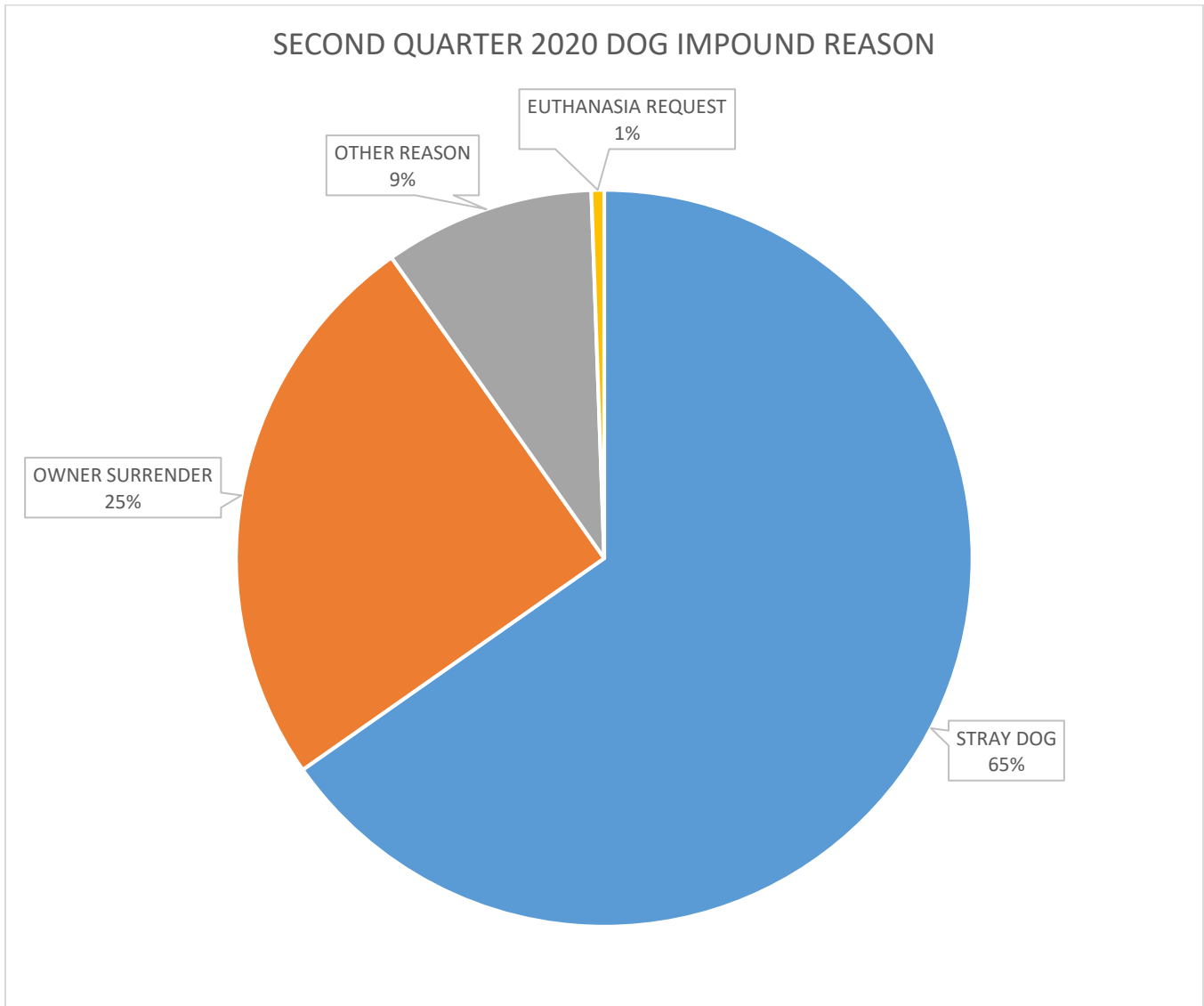
Beginning in April of 2018, we began to track the reason for owner surrenders in Montgomery County. There were 150 Owner surrenders in the 3<sup>RD</sup> Quarter, a 23% decrease over 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter. Of those Owner Surrenders, the most prevalent reason to Owner Surrender was 1. Personal – 25%, followed by 2. Housing – 17%



