LAKE HUMANE SOCIETY

2021 Annual Report



OUR MISSION

To protect animals and build connections between pets and people through advocacy and education.



A Message from Jamie

2021 defined the resilience of the Lake Humane Society.

Lake Humane Society rebounded from the constraints of a pandemic and held its unwavering commitment to the animals of Lake County. Our organization stayed true to its mission "... to protect animals and build connections between pets and people through advocacy and education."



We did this by providing loving homes to 1,352 animals and continuing to operate our critical programs. We provided supplemental food for pets through a partnership with Lake County Council on Aging and Auggie's Pet Food Pantry. We helped manage feral cat populations in Lake County through our Trap, Neuter, Return (TNR) Program, and provided preventative veterinary care to the public through our Low-Cost Wellness Clinic.

There was a noticeable increase in Humane Investigations. While one might be concerned with the increase in numbers, we believe the numbers are attributed to people recognizing and reporting suspected animal abuse – See something. Say something. In the past, these cases may have gone unreported. Our Humane Agents advocate for the animals in Lake County by providing education and protection to pets in need.

Our challenge in the foreseeable future is to be fiscally responsible in a period of rapidly rising inflation. As a non-profit, we understand our existence is due solely to our generous donors, who not only believe in our mission, but share the same vision. Lake Humane Society is committed to being prudent in our expenditures, but not at the cost of our animal friends and our programs designed to assist those in need in Lake County.

Jamie Tavano

Executive Director

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2021 Services & Programs

ANIMAL INTAKE

577 Owner surrender

64 Returned

134 Seized/Protective Custody

518 Stray

241 Partner Shelter Transfer In

Total Animal Intake 1.534

ANIMAL OUTCOME

1,352 Adoption

19 Passed Away

12 DOA

76 Humane Euthanasia

22 Return to Owner

25 Partner Shelter Transfer Out

Total Animal Outcome 1,506

Community Programs

107 Spay and Neuter SurgeriesTrap, Neuter, Return Program

113 Appointments
Low-Cost Wellness Clinic

631 Visits 9,780 lbs distributed Auggie's Pet Food Pantry

1,008 Pets 4,032 lbs distributed Meals on Wheels Partnership



Medical 3,566 Vaccines **782** Surgeries





403 Humane Investigation Calls

112 Impounds13 Court Cases





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