

**Moreno Valley Animal Services Division
Summary Report – March & April 2024
Public Safety Sub Committee Meeting – May 21, 2024**

A. Shelter Services:

The following illustrates the number of positive outcomes of shelter pets during March 2024 (family adoptions, pets rescued, reclaimed by their owners, TNR program, and pets transferred to pet adoption centers).

Positive Outcomes for Shelter Animals				
Month	Dogs	Cats	Others	Total
March	276	67	6	349
April	161	62	7	230
Total	437	129	13	579

During 2023, the average length of stay was 17 days for dogs, 6 days for cats, and 4 days for other species. The average length of stay during March and April 2024:

Average Length of Stay in Days		
Dogs	Cats	Others
16	7	3

Animal Rescue Coordinator Update

Pets to Rescue	Rescue Partners Added	Email Responses	Pets Groomed
209	5	1,522	5

The Animal Rescue Coordinator helped perform temperament testing on 160 dogs along with facilitating the transfer to our rescue partners the following 42 pets (dogs & cats) with a variety of medical conditions or special needs:

Animal Type – Breed	Medical Condition / Special Needs
4 Cats	All 4 underaged kittens
22 Pit bulls	1 female w/ 11 newborn pups, 2 long-term stays exhibiting kennel stress (1 @ 74 days; 1 @ 79 days), 1 w/ mastitis + 6 pups & 1 w/ poor behavior
2 Shepherd mixed pups	Both testing positive w/giardia
5 Maltese	1 female w/4 pups
3 English Bulldogs	1 w/ injured eye, 1 w/ behavioral issues with other dogs & 1 w/ severe skin condition
2 French Bulldog	1 tested positive w/giardia, & 1 w/ eye injury

2 Poodles	1 w/ fractured jaw, & 1 senior
1 Doberman Pincher	Kennel stressed
1 Pug	Eye injury

B. Field Services:

Field Services operates on a 7-day, 24-hour call for service model based on the level of priority on all calls received. Six full-time Animal Control Officers (ACOs), one full-time and one part-time Animal License Inspectors, reporting to one Field Services Supervisor currently serve the city. ACOs rotate Night Truck assignment in response to high priority calls after hours. During normal business hours, Animal Control Officers respond to routine and high priority service requests.

Activity	March	April	Total
Responses	1,039	1,084	2,123
Live Impounds	166	157	323
Notices of Violation Issued	8	3	11
Citations Issued	46	33	79
Houses Canvassed	403	440	843

C. Other Activities

- “St. Patrick’s Day” Pet Adoption Event – 45 pets were adopted during this low-cost pet adoption event over a two-week period from March 12th -15th, and again March 19th – 23rd. The adoption fees, \$25 for dogs and only \$10 for cats, included spay-neuter surgery, vaccinations and a HomeAgain microchip with lifetime registration. City dog licenses (1 year) are \$15 for altered pets.
- “Earth Day” Pet Adoption Event – 24 pets were adopted during this pet adoption event that ran April 16th - 20th, adoption fees for dogs are \$50 and only \$25 for cats which includes spay-neuter surgery, vaccinations, and a HomeAgain microchip with lifetime registration. City dog licenses (1 year) are \$15 for altered pets.
- Free “Microchips 4 Pets” – Beginning April 23rd 300 free microchips became available for Moreno Valley resident’s pets. As of May 6, 2024 a total of 56 pets have been microchipped at the Animal Shelter.
- Moreno Valley Chamber of Commerce 11th Annual Business Expo – Thursday, April 18th, 5 – 7 PM at the Moreno Valley Mall. Animal Services Division staff were on hand to answer questions and promote services and upcoming events at the Animal Shelter.

D. Upcoming Events

The Animal Services Division will be promoting and participating in the following events:

- MARB Family Day – Saturday, May 4th - Pet adoptions on March Air Reserve Base.
- “Cinco De Mayo” Pet Adoption Event – Tuesday, May 7th & Wednesday, May 8th.
- “Mother’s Day” Pet Adoption Event – Thursday, May 9th - Saturday, May 11th.
- Public Safety Expo - Saturday, May 18th – 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
- CA Adopt-A-Pet Day – Saturday, June 1st – 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. – Over 100 animal shelter facilities in CA will be participating. Adoption fees to be sponsored by the ASPCA in conjunction with the CA Animal Welfare Association.
- Father’s Day Pet Adoption Event – Tuesday, June 11th - Saturday, June 15th.
- “Freedom Days” Pet Adoption Event – Tuesday, July 9th – Saturday, July 13th.