Halifax Humane Society (HHS) Animal Metrics

Outcome Data Analysis

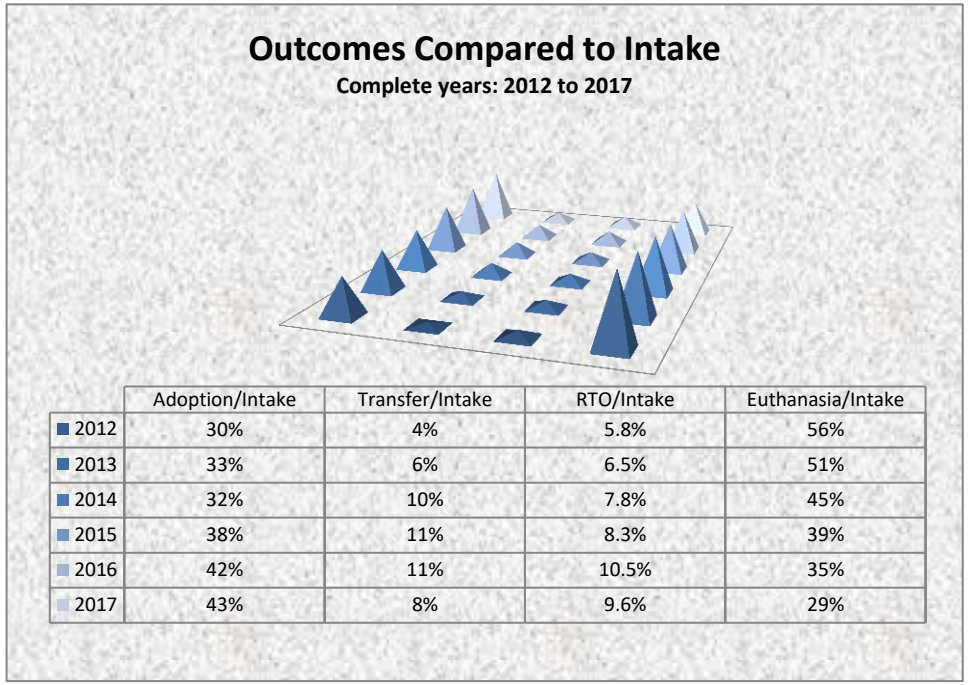
HHS Adoptions, Transfers and Return to Owner (RTO) are all in direct correlation to the decrease shown at intake. This means, that less animals coming in will ultimately affect the number available for outcomes. While the raw numbers *may* show a decline, in actuality, outcome category percentages compared to intake are showing positive trends overall respectively.

Transfer-out percentages compared to intake in 2017 reflect a slight decrease to 8%. Focus is directed to increase network abilities including the help of social media. **Additional comparisons reflect Transfer's compared to Animal Intake have more than doubled since 2012.**

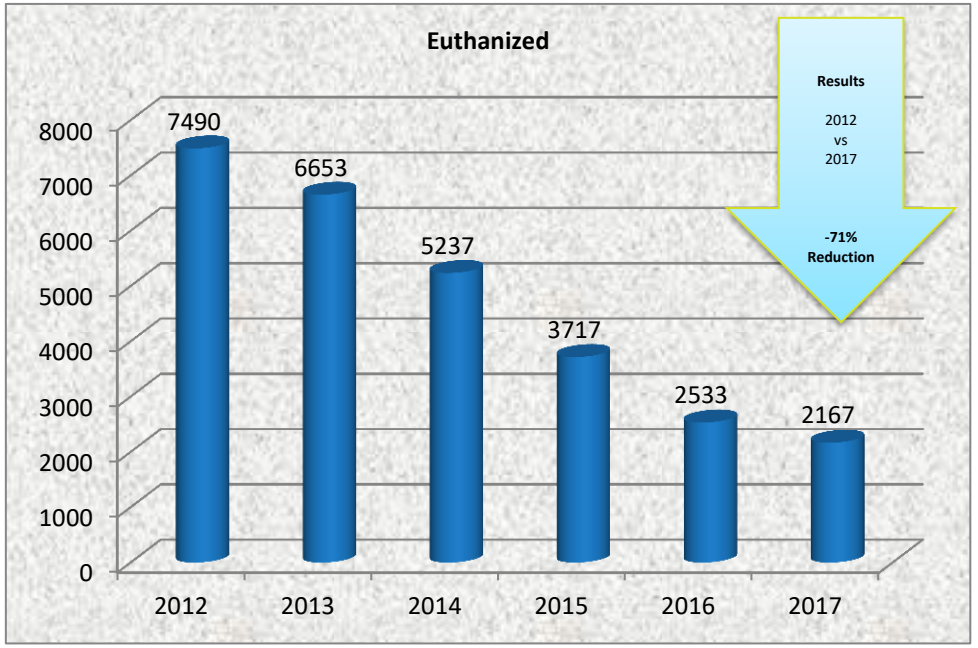
Return to Owner (RTO) metrics are in direct correlation to the overall reduced intake. Upon further examination, this percentage compared to intake has experienced a slight decline, however is still reflecting positive gains in this area also. Efforts made in 2015 resulted with the addition of lost animal page going live on the HHS website.

Euthanasia numbers continue to decline bringing HHS closer to achieving its goal of responsibly finding positive outcomes for as many place-able animals as possible. **2017 shows a -14% decrease from 2016 and a -71% decrease from 2012**. With comparison to Intake, this is the one category where a decrease is the desired results and comparisons are showing a steady decline each year. Through increased program application, HHS has turned the corner from being a shelter that was only reactive to the overwhelming number of animal entering the shelter each year to a proactive approach of addressing the real issues at hand, pet overpopulation.

The following pages contain a detailed breakdown of outcome categories. Reporting is completed on a monthly basis and may vary slightly from end of year totals as corrections are made.