| Owner Surrenders | 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter | 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter |
|------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Aggressive       | 3                       | 8                       |                         |                         |
| Allergies        | 4                       | 2                       |                         |                         |
| Behavior         | 10                      | 5                       |                         |                         |
| Children         | 4                       | 3                       |                         |                         |
| Cost             | 9                       | 23                      |                         |                         |
| House Soiling    | 1                       | 4                       |                         |                         |
| Housing          | 28                      | 14                      |                         |                         |
| Illness          | 18                      | 7                       |                         |                         |
| Landlord         | 5                       | 3                       |                         |                         |
| Moving           | 3                       | 8                       |                         |                         |
| Personal         | 24                      | 9                       |                         |                         |
| Time             | 11                      | 5                       |                         |                         |
| Too Many         | 7                       | 47                      |                         |                         |
| Unwanted         | 7                       | 7                       |                         |                         |
| <b>Total</b>     | <b>139</b>              | <b>145</b>              |                         |                         |

## Dogs

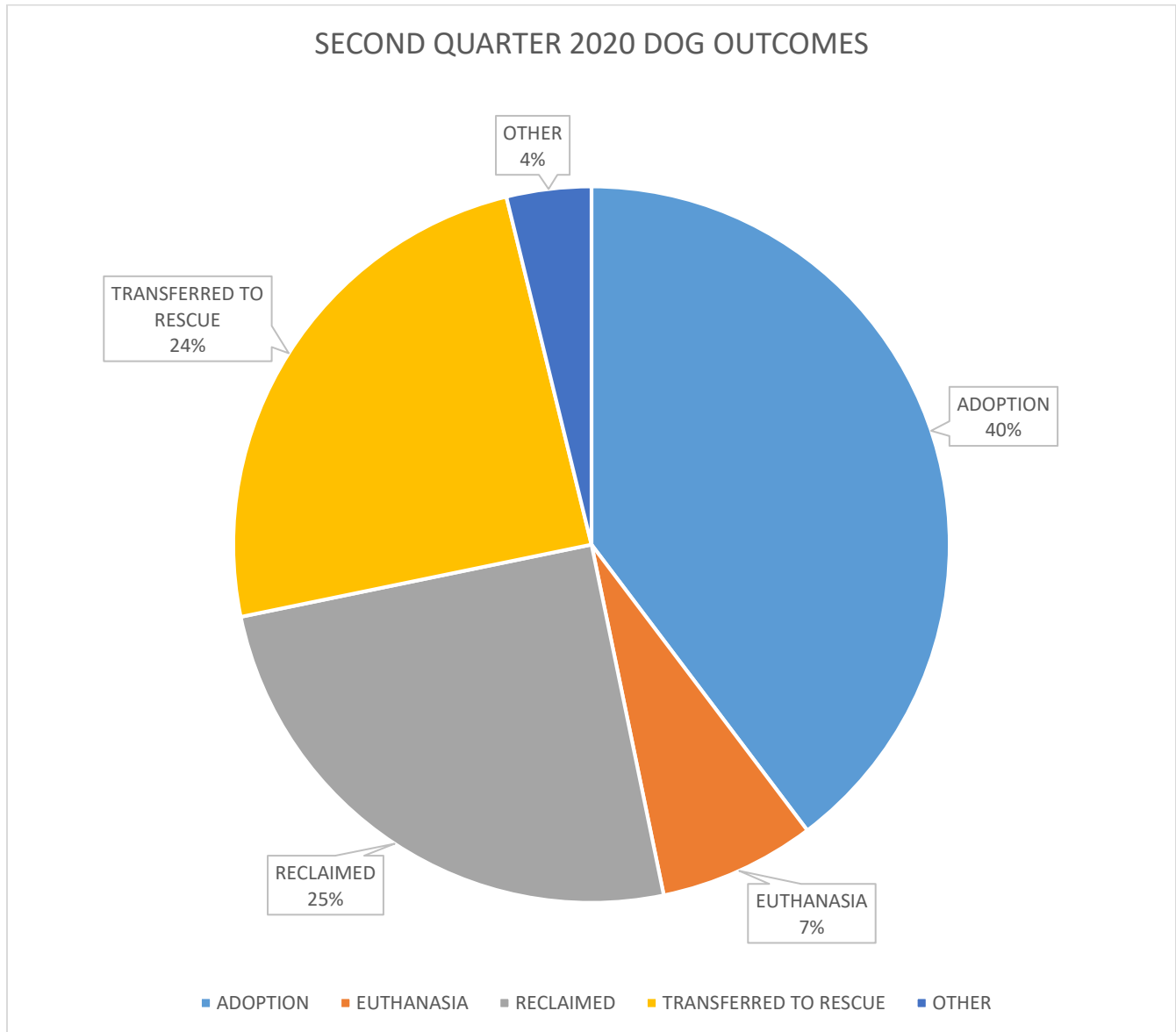
There were 357 dogs impounded in the Second Quarter of 2020. 65% were strays, 25% were owner released, 9% were for other reasons (Quarantine, Protective Care, Confiscated), and 1% were impounded for owner requested euthanasia



