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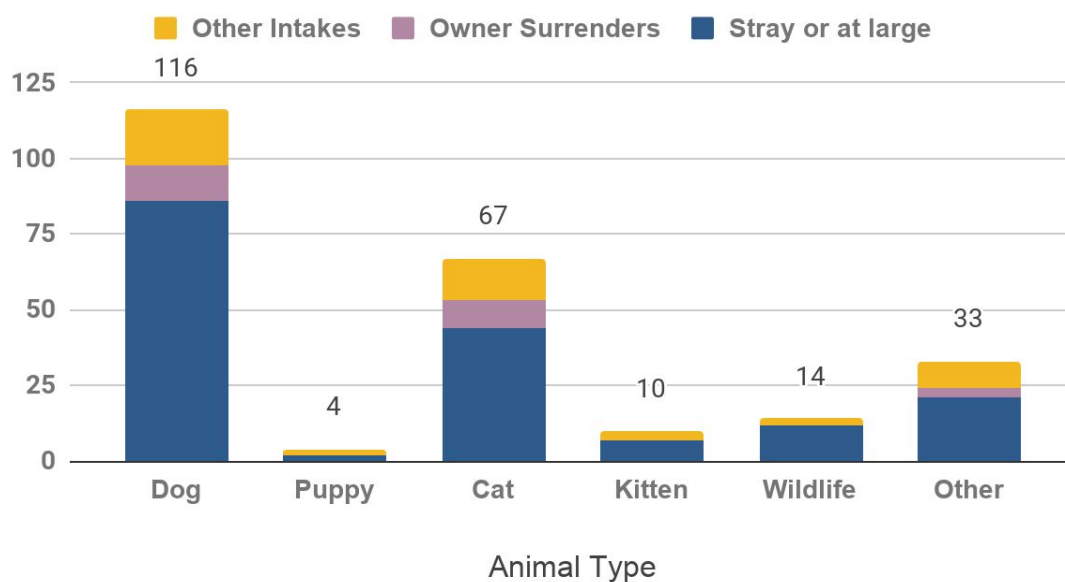
During January 2021, all but essential services offered to the public remained suspended due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Modifications are reflected in reporting metrics including adoption outcomes, volunteer hours, total spay & neuter surgeries performed, and licensing.

Animal Intake

MCAS continued to accept stray pets from members of the public, and officers also picked up stray or lost animals. Owner surrendered animals were accepted on a case by case basis, depending on urgent circumstances. Other intakes most commonly represent animals placed into protective custody by Animal Services officers.

Intake Type	Dog	Puppy	Cat	Kitten	Wildlife	Other	Total
Stray or at large	86	2	44	7	12	21	172
Owner Surrenders	12	0	9	0	0	3	24
Other Intakes	18	2	14	3	2	9	48
Total Live Intake	116	4	67	10	14	33	244

Animal Intake by Type and Circumstance





Veterinary Care Provided

Animal Health and Animal Care staff provided a wide range of veterinary services to animals in care.

To keep animals healthy, staff administered 1,025 vaccinations, including rabies, [DA2PP](#) and Bordetella for dogs and puppies, and [FVRCP](#) for cats and kittens.



They provided 938 health exams and consultations, including routine exams, wound checks, pre-surgery checkups, behavior assessments, and reviewing test results or diagnoses with foster volunteers.



Veterinary Service	Cats	Kittens	Dogs	Puppies	Other	Total
Health Exams & Consults	304	156	358	16	104	938
Spay & Neuter Surgeries	41	24	28	1	9	103
Medications Administered	11	17	36	3	0	67
Tests & Diagnostics	28	12	11	0	2	53
Vaccinations	370	91	553	11	0	1,025
Other Vet Treatments	225	178	273	36	50	762
Total Services	979	478	1,259	67	165	2,948