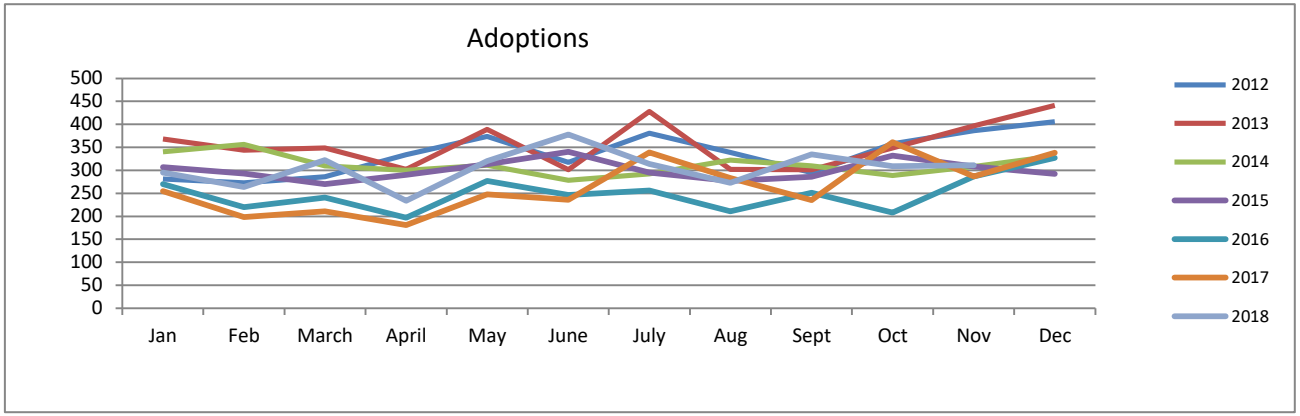
	Adoption/Intake	Transfer/Intake	RTO/Intake	Euthanasia/Intake
2012	30%	4%	5.8%	56%
2013	33%	6%	6.5%	51%
2014	32%	10%	7.8%	45%
2015	38%	11%	8.3%	39%
2016	42%	11%	10.5%	35%
2017	43%	8%	9.6%	29%



Halifax Humane Society All Animal Outcome Comparatives (not including PTSOR or Clinic)

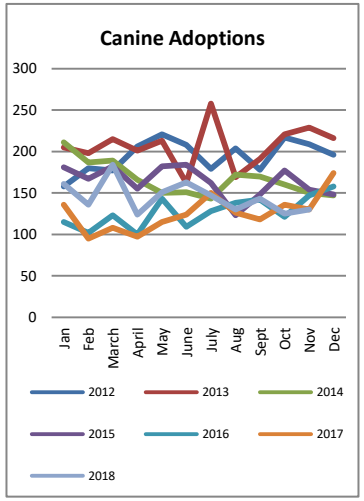
Animal Adoptions - All

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	281	368	340	307	270	255	295
Feb	273	344	356	293	220	198	264
March	286	349	310	270	241	211	322
April	334	302	300	290	197	181	234
May	374	389	311	313	277	248	320
June	317	301	278	340	246	236	378
July	381	428	292	295	256	339	314
Aug	339	302	322	277	211	283	273
Sept	295	301	310	286	251	235	335
Oct	358	349	289	332	208	361	309
Nov	386	397	308	308	287	287	311
Dec	406	441	331	292	327	338	
Total	4030	4271	3747	3603	2991	3172	3355
Daily Avg	11	11.7	10.2	9.8	8.1	8.6	



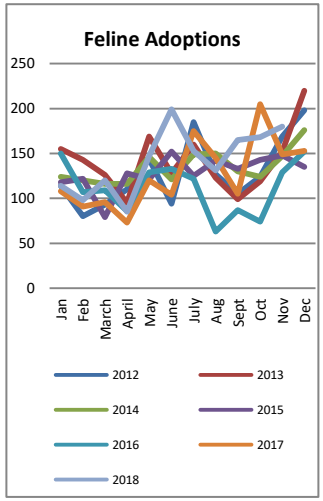
Adoptions-Canine

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	158	205	211	181	115	136	161
Feb	180	198	187	167	102	95	136
March	177	215	189	182	123	108	184
April	206	201	166	155	100	97	124
May	221	213	150	182	143	115	151
June	208	162	151	184	109	124	163
July	179	258	143	162	128	150	147
Aug	204	169	172	123	138	126	130
Sept	178	191	170	148	142	118	143
Oct	217	221	160	177	121	136	125
Nov	209	229	150	154	147	130	130
Dec	196	216	147	148	158	174	
Total	2333	2478	1996	1963	1526	1509	1594
Daily Avg	6.3	6.7	5.4	5.3	4.1	4.1	



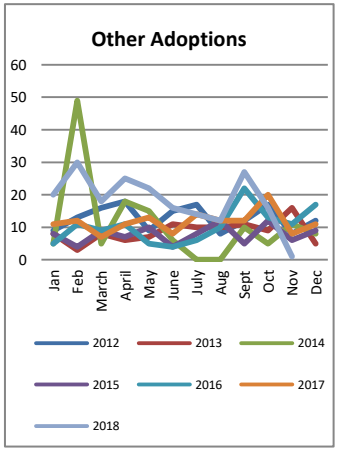
Adoptions-Feline

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	114	155	124	118	150	108	114
Feb	80	143	120	122	107	91	98
March	93	126	116	79	109	96	120
April	110	95	116	128	86	73	85
May	144	169	146	121	129	120	147
June	94	128	121	152	133	104	199
July	185	160	149	125	122	175	153
Aug	127	123	150	142	63	145	131
Sept	105	99	130	133	87	105	165
Oct	124	119	124	143	74	205	168
Nov	169	152	147	148	129	149	180
Dec	198	220	176	135	152	153	
Total	1543	1689	1619	1546	1341	1524	1560
Daily Avg	4.2	4.6	4.4	4.2	3.6	4.1	



Adoptions-Other

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	9	8	5	8	5	11	20
Feb	13	3	49	4	11	12	30
March	16	8	5	9	9	7	18
April	18	6	18	7	11	11	25
May	9	7	15	10	5	13	22
June	15	11	6	4	4	8	16
July	17	10	0	8	6	14	14
Aug	8	10	0	12	10	12	12
Sept	12	11	10	5	22	12	27
Oct	17	9	5	12	13	20	16
Nov	8	16	11	6	11	8	1
Dec	12	5	8	9	17	11	
Total	154	104	132	94	124	139	201
Daily Avg	0.42	0.28	0.36	0.25	0.33	0.38	



Anomaly

February 2014 reflects a 59 animal (assorted birds, reptiles) seizure from one location.

