

Lucas County Dog Warden Progress Report



- Building Improvements – Front Office





- Staffing Improvements
 - Positions Added
 - Full-time Veterinary Technician
 - Full-time Behavior Technician
- Animal Care Improvements
 - Cots for Canines project
 - Enrichment





Cutie's Fund

Emergency Medical Care





- Community Outreach/Education
 - School Programs & Groups
 - Over 1800 children educated
 - Over 2600 children scheduled
 - Safety City
 - Free Regular Programs
 - Dogs & Storks
 - Dog Training 101
 - BADRAP Visit





- Chameleon



- Statistics
- Pictures of adoptable and stray dogs online
- Video screens in the lobby
- Printed collars on dogs
- Automation of many repeat tasks
- Professional paperwork



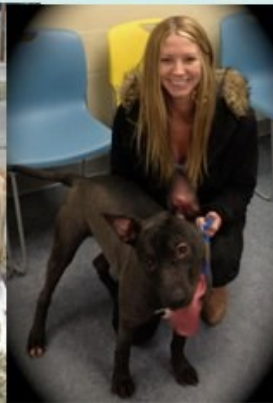
- Field Services Improvements
 - Computers in vehicles
 - Targeted Enforcement
 - Law change – Nuisance/Dangerous/Vicious
 - New vans
 - Staff training – NACA, Bite Stick



- General Improvements
 - Fee increases
 - Options for redemptions to get rabies, spay/neuter, chip
- Adoption Related Improvements
 - Rabies vaccine now included
 - Adoption Sponsorships



- Volunteer Program
 - 42 Active Volunteers
 - 674 Volunteer Hours Logged in 2011
 - 905 Volunteer Hours Logged in 2012
 - 447 Volunteer Hours Logged (through mid-April) 2013



Volunteers have all the fun!

- Transfer Partner Program
 - 36 Approved Transfer Partners
 - 136 Dogs transferred to Transfer Partners in 2012, up from 76 in 2011
 - 534 Dogs transferred to TAHS in 2012