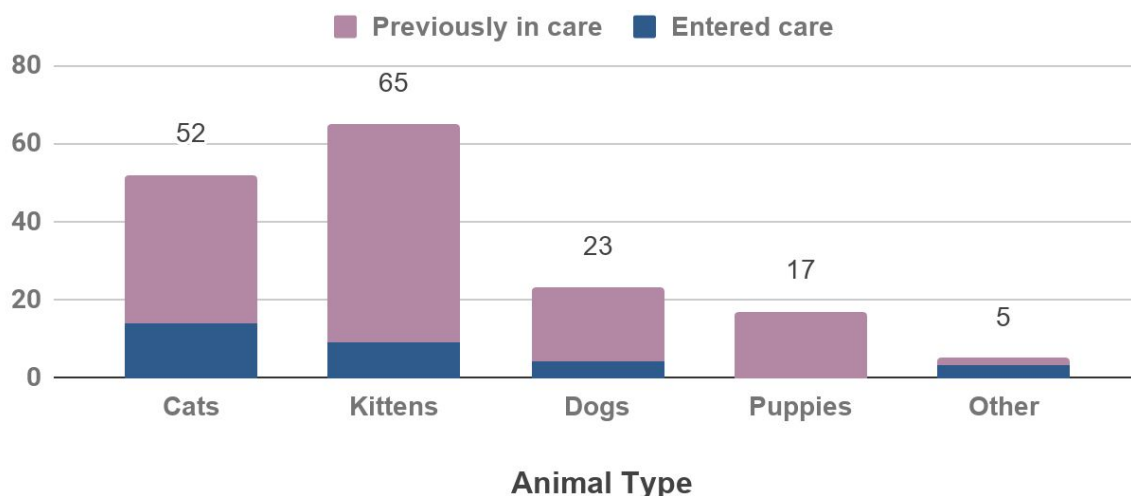


Fostered Animals

In January 2021, thirty (30) animals entered foster care, joining the existing one-hundred-and-thirty-two (132) animals already in care at the beginning of the month. The majority of animals in foster care were kittens, and adult cats. MCAS foster volunteers cared for a total of one-hundred-and-sixty-two (162) foster animals. Many of these animals left foster care for other outcomes over the course of the month, so the total number does not represent the maximum number of animals in care at one time.

Animal type	Entered care	Previously in care	Total in foster care
Cats	14	38	52
Kittens	9	56	65
Dogs	4	19	23
Puppies	0	17	17
Other	3	2	5
Total	30	132	162

Animals in Foster Care





Animal Outcomes

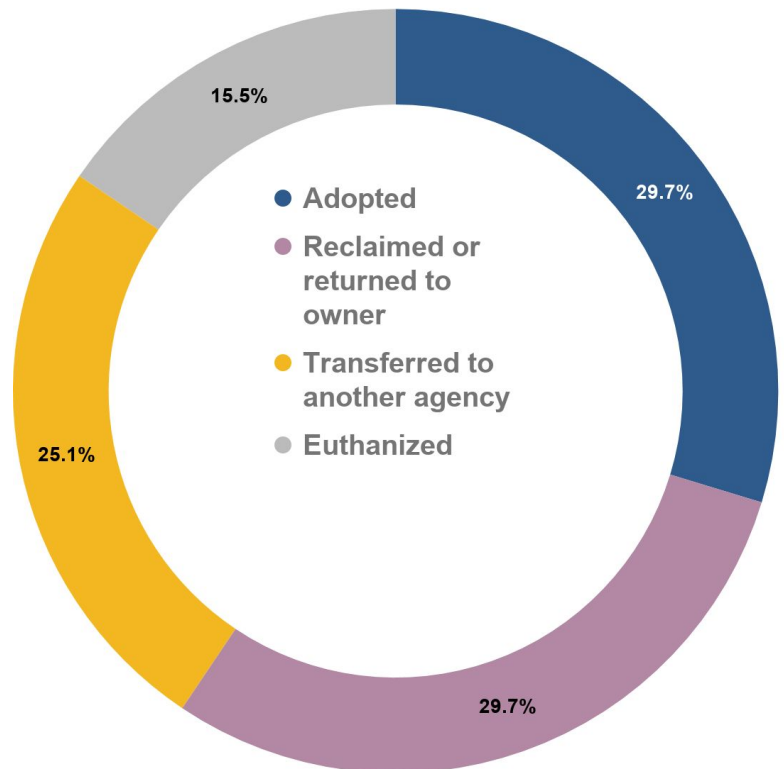
In January 2021, seventy-one animals (29.7%) were adopted. At the end of September 2020, MCAS launched a virtual adoptions process allowing for online animal selection, application submissions, and remote adoption interviews. A low-contact process was also developed for animal pickup. Adoptions were also performed from community adoption partners, and foster homes.

Seventy-one animals (29.7%) were reclaimed by their owners. The majority of animals represented in these outcomes were dogs.

Sixty animals (26.1%) were transferred to another agency, including Oregon Humane Society and Cat Adoption Team.

Thirty-seven animals (15.5%) were humanely euthanized, including cases of injured wildlife, injured or severely sick cats, and other domestic animals at the recommendation of a veterinarian, or for behavioral issues which would make an animal unsafe to place back into the community.

No animals in care were returned to field, had unassisted deaths, or had other outcomes not reported above.