| Dog Impound Reason | 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter | 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter |
|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Stray              | 406                     | 233                     |                         |                         |
| Owner Release      | 85                      | 89                      |                         |                         |
| Other Reason       | 51                      | 33                      |                         |                         |
| Euthanasia Request | 6                       | 2                       |                         |                         |
| <b>Total</b>       | <b>548</b>              | <b>357</b>              |                         |                         |

## Dog Outcomes

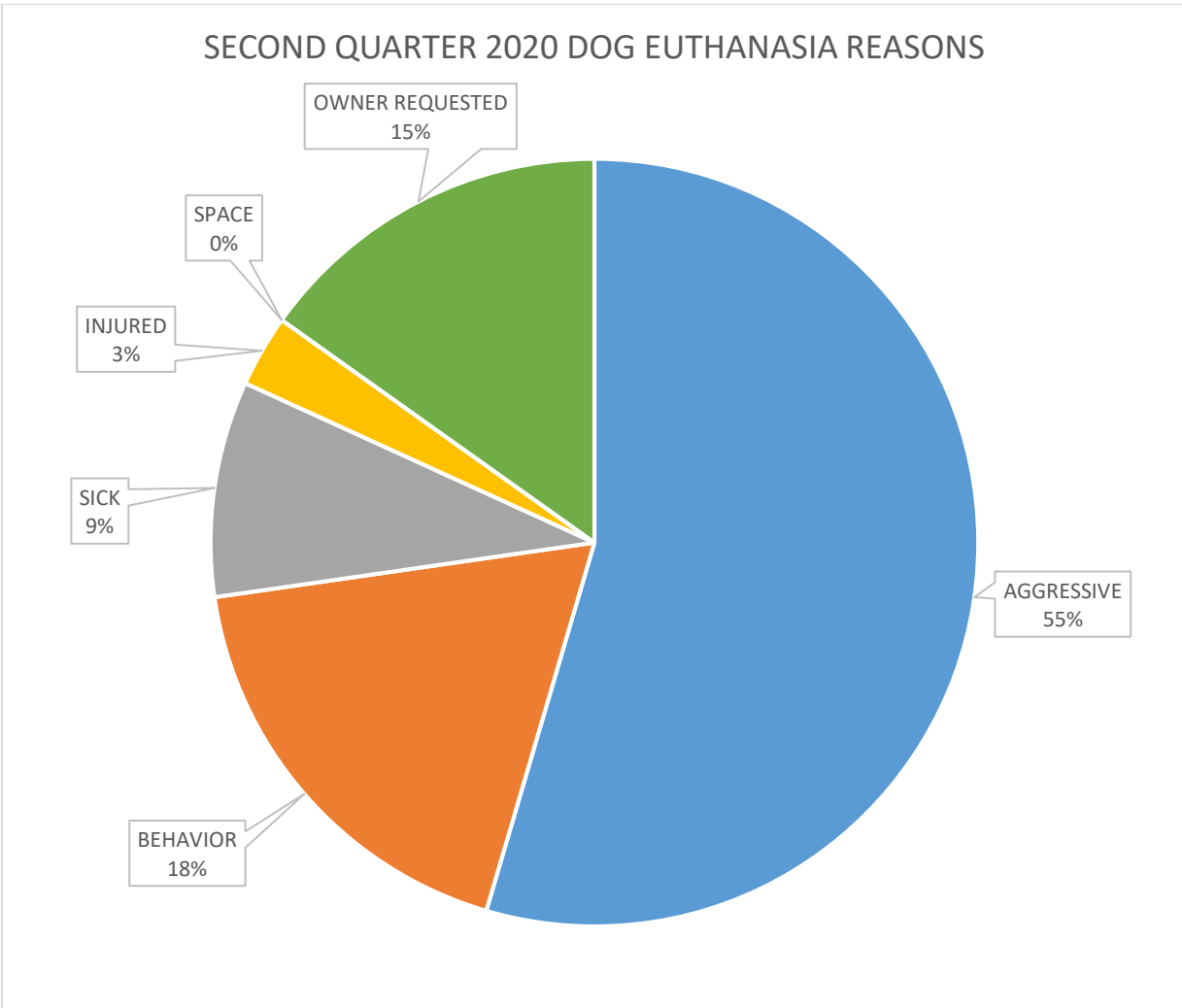
Outcomes for dogs impounded at the shelter were primarily adoptions 43%, returned to owner 24%, and Euthanasia 15%. Another 16% were sent or transferred to rescues, Humane Association, or other shelters for adoption.