January 2016 - Mid April 2016 Large Dog Adoption Kennel Renovation.

August 2016 Cat adoptions impacted by Panleukopenia outbreak

October 2016 - Hurricane Matthew

September 2017 - Hurricane Irma

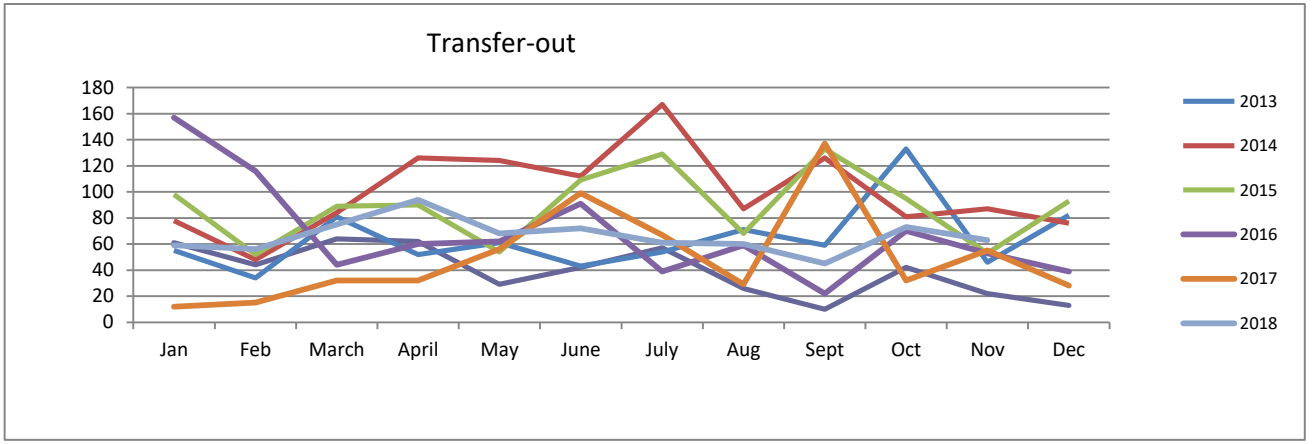
Meet Your Match

August 2012 - Implement full Feline-ality Program

September 2012 - Implement full Canine-ality Program

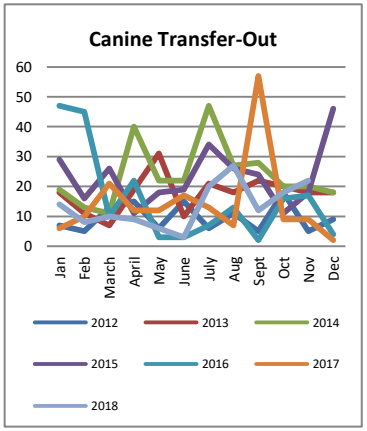
Transfer Out - All

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	61	55	78	98	157	12	59
Feb	44	34	48	52	116	15	56
March	64	81	84	89	44	32	75
April	62	52	126	90	60	32	94
May	29	61	124	54	62	56	68
June	42	43	112	109	91	99	72
July	57	54	167	129	39	67	61
Aug	26	71	87	68	59	29	60
Sept	10	59	126	133	22	137	45
Oct	42	133	81	95	70	32	73
Nov	22	46	87	53	53	55	63
Dec	13	82	76	93	39	28	
Total	472	771	1196	1063	812	594	726
Daily Avg	1.2	2.1	3.2	2.9	2.2	1.6	



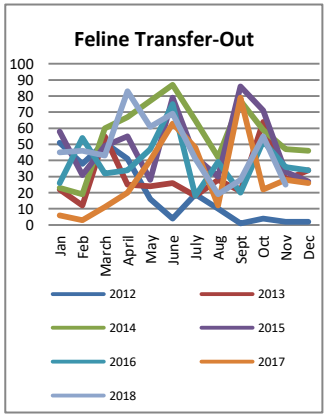
Transfer Out - Canine

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	7	18	19	29	47	6	14
Feb	5	11	13	16	45	10	8
March	13	7	11	26	10	21	10
April	15	19	40	11	22	12	9
May	6	31	22	18	3	12	6
June	15	10	22	19	3	17	3
July	6	21	47	34	7	13	20
Aug	11	18	27	26	13	7	27
Sept	5	22	28	24	2	57	12
Oct	18	20	20	11	16	9	18
Nov	5	18	20	18	17	9	22
Dec	9	18	18	46	4	2	
Total	115	213	287	278	189	175	149
Daily Avg	0.31	0.58	0.78	0.76	0.51	0.47	



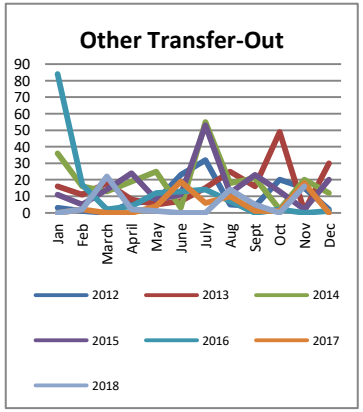
Transfer Out - Feline

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	51	22	23	58	26	6	45
Feb	38	12	19	31	54	3	46
March	51	55	60	49	32	11	43
April	41	25	67	55	34	20	83
May	16	24	77	28	47	40	61
June	4	26	87	79	75	63	69
July	19	18	65	42	18	48	41
Aug	10	28	42	30	39	12	19
Sept	1	21	77	86	20	79	28
Oct	4	64	59	71	52	22	55
Nov	2	28	47	33	36	28	25
Dec	2	34	46	27	34	26	
Total	239	357	669	589	467	358	515
Daily Avg	0.65	0.97	1.8	1.6	1.2	0.98	



Transfers Out - Other

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	3	16	36	11	84	0	0
Feb	1	11	16	5	17	2	2
March	0	18	13	14	2	0	22
April	6	8	19	24	4	0	2
May	7	5	25	8	12	4	1
June	23	7	3	11	13	19	0
July	32	15	55	53	14	6	0
Aug	5	25	18	12	7	10	14
Sept	4	16	21	23	0	1	5
Oct	20	49	2	13	2	1	0
Nov	15	1	20	2	0	18	16
Dec	2	30	12	20	1	0	
Total	118	201	240	196	156	61	62
Daily Avg	0.32	0.55	0.65	0.53	0.42	0.16	



Anomaly

January 2016 - 68 Rabbit Intake/Transfer from NC Shelter.

