# Brandywine Valley SPCA - Pennsylvania October 2016 Shelter Statistics

	Cats	Dogs	Other	Total
Live Release Rate	91%	96%	N/A	93%

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

The October Live Release Rate does not include the 0 owner requested euthanasia and 4 animals that died naturally in shelter/care or was processed out as Admin Missing.

# **Spay/Neuter Surgeries**

Shelter	184	27	0	211
Owned Pets	171	67	0	238
Total	355	94	0	449

The public can schedule surgeries for their owned pets through our Animal Health Center.

### Live Intake

158	64	0	222
25	18	0	43
1	12	0	13
0	94	0	94
0	0	0	0
184	188	0	372
	25 1 0	25 18 1 12 0 94 0 0	25 18 0 1 12 0 0 94 0 0 0 0

# Live Release

Adoption	121	155	0	276
Return to Owner	4	35	0	39
Transfer Out	14	3	0	17
Return to Field	114	0	0	114
Total	253	193	0	446

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	25	8	0	33
Owner Request	0	0	0	0
Total	25	8	0	33

## **Other Outcomes**

Died	4	0	0	4
Admin Missing*	0	0	0	0
Total	4	0	0	4

<sup>\*</sup> 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.