| Dog Outcome           | 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter | 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Adoption              | 191                     | 135                     |                         |                         |
| Euthanasia            | 66                      | 24                      |                         |                         |
| Reclaimed             | 136                     | 85                      |                         |                         |
| Transferred to Rescue | 137                     | 83                      |                         |                         |
| Other                 | 18                      | 13                      |                         |                         |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>548</b>              | <b>340</b>              |                         |                         |

## Dog Euthanasia

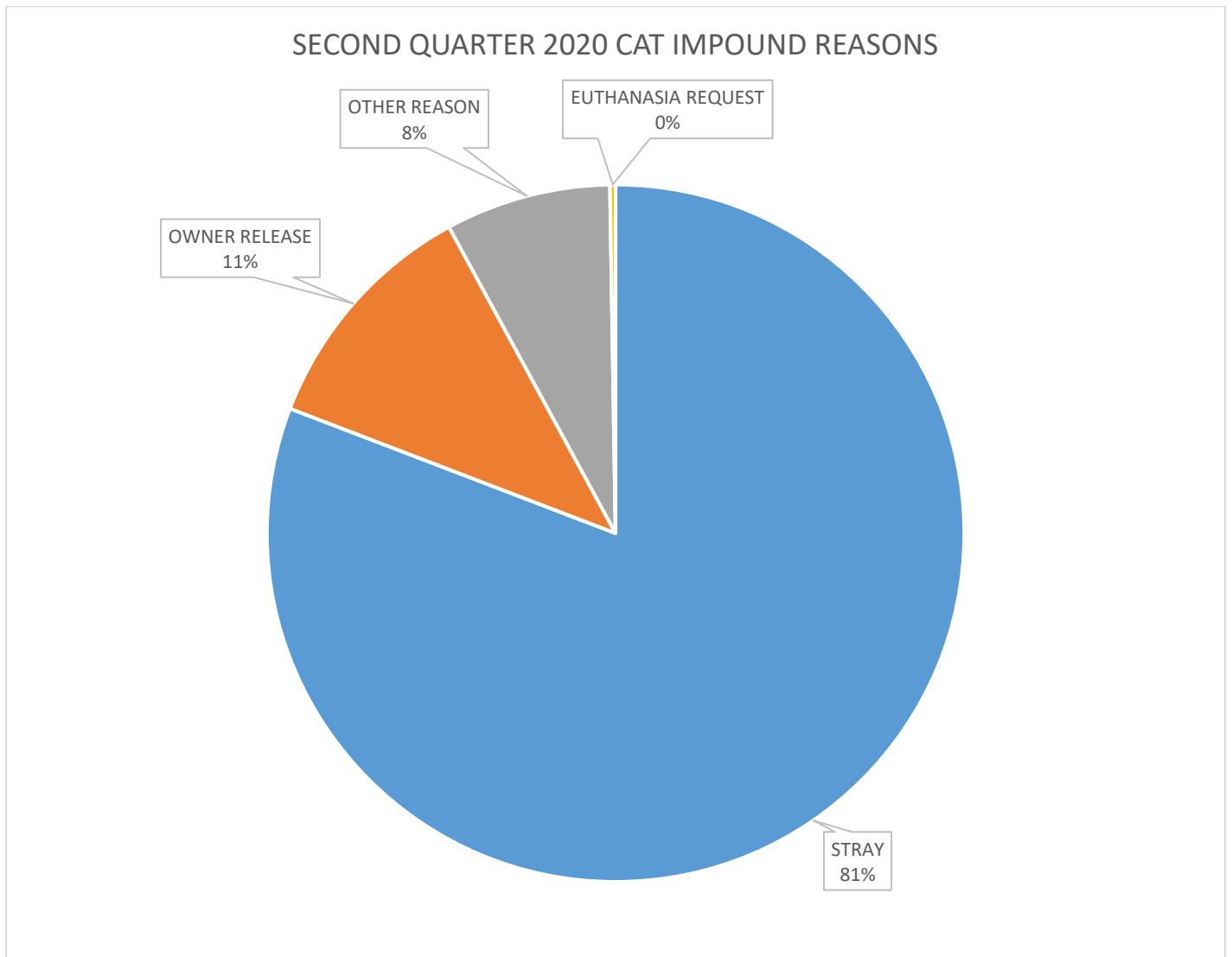
Of the 33 dogs euthanized, 73% were for behavior or aggression problems that were deemed unadoptable or rescue candidates. Those problems were identified through owner reports, staff experience and interaction with the dog, shelter temperament testing, and previous bite or aggression history. Other dogs were euthanized for medical issues 12%, space due to overcrowding and no available rescues or facilities to accept overflow 0% and owner requested euthanasia 15%



