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Gratiot County Animal Control
Statistics 2006 - 2011

Dogs (Older than 6 months)	2006	% Total	2007	% Total	2008	% Total	2009	% Total	2010	% Total	2011	% Total
Strays/Releases	641		518		511		559		491		588	
Adoptions	48	8%	62	12%	76	14%	239	48%	275	57%	232	40%
Returned to Owner	166	28%	156	29%	121	23%	156	31%	120	25%	148	26%
Destroyed	217	37%	174	33%	163	31%	66	13%	26	5%	68	12%
To Research	159	27%	143	27%	170	32%	39	8%	7	1%	1	0.2%
Transfers					4	1%	0	0%	54	11%	128	22%
Other (died, stolen, escaped, disappeared)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Quarantines/rescues	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Total Dogs	590		535		534		500		482		577	

Puppies (Under 6 months old)												
Strays/Releases	134		111		133		131		127		94	
Adoptions	26	21%	23	20%	36	28%	78	62%	104	75%	55	62%
Returned to Owner	10	8%	8	7%	12	9%	12	10%	2	1%	2	2%
Destroyed	83	68%	80	70%	79	62%	34	27%	25	18%	4	4%
To Research	3	2%	3	3%	0	0%	1	1%	0	0%	0	0%
Transfers					1	1%	0	0%	8	6%	28	31%
Other (died, stolen, escaped, disappeared)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Quarantines/rescues	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Total Puppies	122		114		128		125		139		89	

Total Dogs/Puppies Handled	2006	% Total	2007	% Total	2008	% Total	2009	% Total	2010	% Total	2011	% Total
Received/Admitted	775		629		644		690		618		682	
Adoptions	74	10%	85	14%	112	17%	317	46%	379	61%	287	42%
Returned to Owner	176	23%	164	26%	133	21%	168	24%	122	20%	150	22%
Destroyed	300	39%	254	40%	242	38%	100	14%	51	8%	72	11%
To Research	162	21%	146	23%	170	26%	40	6%	7	1%	1	0%
Transfers	0	0%	0	0%	5	1%	0	0%	62	10%	156	23%
Other (died, stolen, escaped, disappeared)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Quarantines/rescues	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Total Dogs/Puppies Handled	712		649		662		625		621		666	

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Cats (Over 6 months old)	2006	% Total	2007	% Total	2008	% Total	2009	% Total	2010	% Total	2011	% Total
Strays/Releases	530		446		498		414		418		504	
Adoptions	24	4%	9	2%	10	2%	71	18%	105	27%	113	24%
Returned to Owner	3	1%	6	1%	1	0%	5	1%	6	2%	2	0%
Destroyed	327	58%	290	66%	373	67%	203	50%	243	62%	276	59%
To Research	206	37%	134	31%	173	31%	124	31%	23	6%	18	4%
Transfers					1	0%	0	0%	15	4%	62	13%
Other (died, stolen, escaped, disappeared)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Quarantines/rescues	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Total Cats	560		439		558		403		392		471	

Kittens (Under 6 months old)												
Strays/Releases	488		364		495		337		465		518	
Adoptions	10	2%	21	6%	28	6%	90	18%	86	19%	187	36%
Returned to Owner	0	0%	2	1%	0	0%	2	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Destroyed	390	96%	301	91%	407	92%	397	80%	278	63%	221	43%
To Research	8	2%	7	2%	3	1%	7	1%	0	0%	20	4%
Transfers	0	0%	0	0%	5	1%	0	0%	80	18%	89	17%
Other (died, stolen, escaped, disappeared)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Quarantines/rescues	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Total Kittens	408		331		443		496		444		517	

Total Cats/Kittens Handled	2006	% Total	2007	% Total	2008	% Total	2009	% Total	2010	% Total	2011	% Total
Received/Admitted	1,018		810		993		751		883		1,022	
Adoptions	34	3%	30	4%	38	4%	161	21%	191	22%	300	34%
Returned to Owner	3	0%	8	1%	1	0%	7	1%	6	1%	2	0%
Destroyed	717	70%	591	73%	780	79%	600	80%	521	59%	497	56%
To Research	214	21%	141	17%	176	18%	131	17%	23	3%	38	4%
Transfers	0	0%	0	0%	6	1%	0	0%	95	11%	151	17%
Other (died, stolen, escaped, disappeared)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Quarantines/rescues	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Total Cats/Kittens Handled	968		770		1,001		899		836		988	

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Total Animals Handled	2006	% Total	2007	% Total	2008	% Total	2009	% Total	2010	% Total	2011	% Total
Received/Admitted	1,793		1,439		1,637		1,441		1,501		1,704	
Adoptions	108	6%	115	8%	150	9%	478	31%	570	39%	587	35%
Returned to Owner	179	11%	172	12%	134	8%	175	11%	128	9%	152	9%
Destroyed	1,017	61%	845	60%	1,022	61%	700	46%	572	39%	569	34%
To Research	376	22%	287	20%	346	21%	171	11%	30	2%	39	2%
Transfers	0	0%	0	0%	5	0%	0	0%	157	11%	307	19%
Other (died, stolen, escaped, disappeared)	0	0%	0	0%	5	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Quarantines/rescues	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Total Animals Handled	1,680		1,419		1,662		1,524		1,457		1,654	

Help Furry Friends

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Our Mission Statement.....

..... to promote the adoption of shelter cats and dogs, educate the public regarding the benefits of spaying and neutering their pets, and to support efforts and initiatives which benefit the welfare of companion animals.

Who we are....

Help Furry Friends was formed in 2009 by a few concerned citizens of Gratiot County who wanted to make a difference in the lives of local shelter animals.

We are now incorporated as a Michigan nonprofit and recognized by the IRS as a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt organization.

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