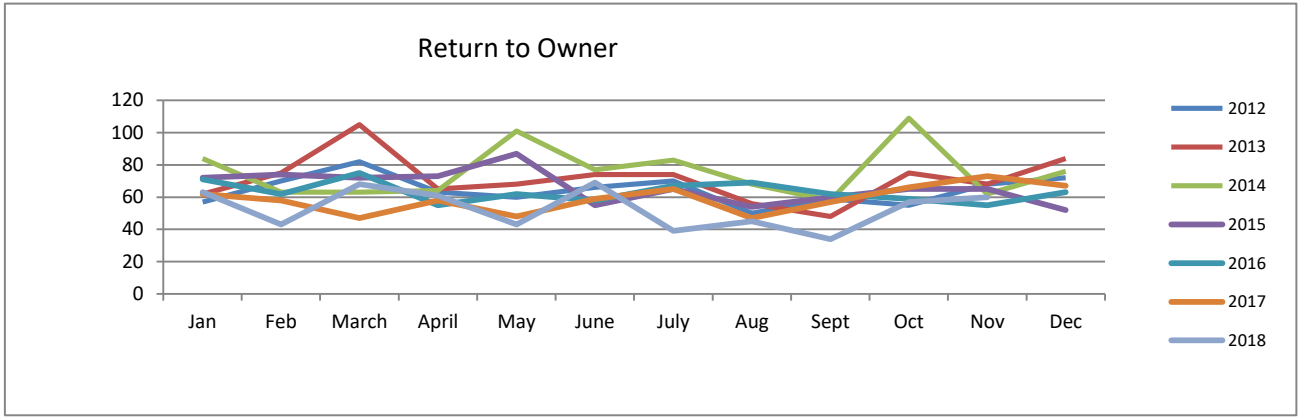
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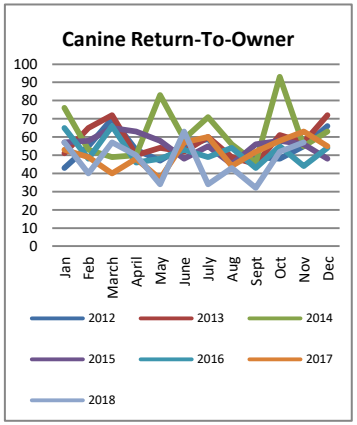
Return to Owner - All

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	57	62	84	72	71	62	63
Feb	70	75	63	74	62	58	43
March	82	105	63	72	75	47	68
April	63	65	64	73	55	58	61
May	60	68	101	87	62	48	43
June	66	74	77	55	58	59	69
July	70	74	83	65	67	65	39
Aug	50	56	68	54	69	47	45
Sept	59	48	58	60	62	57	34
Oct	55	75	109	65	59	66	57
Nov	68	68	62	65	55	73	60
Dec	72	84	76	52	63	67	
Total	772	854	908	794	758	707	582
Daily Avg	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.1	2	1.9	



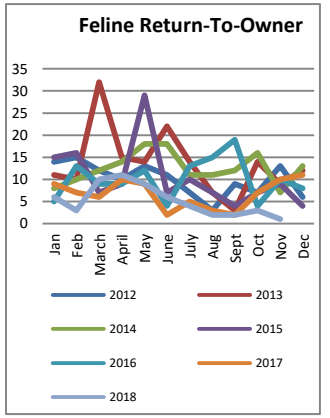
Return to Owner - Canine

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	43	51	76	57	65	53	57
Feb	55	65	53	58	48	49	40
March	70	72	49	65	66	40	57
April	53	50	50	63	46	48	50
May	47	54	83	58	48	37	34
June	55	52	59	48	53	57	63
July	59	60	71	55	49	60	34
Aug	46	49	56	45	54	44	43
Sept	49	45	46	56	43	52	32
Oct	48	61	93	58	55	58	52
Nov	55	57	55	56	44	63	57
Dec	66	72	63	48	54	55	
Total	646	688	754	667	625	616	519
Daily Avg	1.7	1.8	2	1.8	1.7	1.6	



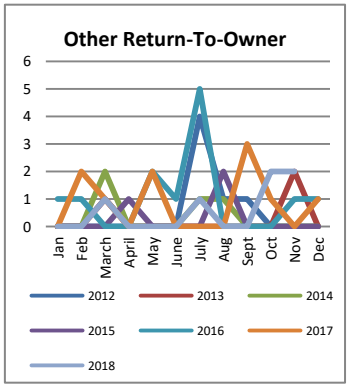
Return to Owner - Feline

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	14	11	8	15	5	9	6
Feb	15	10	10	16	13	7	3
March	12	32	12	7	9	6	10
April	10	15	14	9	9	10	11
May	13	14	18	29	12	9	9
June	11	22	18	7	4	2	6
July	7	14	11	10	13	5	4
Aug	3	7	11	7	15	3	2
Sept	9	3	12	4	19	2	2
Oct	7	14	16	7	4	7	3
Nov	13	9	7	9	10	10	1
Dec	6	12	13	4	8	11	
Total	120	163	150	124	121	81	57
Daily Avg	0.32	0.44	0.41	0.33	0.33	0.22	