| Dog Euthanasia Reason | 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter | 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Aggressive            | 31                      | 18                      |                         |                         |
| Behavior              | 43                      | 6                       |                         |                         |
| Sick                  | 9                       | 3                       |                         |                         |
| Injured               | 1                       | 1                       |                         |                         |
| Space                 | 1                       | 0                       |                         |                         |
| Owner Requested       | 2                       | 5                       |                         |                         |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>87</b>               | <b>33</b>               |                         |                         |

## Cats

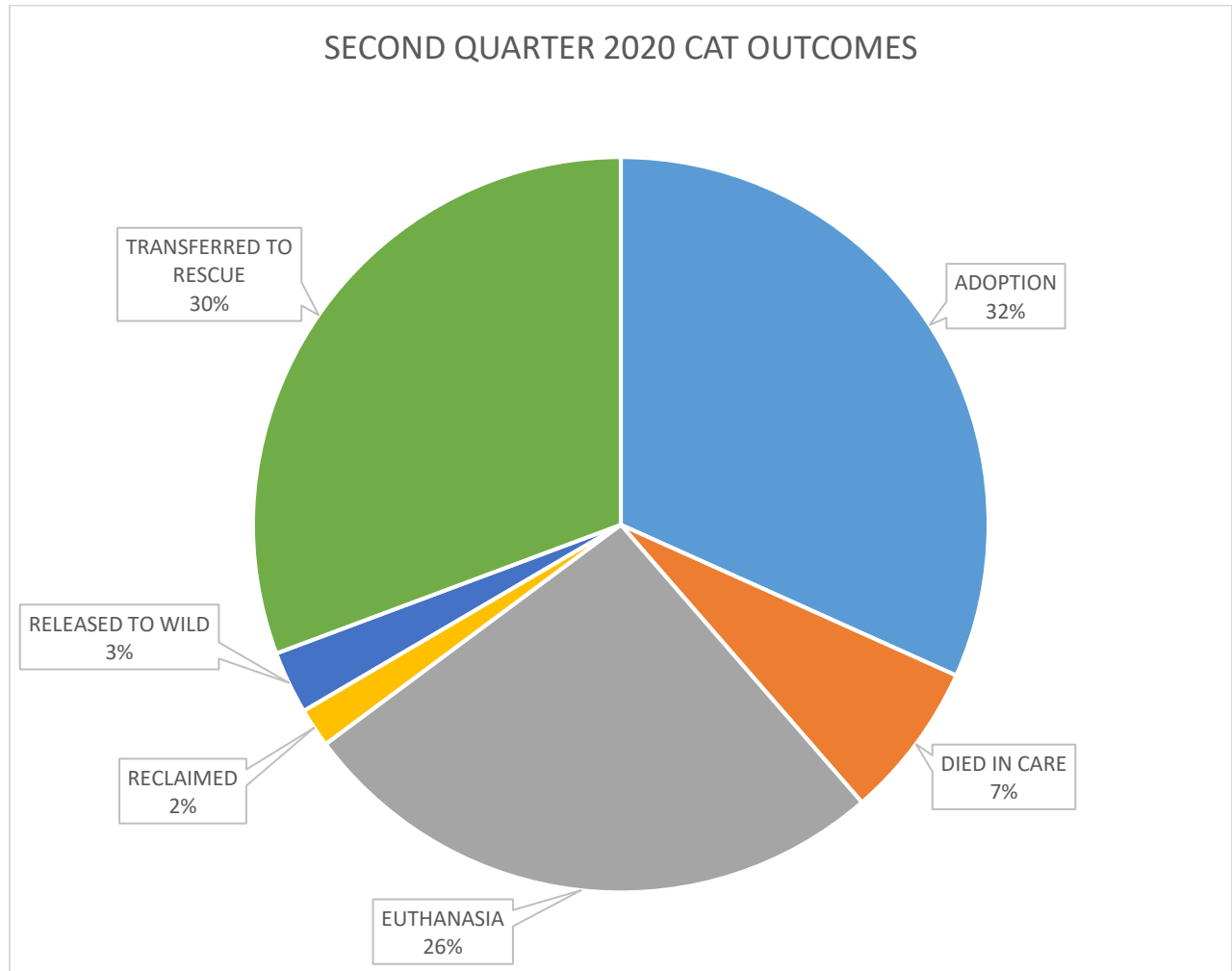
There were 391 cats impounded in the Second Quarter of 2020. 316 were strays, 44 were owner releases, and 31 were for other reasons (protective care, bite quarantine, welfare, feral). 81% of cat intakes were strays either picked up in the field or primarily brought in over the counter. 11% of our cat intakes were owner surrender