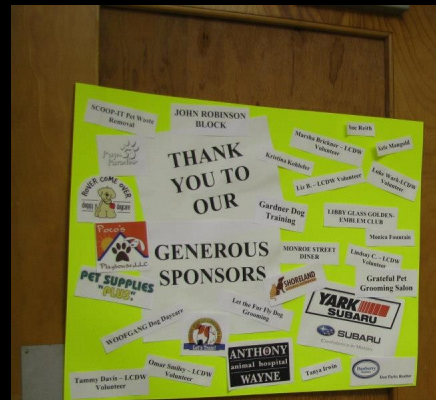




Adoption Events Two Mega Events in 2012

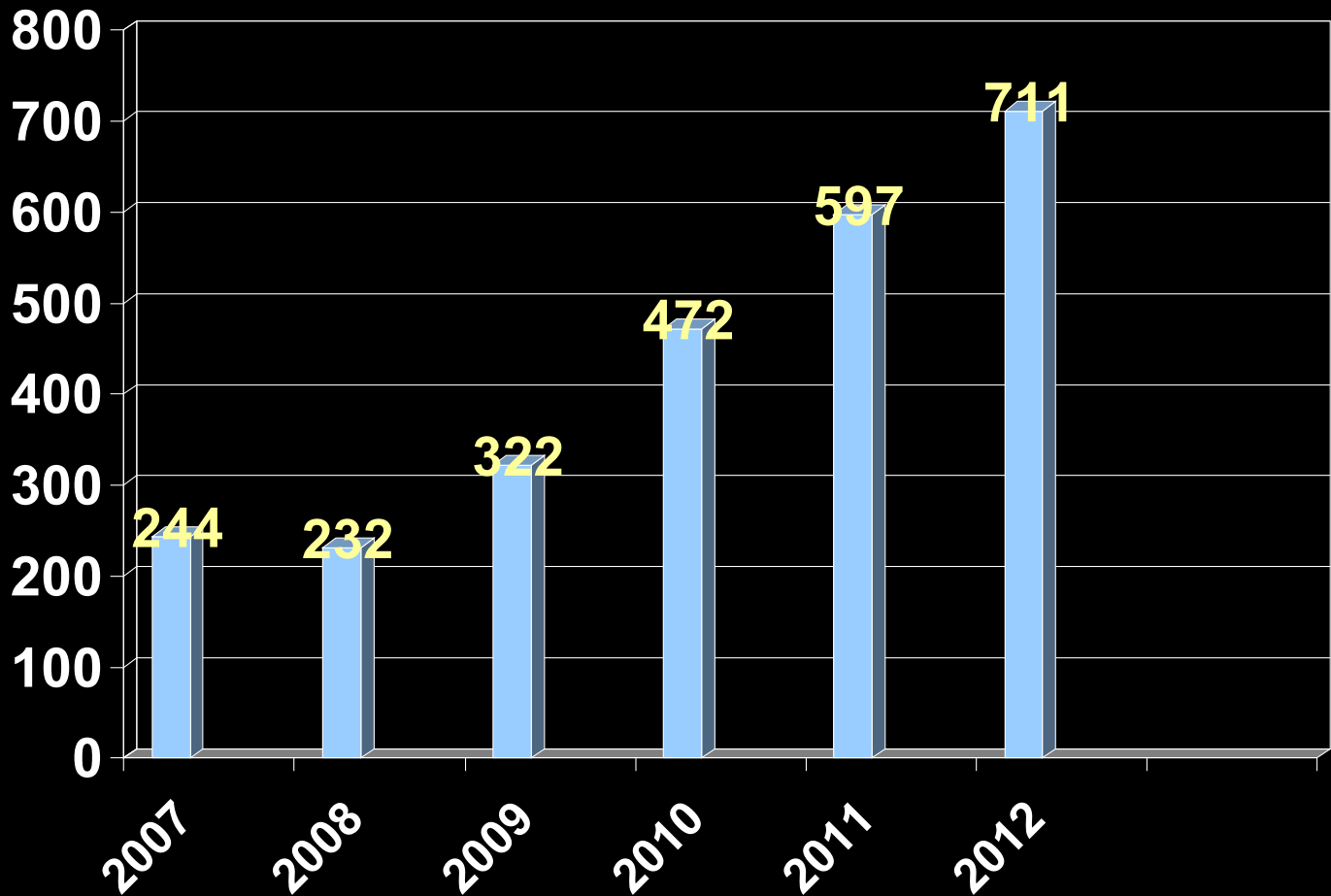
Fido & Feline Fiesta! May 4th & 5th

Most successful in-house adoption ever – End of the year adoption extravaganza



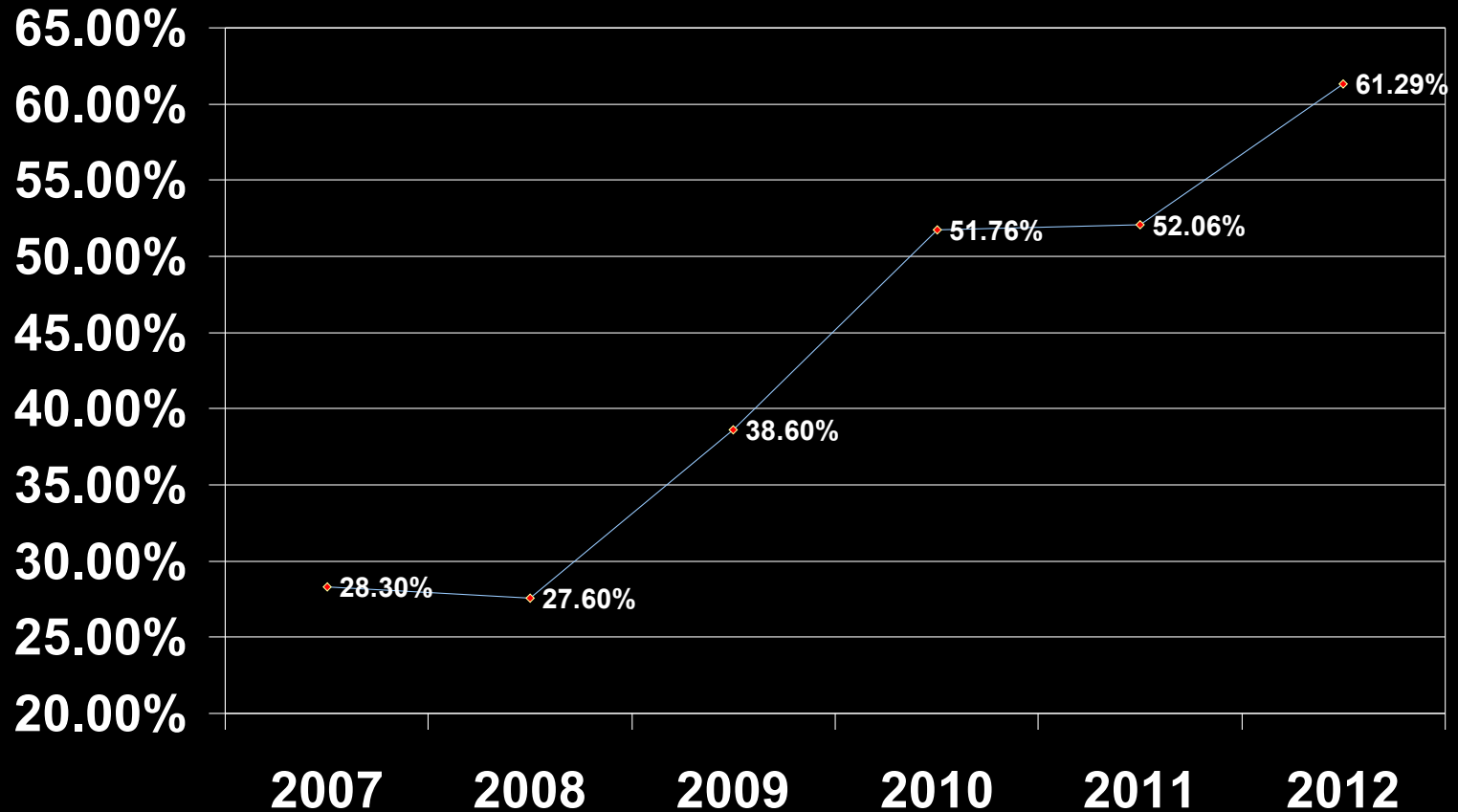


Number of Adoptions





Live Release Rate History





- Pit Bull Changes
 - Significant law changes
 - 213 Pit Bull type dogs/puppies transferred in 2012, up from 199 in 2011
 - 98 Pit Bull type dogs/puppies adopted directly from the LCDW in 2012
 - Fix-A-Bull almost complete – less than 50 surgeries still available



Thank You!