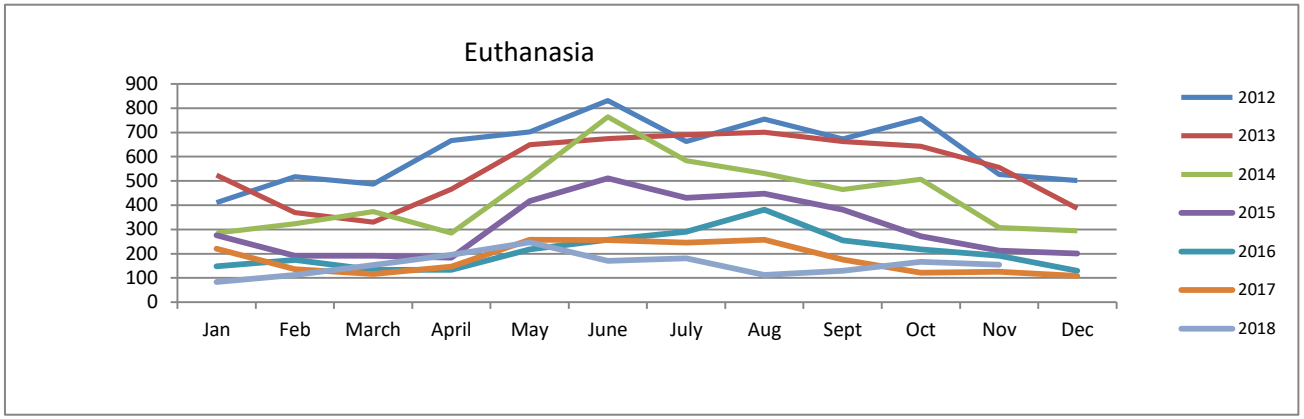
Return to Owner - Other

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Feb	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
March	0	1	2	0	0	1	1
April	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
May	0	0	0	0	2	2	0
June	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
July	4	0	1	0	5	0	1
Aug	1	0	1	2	0	0	0
Sept	1	0	0	0	0	3	0
Oct	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Nov	0	2	0	0	1	0	2
Dec	0	0	0	0	1	1	
Total	6	3	4	3	12	10	6
Daily Avg							



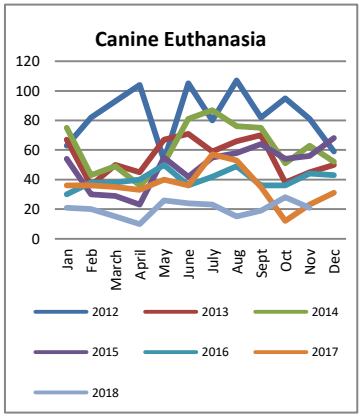
Euthanasia - All

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	410	524	285	276	148	220	83
Feb	518	369	324	191	175	136	113
March	487	330	374	192	133	116	153
April	666	466	285	183	134	147	196
May	702	649	518	417	218	257	247
June	831	675	764	511	258	256	170
July	663	690	583	431	291	246	181
Aug	755	701	531	448	381	258	112
Sept	673	663	464	382	255	176	130
Oct	757	643	507	272	218	121	166
Nov	527	556	307	213	192	126	154
Dec	501	387	295	201	130	108	
Total	7490	6653	5237	3717	2533	2167	1705
Daily Avg	20.5	18.2	14.3	10.1	6.9	5.9	



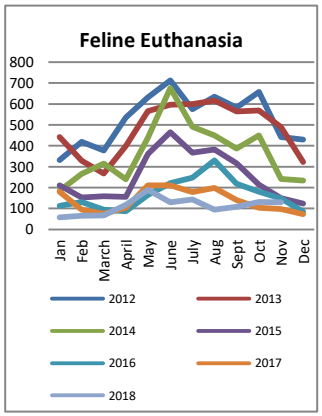
Euthanasia - Canine

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	63	67	75	54	30	36	21
Feb	82	36	43	30	38	36	20
March	93	50	49	29	38	35	15
April	104	45	36	23	40	33	10
May	53	67	51	55	50	40	26
June	105	71	81	42	36	36	24
July	80	59	87	55	42	57	23
Aug	107	66	76	58	49	53	15
Sept	82	70	75	64	36	35	19
Oct	95	38	51	54	36	12	28
Nov	81	45	63	56	44	23	21
Dec	59	50	52	68	43	31	
Total	1004	664	739	588	482	427	222
Daily Avg	2.7	1.8	2	1.6	1.3	1.1	



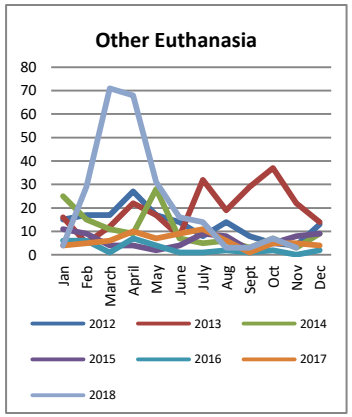
Euthanasia - Feline

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	332	441	185	211	112	180	58
Feb	419	328	266	152	131	95	65
March	377	268	314	159	94	75	67
April	535	399	240	156	87	104	118
May	632	565	439	360	164	210	190
June	712	596	676	465	221	211	130
July	575	599	491	367	248	178	144
Aug	634	616	449	382	330	199	94
Sept	583	564	386	316	218	140	108
Oct	657	568	449	213	180	104	131
Nov	442	489	241	149	148	98	130
Dec	429	323	234	124	85	73	
Total	6327	5756	4370	3054	2018	1667	1235
Daily Avg	17.3	15.7	11.9	8.3	5.5	4.5	



Euthanasia - Other

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	15	16	25	11	6	4	4
Feb	17	5	15	9	6	5	29
March	17	12	11	4	1	6	71
April	27	22	9	4	7	10	68
May	17	17	28	2	4	7	31
June	14	8	7	4	1	9	16
July	8	32	5	9	1	11	14
Aug	14	19	6	8	2	6	3
Sept	8	29	3	2	1	1	3
Oct	5	37	7	5	2	5	7
Nov	4	22	3	8	0	5	3
Dec	13	14	9	9	2	4	
Total	159	233	128	75	33	73	249
Daily Avg	0.43	0.63	0.35	0.2	0.09	0.2	



Disease Outbreaks
Spring/Summer months are reflective of increased intakes that coincide with Disease Outbreaks.