| Cat Impound Reason | 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter | 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter |
|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Stray              | 189                     | 316                     |                         |                         |
| Owner Release      | 49                      | 44                      |                         |                         |
| Other Reason       | 9                       | 30                      |                         |                         |
| Euthanasia Request | 1                       | 1                       |                         |                         |
| <b>Total</b>       | <b>270</b>              | <b>391</b>              |                         |                         |

## Cat Outcomes

Outcomes for cats impounded at the shelter were primarily for Adoptions and Transferred to other shelters, rescues or Humane Societies for adoption 62%. 26% of all cats that entered the shelter were euthanized.

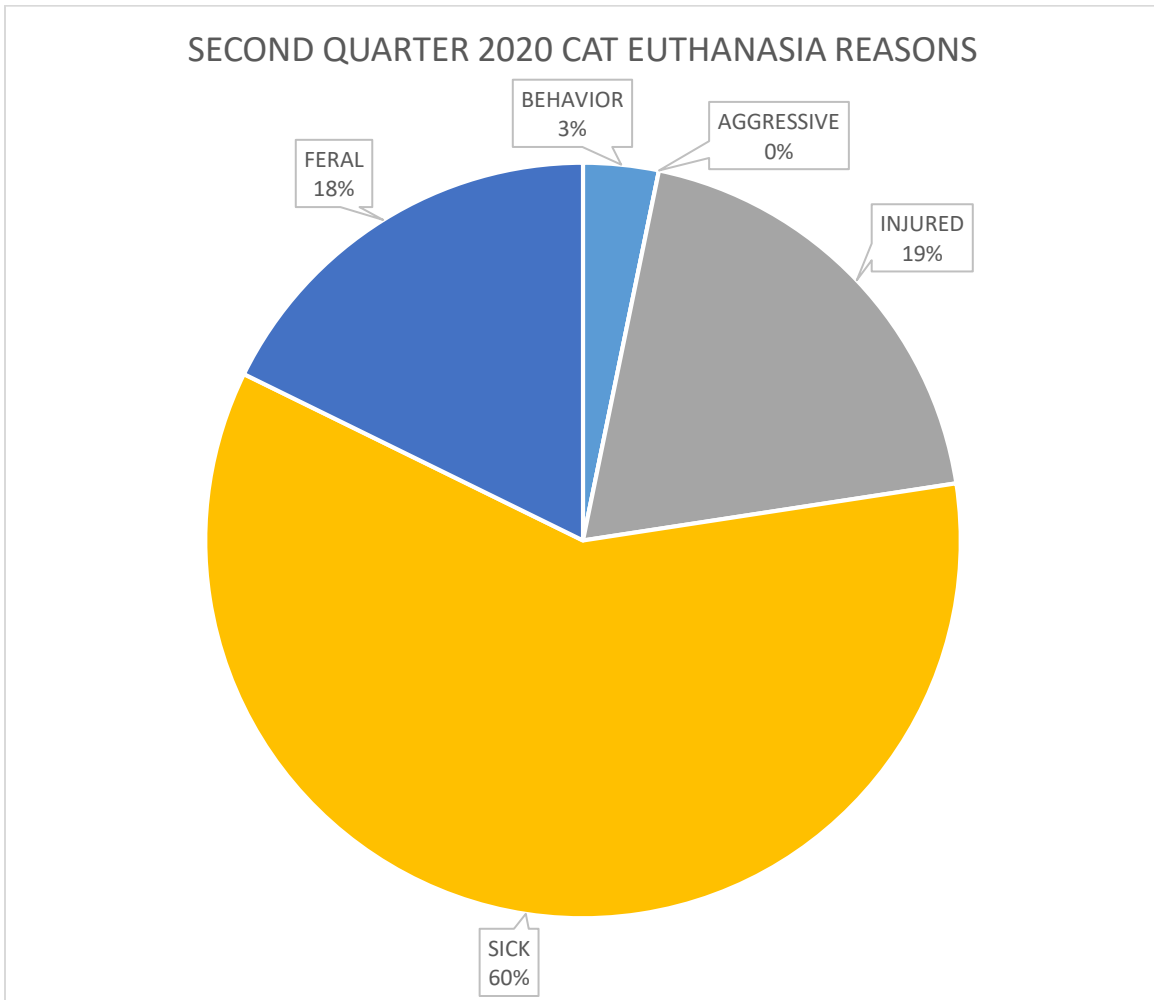


| Cat Outcome           | 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter | 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Adoption              | 58                      | 92                      |                         |                         |
| Died in Care          | 6                       | 20                      |                         |                         |
| Euthanasia            | 40                      | 76                      |                         |                         |
| Reclaimed             | 11                      | 5                       |                         |                         |
| Released to Wild      | 11                      | 8                       |                         |                         |
| Transferred to Rescue | 143                     | 89                      |                         |                         |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>270</b>              | <b>290</b>              |                         |                         |

## Cat Euthanasia

62 cats were euthanized in the Second Quarter 2020. We saw a 57% decrease in cat euthanasia from 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter of 2019 to 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter of 2020. 79% of the cats were euthanized for medical reasons, primarily, infectious diseases, 3% were euthanized for behavioral or temperament problems 0% were Owner requested euthanasia.

