

Brandywine Valley SPCA - Delaware

July 2016 Shelter Statistics

	Cats	Dogs	Other	Total
Live Release Rate	88%	91%	100%	90%

Live Release Rate = Live Release / [Live Release + (Total Euthanasia – Owner Request)]

The July Live Release Rate does not include the 0 owner requested euthanasia and 5 animals that died naturally in shelter/care or was processed out as Admin Missing.

Spay/Neuter Surgeries

Shelter	178	81	0	259
Owned Pets	141	48	0	189
Total	319	129	0	448

Live Intake

Stray	202	168	16	386
Owner Surrender	21	8	0	29
Adoption Return	2	10	0	12
Transfer In	0	59	0	59
Seized/Custody	2	18	0	20
Total	227	263	16	506

The June Live Release Rate does not include animals returned to the field by Office of Animal Welfare – Delaware Animal Services.

Live Release

Adoption	45	116	0	161
Return to Owner	5	59	0	64
Transfer Out	1	58	35	94
Return to Field	148	0	0	148
Total	199	233	35	467

Return to Field Program: When a healthy unowned cat enters the shelter, the most compassionate and lifesaving approach is to spay/neuter, vaccinate, ear-tip, and return them to where they were found. As long as the cat is thriving, the Return to Field approach is the most humane and effective way to manage the stray cat population in the community.

Euthanasia

Shelter	26	24	0	50
Owner Request	0	0	0	0
Total	26	24	0	50

Other Outcomes

Died	5	0	0	5
Admin Missing*	0	0	0	0
Total	5	0	0	5

* Admin Missing refers to animals that might have escaped, been stolen, not returned from foster care, or otherwise unaccounted for via a normal outcome such as a data entry error or possible duplicate entry.