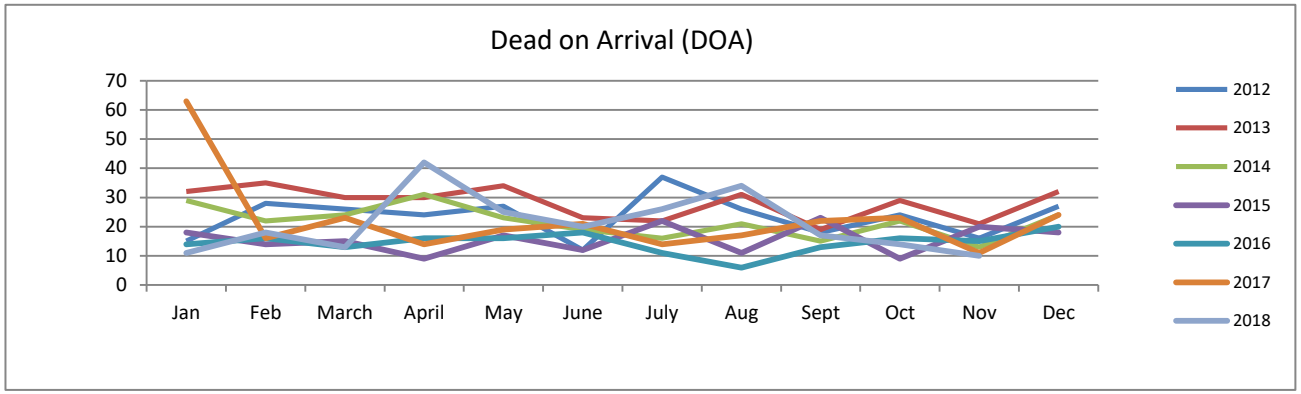
S/N Efforts
Redinger S/N Clinic opened in April 2012.

January 2017 reflects AC Hoarding Case 142 cats/1dog (poor health/Panluk)

March 2018 "Other" reflects AC 71 raccoons (disease)

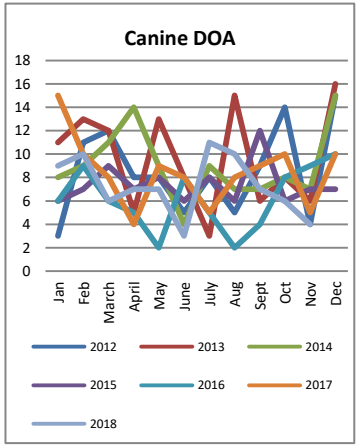
DOA - All

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	15	32	29	18	14	63	11
Feb	28	35	22	14	16	16	18
March	26	30	24	15	13	23	13
April	24	30	31	9	16	14	42
May	27	34	23	17	16	19	25
June	12	23	19	12	18	21	20
July	37	22	16	22	11	14	26
Aug	26	31	21	11	6	17	34
Sept	18	19	15	23	13	22	17
Oct	24	29	22	9	16	23	14
Nov	16	21	13	20	15	11	10
Dec	27	32	24	18	20	24	
Total	280	338	259	188	174	267	230
Daily Avg	0.76	0.92	0.7	0.51	0.47	0.73	



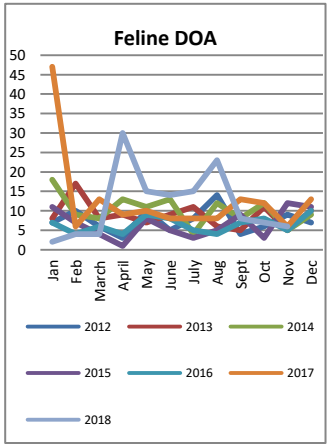
DOA - Canine

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	3	11	8	6	6	15	9
Feb	11	13	9	7	9	10	10
March	12	12	11	9	6	8	6
April	8	5	14	7	5	4	7
May	8	13	9	8	2	9	7
June	5	8	4	6	8	8	3
July	8	3	9	8	5	5	11
Aug	5	15	7	6	2	8	10
Sept	9	6	7	12	4	9	7
Oct	14	8	8	6	8	10	6
Nov	4	6	7	7	9	5	4
Dec	15	16	15	7	10	10	
Total	102	116	108	89	74	101	80
Daily Avg	0.27	0.31	0.29	0.24	0.2	0.27	



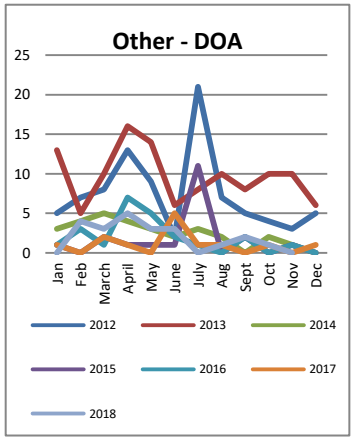
DOA - Feline

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	7	8	18	11	7	47	2
Feb	10	17	9	7	4	6	4
March	6	8	8	4	6	13	4
April	3	9	13	1	4	9	30
May	10	7	11	8	9	10	15
June	5	9	13	5	8	8	14
July	8	11	4	3	5	8	15
Aug	14	6	12	5	4	8	23
Sept	4	5	8	9	7	13	8
Oct	6	11	12	3	8	12	7
Nov	9	5	5	12	5	6	6
Dec	7	10	9	11	10	13	
Total	89	106	122	79	77	153	128
Daily Avg	0.24	0.29	0.33	0.21	0.21	0.41	