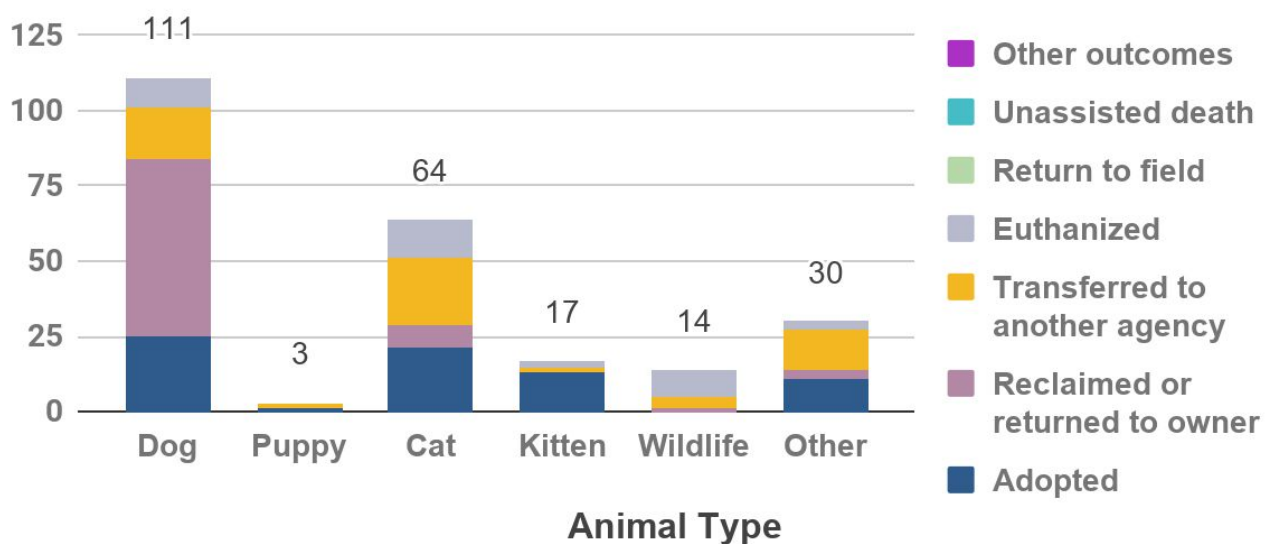




Animal Outcomes (continued)

Outcome Type	Dog	Puppy	Cat	Kitten	Wildlife	Other	Total
Adopted	25	1	21	13	0	11	71
Reclaimed/returned to owner	59	0	8	0	1	3	71
Transferred to another agency	17	2	22	2	4	13	60
Euthanized	10	0	13	2	9	3	37
Return to field	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unassisted death	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other outcomes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	111	3	64	17	14	30	239

Animal Outcomes by Type and Circumstance





Volunteers

With in-shelter volunteer activities suspended due to COVID-19, all volunteer hours in January were recorded by foster and transport volunteers.

Volunteer Role	Hours
Foster: Cats and Kittens	4,177
Foster: Dogs and Puppies	3,312
Foster: Other	75
Transport	15
Total	7,579

**The total hourly contribution for all foster volunteers is estimated to be three (3) hours per day, per foster home. Setting an hourly rate for all foster homes regardless of number or type of animals is considered an industry standard by the Humane Society of the United States (HSUS), and has been in practice at MCAS for many years.*

Online Resources

Page Category	Page Views
Adoptable Pets	64,349
Lost & Found Pets	32,739
Home Page Visits	34,138
Licensing Resources	20,393
News & Updates	3,086
Low-Cost Services	4,492
Kitten Resources	940
Field Services	2,563
Volunteering	1,467
Other Pages	20,932
Total	185,099

Many services provided by MCAS are accessible online, at multcopets.org. Here, pet owners can search for lost pets, try to find the owners of found pets, search for adoptable companions, license their animals, and learn about other resources available to them, such as information about caring for kittens, low cost services, emergency response and other field services, volunteer opportunities, and regional news.



Field Services

In January, Field Services officers responded to 484 urgent needs of community members and their pets, investigated cases of potential cruelty or neglect, and picked up stray or deceased animals.

Dispatch Category	Count	Percentage
Deceased Animal Pickup	125	26%
Stray Animal	54	11%
Suspected Cruelty / Neglect	90	19%
Loose aggressive animal (<i>Animals actively charging, attacking, or chasing people or animals</i>)	53	11%
Bite Investigation	42	9%
Loose nuisance animal	12	2%
Injured Animal	33	7%
Abandoned Animal	19	4%
Animal Placed in Protective Custody	9	2%
Other	47	10%
Total	484	100%

Pet Licensing

While there is an ongoing amnesty period for pet licensing requirements due to COVID-19 related hardships, and physical distancing requirements, MCAS issued 3,422 total licenses in January.

License Type	Cats	Dogs	Total
New Licenses	1,135	2,043	3,178
Renewed Licenses	45	199	244
Total	1,180	2,242	3,422