

2021



IMPACT REPORT



Our Mission: PAWS & More provides animals with shelter and compassionate care while supporting their families and communities.

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President's Message

Welcome to the first-ever Annual Report from the PAWS & More Board of Directors. You are one of our organization's most important assets: a friend.

For more than forty years, PAWS & More (a.k.a Washington County Humane Society) has been dedicated to serving the City of Washington, Washington County, and many of our regional communities. We provide humane, efficient, and cost-effective animal field services. Most importantly, we help families and their beloved pets in times of need.

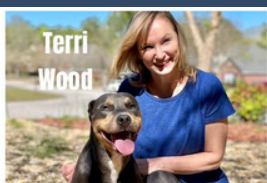
This year, PAWS & More is striving to become even more transparent. We want to share our accomplishments and our challenges with our friends and neighbors. There are indeed big challenges ahead as we decide how to best continue our mission in future years, and we can think of no better way to continue to earn your trust than to be as open and honest as possible.

Enjoy this inaugural Annual Report, as we invite you to know even more about PAWS & More!

Respectfully,

Ann M. Valentine, PhD, MPA
PAWS & More Board President

Meet our Board of Directors





With great support comes a need for growth!

We are overwhelmed with the support we have received over the last year. It is through all your donations, large and small, that we have fulfilled our mission for 2021 - to serve as many animals and families as possible at our modest shelter!

And with such strong support, we know we are well positioned for the journey that lies ahead. We are looking to the future and to being of even bigger service in the coming year. We look back with pride on what we have done and look forward with excitement, as we move towards serving a larger community with more programs and being able to fully integrate our HASS (Human Animal Support Service) model. We can't wait to unveil our big goals!

The HASS project is a collaborative movement of more than 4,600 animal welfare professionals working in nearly 1,500 organizations.

HASS is a first-of-its-kind collective of shelters and animal welfare professionals who believe we can and must do better for pets and people.

The HASS mission is to collectively build community-focused animal services that better meet the needs of animals and people by keeping human-animal families together and keeping pets unnecessarily out of shelters.





Did You Know?

Actual Costs per Pet

Dogs are held on average for 14 days with care costs of \$389.

Cats are held on average for 30 days with care costs of \$343. Cats spend about half that time in our loving foster homes.



What Our Year Looked Like

859 Intakes



669 Adoptions

Transferred 51 animals from overwhelmed shelters



Reunited 75 pets with owners



Provided 480 public spay & neuters

PAWS & More 2021 Donor List

THANK YOU to the
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PAWS & More in 2021

(includes all \$750+ donors)

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2021 Operating Activity (Unaudited)

Revenue

Donations	\$248,598.13	54%
Adoptions	52,077.92	11%
Fundraising	60,232.35	13%
City & County Fees	60,797.75	13%
Memorials	12,168.94	3%
Grants	24,855.00	5%

TOTAL \$458,721.39 100%

Expenses

Animal Care	\$91,678.90	32%
Administration	9,542.75	3%
Depreciation	25,484.57	9%
Insurance	10,554.60	4%
Maintenance	4,590.86	2%
Staff Expenses	128,237.68	45%
Utilities	14,309.76	5%
Vehicle Expenses	3,664.60	1%

TOTAL \$288,083.52 100%

Intakes by County

- Washington
- Cedar
- Henry
- Keokuk
- Linn
- Louisa
- Johnson
- Lee
- Muscatine

Intakes by State

- Illinois
- Kansas
- Missouri
- Oklahoma



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We are proud to share that adoption is still our main priority. We have a higher adoption rate when compared to Iowa and the USA. We have a 79.5% adoption rate vs Iowa at 72.5% and the USA at 52.3%



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