DOA -Other

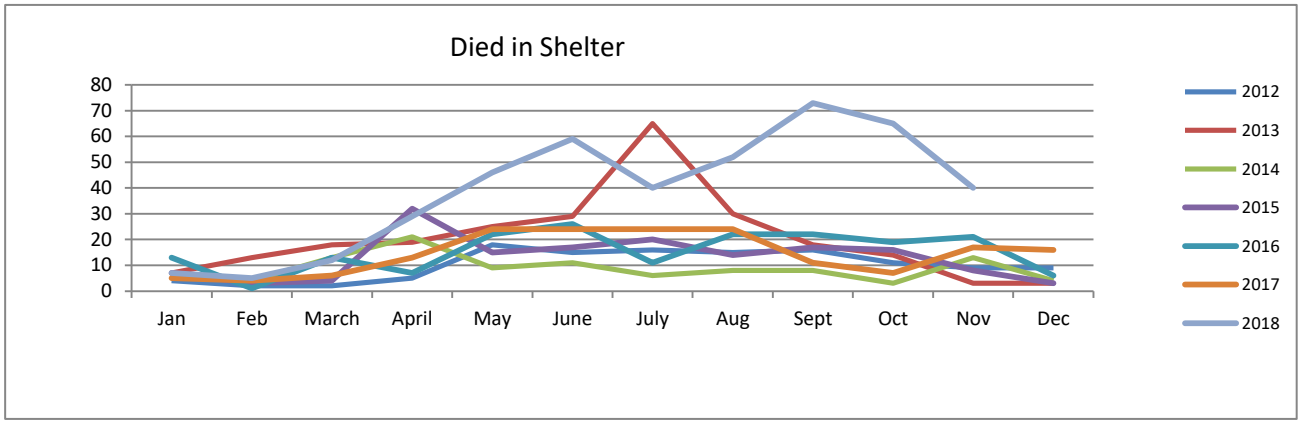
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	5	13	3	1	1	1	0
Feb	7	5	4	0	3	0	4
March	8	10	5	2	1	2	3
April	13	16	4	1	7	1	5
May	9	14	3	1	5	0	3
June	2	6	2	1	2	5	3
July	21	8	3	11	1	1	0
Aug	7	10	2	0	0	1	1
Sept	5	8	0	2	2	0	2
Oct	4	10	2	0	0	1	1
Nov	3	10	1	1	1	0	0
Dec	5	6	0	0	0	1	
Total	89	116	29	20	23	13	22
Daily Avg	0.24	0.31	0.07	0.05	0.06	0.03	



January 2017 reflects AC Hoarding Case 142 cats/1dog (poor health/Panluk & **36 DOA**)

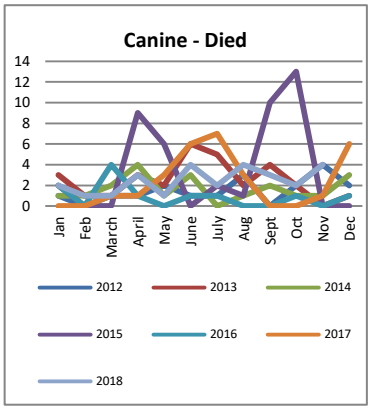
Died in Shelter - All

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	4	7	6	7	13	5	7
Feb	2	13	4	3	1	4	5
March	2	18	13	4	13	6	12
April	5	19	21	32	7	13	29
May	18	25	9	15	22	24	46
June	15	29	11	17	26	24	59
July	16	65	6	20	11	24	40
Aug	15	30	8	14	22	24	52
Sept	16	18	8	17	22	11	73
Oct	11	14	3	16	19	7	65
Nov	9	3	13	8	21	17	40
Dec	9	3	4	3	6	16	
Total	122	244	106	156	183	175	428
Daily Avg	0.33	0.66	0.29	0.42	0.5	0.47	



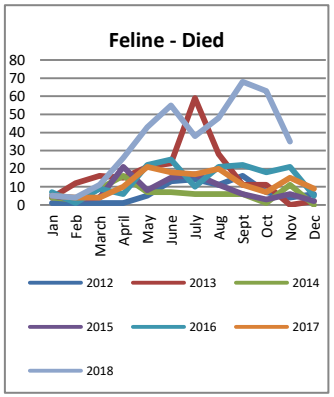
Died in Shelter - Canine

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	1	3	1	2	2	0	2
Feb	0	1	1	0	0	0	1
March	1	1	2	0	4	1	1
April	1	3	4	9	1	1	3
May	2	2	1	6	0	3	1
June	1	6	3	0	1	6	4
July	1	5	0	2	1	7	2
Aug	3	2	1	1	0	3	4
Sept	0	4	2	10	0	0	3
Oct	2	2	1	13	1	0	2
Nov	4	0	1	0	0	1	4
Dec	2	1	3	0	1	6	
Total	18	30	20	43	11	28	27
Daily Avg	0.04	0.08	0.05	0.11	0.03	0.07	



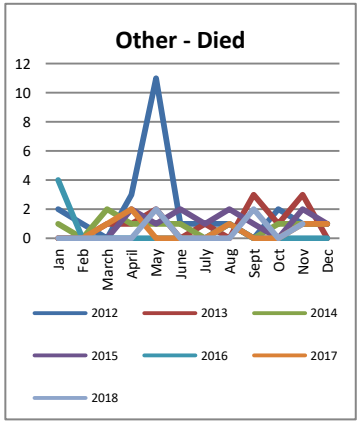
Died in Shelter- Feline

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	1	4	4	5	7	5	5
Feb	1	12	3	3	1	4	4
March	1	16	9	4	9	4	11
April	1	15	16	21	6	10	26
May	5	21	7	8	22	21	43
June	13	23	7	15	25	18	55
July	14	59	6	17	10	17	38
Aug	11	28	6	11	21	20	48
Sept	16	11	6	6	22	11	68
Oct	7	11	1	3	18	7	63
Nov	4	0	11	6	21	15	35
Dec	6	2	0	2	5	9	
Total	80	202	76	101	167	141	396
Daily Avg	0.21	0.55	0.2	0.27	0.45	0.38	



Died - Other

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	2	0	1	0	4	0	0
Feb	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
March	0	1	2	0	0	1	0
April	3	1	1	2	0	2	0
May	11	2	1	1	0	0	2
June	1	0	1	2	0	0	0
July	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
Aug	1	0	1	2	1	1	0
Sept	0	3	0	1	0	0	2
Oct	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
Nov	1	3	1	2	0	1	1
Dec	1	0	1	1	0	1	
Total	24	12	10	12	5	6	5
Daily Avg	0.06	0.03	0.02	0.03	0.01		



Disease Outbreaks
Spring/Summer months are reflective of increased intakes that coincide with Disease Outbreaks.

