

ANIMAL SERVICES

2023 Year End Statistics Summary

DCAS ended 2023 with a Live Release Rate of 92%.

The Live Release Rate is the percentage of animals saved by the shelter: reunited with their owners, transferred to a rescue, or adopted.

Live Release Rate Over the Years

| 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 66% | 68% | 70% | 75% | 77% | 84% | 83% | 87% | 89% | 89% | 92%* |

^{*2023} Live Release Rate does not include medically untreatable animals per industry standards.

Intake

2023 Intake: 2,155 animals

Intake includes all animals admitted to the shelter.

| Dogs | Cats | Smalls** |
|------|------|----------|
| 807 | 934 | 414 |

**Represents all species of small/exotic animals.

Shelter Population on 01/01/2023: 127

Shelter Population on 12/31/2023: 66

Outcomes

| | Adopted | Reunited | Transferred |
|--------|---------|----------|-------------|
| Dogs | 318 | 257 | 150 |
| Cats | 516 | 56 | 179 |
| Smalls | 321 | 11 | 82 |