NOTE: Due to lack of spaying and neutering we saw a tremendous increase in primarily kittens impounded. A great number of these kittens had advanced Upper Respiratory Infection, emaciated, and other illnesses



| Cat Euthanasia Reason | 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter | 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Behavior              | 10                      | 2                       |                         |                         |
| Aggressive            | 4                       | 0                       |                         |                         |
| Injured               | 47                      | 12                      |                         |                         |
| Sick                  | 15                      | 37                      |                         |                         |
| Feral                 | 2                       | 11                      |                         |                         |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>78</b>               | <b>62</b>               |                         |                         |



## 2<sup>nd</sup> QUARTER 2020 RUNNING TOTALS

### 2018 RUNNING TOTALS

|                           | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | Jun. | Jul. | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. | Total |
|---------------------------|------|------|------|------|-----|------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|-------|
| <b>Owner Surrenders</b>   | 59   | 67   | 80   | 102  | 101 | 111  | 92   | 94   | 39    | 40   | 46   | 27   | 858   |
| <b>Stray Dogs/Puppy's</b> | 117  | 126  | 126  | 140  | 150 | 131  | 121  | 131  | 129   | 158  | 154  | 156  | 1,639 |
| <b>Stray Cats/Kittens</b> | 60   | 70   | 73   | 89   | 156 | 157  | 166  | 138  | 115   | 166  | 102  | 62   | 1,354 |
| <b>Call for Service</b>   | 464  | 419  | 469  | 505  | 494 | 394  | 357  | 423  | 383   | 427  | 469  | 412  | 5,216 |
| <b>Euthanasia Dog</b>     | 25   | 57   | 29   | 27   | 43  | 43   | 33   | 36   | 33    | 33   | 22   | 35   | 416   |
| <b>Euthanasia Cat</b>     | 18   | 31   | 23   | 16   | 81  | 95   | 121  | 117  | 74    | 76   | 41   | 25   | 718   |
| <b>Microchips Issued</b>  | N/A  | N/A  | N/A  | N/A  | N/A | N/A  | N/A  | N/A  | 117   | 177  | 132  | 128  | 554   |
| <b>LIVE RELEASE RATE</b>  | 81%  | 77%  | 82%  | 86%  | 61% | 71%  | 58%  | 69%  | 70%   | 72%  | 78%  | 82%  | 74%   |
| <b>DOGS</b>               | 87%  | 82%  | 87%  | 87%  | 81% | 86%  | 79%  | 80%  | 77%   | 85%  | 85%  | 82%  | 83%   |
| <b>CATS</b>               | 76%  | 73%  | 77%  | 85%  | 41% | 56%  | 38%  | 59%  | 64%   | 60%  | 72%  | 82%  | 65%   |