November 2013
Change to spot cleaning protocol.
Disposable Litter pans.

September 2015
Puppies died at birth.

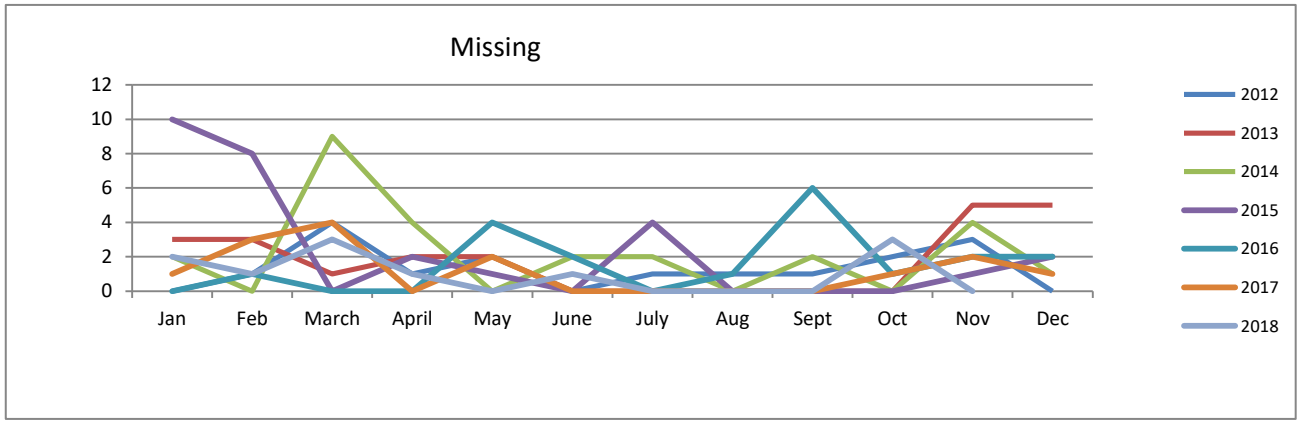
October 2015
Puppies died at birth.

July 2017
Puppies died soon after birth.

April-October 2018
Attempting to give more new born/un-weaned kittens with unknown prenatal care a chance.

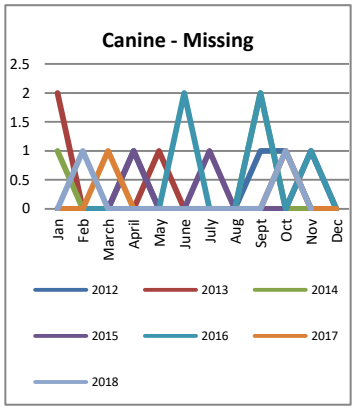
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Jan	0	3	2	10	0	1	2
Feb	1	3	0	8	1	3	1
March	4	1	9	0	0	4	3
April	1	2	4	2	0	0	1
May	2	2	0	1	4	2	0
June	0	0	2	0	2	0	1
July	1	0	2	4	0	0	0
Aug	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Sept	1	0	2	0	6	0	0
Oct	2	0	0	0	1	1	3
Nov	3	5	4	1	2	2	0
Dec	0	5	1	2	2	1	
Total	16	21	26	28	19	14	11
Daily Avg	0.33	0.66	0.29	0.42	0.5	0.03	



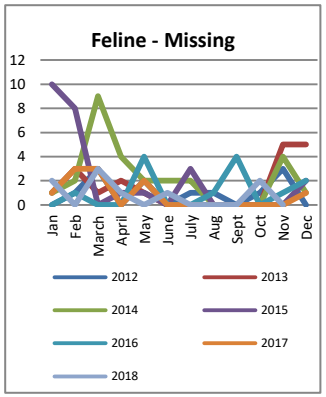
Missing - Canine

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
Feb	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
March	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
April	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
May	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
June	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
July	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Aug	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sept	1	0	2	0	2	0	0
Oct	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
Nov	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Dec	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	3	3	3	3	5	2	2
Daily Avg							



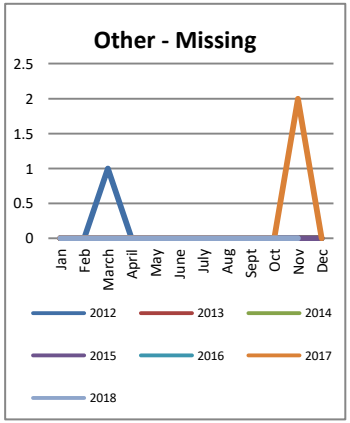
Missing- Feline

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	0	1	1	10	0	1	2
Feb	1	3	2	8	1	3	0
March	3	1	9	0	0	3	3
April	0	2	4	1	0	0	1
May	2	1	2	1	4	2	0
June	0	0	2	0	0	0	1
July	1	0	2	3	0	0	0
Aug	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Sept	0	0	0	0	4	0	0
Oct	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Nov	3	5	4	0	1	0	0
Dec	0	5	1	2	2	1	
Total	12	18	27	25	13	10	9
Daily Avg							



Missing - Other

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Jan	0	0	0	0		0	0
Feb	0	0	0	0		0	0
March	1	0	0	0		0	0
April	0	0	0	0		0	0
May	0	0	0	0		0	0
June	0	0	0	0		0	0
July	0	0	0	0		0	0
Aug	0	0	0	0		0	0
Sept	0	0	0	0		0	0
Oct	0	0	0	0		0	0
Nov	0	0	0	0		2	0
Dec	0	0	0	0		0	
Total	1	0	0	0	0	2	0
Daily Avg							



Missing Characterizations Include:
Escaped in shelter
Escaped in Foster Care
Stolen
Equipment malfunction

March 2014
Combination of stolen/escaped

January/February 2015
Data entry corrections with Foster