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The East Baton Rouge Parish Animal Control & Rescue Center statistics

Dog and cat adoptions in 2010 were up considerably compared to 2009 (A 14% increase) and a 39% increase compared to 2008 numbers.

Dog & cat 2010 euthanasia rates were also reduced by 29% compared to 2009 numbers and 31% compared to 2008 numbers.

The most remarkable observations are in the positive outcomes (A combination of adoptions, rescues and redemptions) for 2010. These reflected a 29% increase over 2009.

The good news is that the wonderful assistance that non-profits like Yelp!, Friends of the Animals, Project Purr, Northside Humane & various other groups and individuals that assisted us, has paid off in substantial savings of animals lives.

The positive trend will gain even more momentum, if the considerable human and material resources of the groups are further harnessed and directed into one cohesive effort. The ACRC looks forward to working with the Companion Animal Alliance and affiliated groups to channel this dynamic movement forward in 2011.

Euthanasia, Dog/Cat Statistics for year 2008-2010

	<u>2008</u>		<u>2009</u>		<u>2010</u>	
	Dog	Cat	Dog	Cat	Dog	Cat
Euth. Healthy	1875	921	1377	646	1115	469
Euth. Treatable/Rehabilitatable	479	289	201	245	90	216
Euth. Treatable/Manageable	726	1001	1460	887	797	690
Euth. Unhealthy/Untreatable	1457	1603	1519	2192	1129	1517
Euth. LSU SVM	399	6				
Euth. Other	10	8				
TOTAL	4946	3828	4557	3970	3131	2892
TOTAL DOG & CAT	8774		8527		6023	
PERCENTAGE DECREASE OVER PREVIOUS YEAR	- 8%		- 3%		-29%	

Statistical Comparison: Positive Outcomes

Adoptions

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
January	96	92	101	154	46
February	91	78	99	179	
March	77	87	125	231	
April	69	91	121	199	
May	80	77	133	119	
June	72	83	130	110	
July	90	109	108	127	
August	80	98	146	121	
September	62	72	104	123	
October	63	103	116	151	
November	76	94	108	105	
December	74	97	223	147	
	930	1081	1514	1766	46

Rescues

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
January	0	0	0	66	14
February	10	0	0	50	0
March	4	0	0	88	0
April	1	0	0	127	0
May	3	0	0	110	0
June	1	0	1	46	0
July	2	0	0	40	0
August	6	0	1	49	0
September	8	0	0	49	0
October	0	0	0	75	0
November	0	0	0	60	0
December	4	0	1	78	0
	39	0	3	838	14

Redemptions

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
January	85	78	81	76	23
February	66	58	94	60	0
March	102	75	77	85	0
April	62	74	69	91	0
May	55	59	88	50	0
June	64	57	87	64	0
July	48	48	69	57	0
August	44	66	79	73	0
September	48	88	60	73	0
October	68	92	79	78	0
November	72	86	57	50	0
December	38	91	80	55	0
	752	872	920	812	23

ADOPTIONS/RESCUES/REDEMPTIONS

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
January	181	170	182	296	83
February	167	136	193	289	0
March	183	162	202	404	0
April	132	165	190	417	0
May	138	136	221	279	0
June	137	140	218	220	0
July	140	157	177	224	0
August	130	164	226	243	0
September	118	160	164	245	0
October	131	195	195	304	0
November	148	180	165	215	0
December	116	188	304	280	0
	1721	1953	2437	3416	83