### 2019 RUNNING TOTALS

|                           | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | Jun. | Jul. | Aug. | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | Total |
|---------------------------|------|------|------|------|-----|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| <b>Owner Surrenders</b>   | 48   | 60   | 47   | 83   | 78  | 38   | 34   | 55   | 58  | 41  | 46  | 62  | 660   |
| <b>Stray Dogs/Puppy's</b> | 130  | 135  | 178  | 144  | 149 | 154  | 184  | 184  | 136 | 170 | 153 | 153 | 1,870 |
| <b>Stray Cats/Kittens</b> | 69   | 41   | 42   | 67   | 189 | 229  | 191  | 191  | 152 | 153 | 111 | 66  | 1,801 |
| <b>Call for Service</b>   | 475  | 376  | 504  | 426  | 441 | 438  | 444  | 438  | 388 | 468 | 468 | 435 | 5,310 |
| <b>Euthanasia Dog</b>     | 23   | 42   | 27   | 18   | 31  | 28   | 21   | 54   | 29  | 27  | 33  | 16  | 349   |
| <b>Euthanasia Cat</b>     | 6    | 8    | 26   | 21   | 18  | 102  | 23   | 81   | 76  | 75  | 44  | 42  | 522   |
| <b>Microchips Issued</b>  | 109  | 105  | 131  | 128  | 118 | 153  | 236  | 162  | 124 | 182 | 144 | 150 | 1,743 |
| <b>LIVE RELEASE RATE</b>  | 89%  | 82%  | 83%  | 87%  | 85% | 67%  | 91%  | 70%  | 74% | 79% | 80% | 86% | 81%   |
| <b>DOGS</b>               | 74%  | 79%  | 89%  | 92%  | 85% | 87%  | 91%  | 81%  | 87% | 88% | 85% | 92% | 86%   |
| <b>CATS</b>               | 92%  | 90%  | 63%  | 75%  | 85% | 49%  | 90%  | 51%  | 55% | 70% | 73% | 77% | 73%   |

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|                           | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | Jun. | Jul. | Aug. | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec |
|---------------------------|------|------|------|------|-----|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| <b>Owner Surrenders</b>   | 43   | 51   | 46   | 31   | 39  | 75   |      |      |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Stray Dogs/Puppy's</b> | 163  | 134  | 99   | 42   | 85  | 95   |      |      |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Stray Cats/Kittens</b> | 103  | 85   | 44   | 23   | 112 | 168  |      |      |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Call for Service</b>   | 526  | 424  | 390  | 265  | 340 | 389  |      |      |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Euthanasia Dog</b>     | 40   | 28   | 17   | 11   | 12  | 8    |      |      |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Euthanasia Cat</b>     | 19   | 13   | 8    | 2    | 25  | 35   |      |      |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Microchips Issued</b>  | 156  | 133  | 108  | 28   | 78  | 140  |      |      |     |     |     |     |
| <b>LIVE RELEASE RATE</b>  | 85%  | 90%  | 91%  | 91%  | 87% | 88%  |      |      |     |     |     |     |
| <b>DOGS</b>               | 86%  | 91%  | 92%  | 90%  | 93% | 97%  |      |      |     |     |     |     |
| <b>CATS</b>               | 85%  | 89%  | 90%  | 93%  | 74% | 74%  |      |      |     |     |     |     |