



Animal Control Update

DES MOINES POLICE DEPARTMENT

Introduction

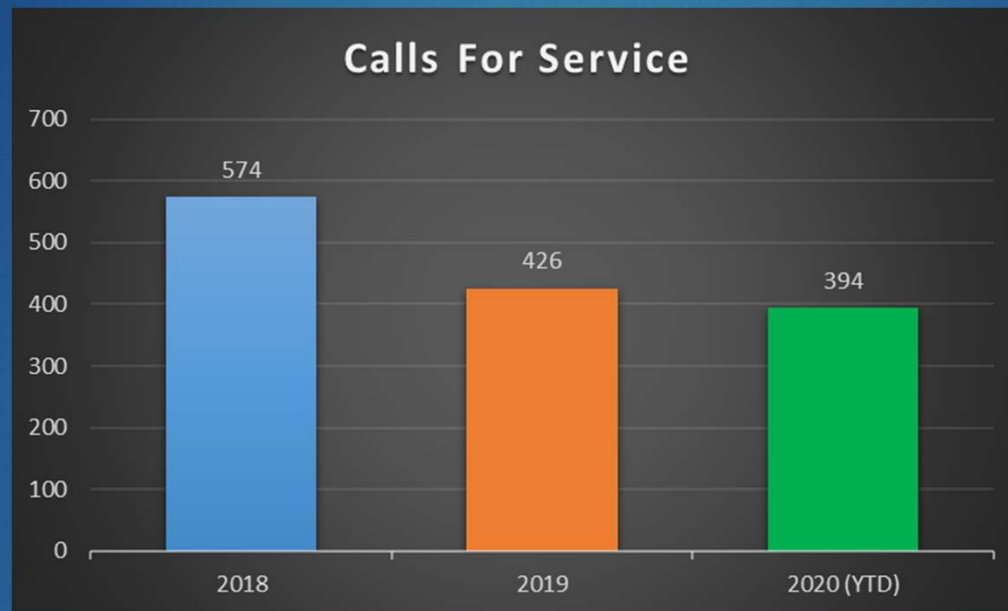
- ▶ Salt Lake County Animal Services
- ▶ Lone Peak Police Department
- ▶ Lehi Police Department
- ▶ Federal Way Police Department
- ▶ Regional Animal Services of King County
- ▶ Des Moines Police Department

- ▶ LEO Certifiable (2009)
- ▶ A.S. Criminal Justice
- ▶ B.S. Public Management, Marketing Minor

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Hired: October 2019



Calls for Service



Sheltering

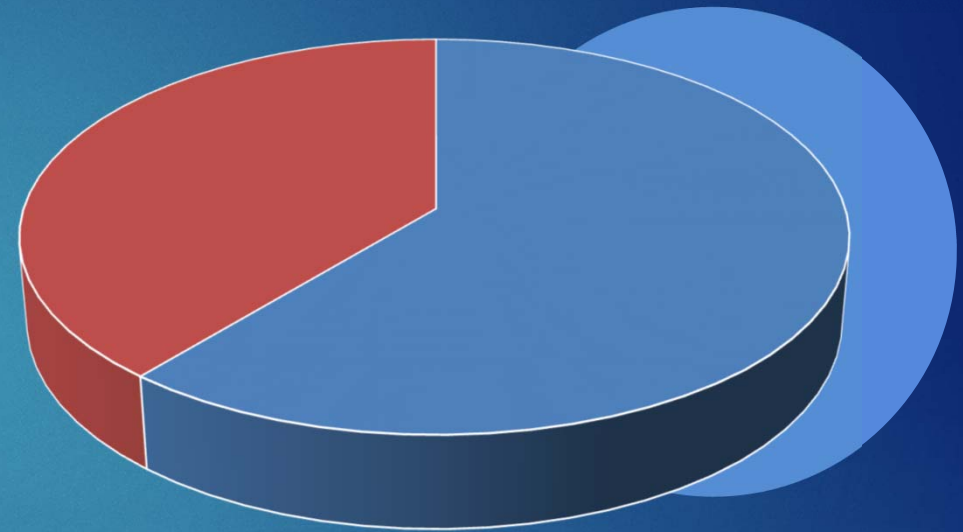
More than just lost pets...



61% Stray animals looking for their owner

39%

- Cruelty Confiscation
- Dangerous dogs
- Eviction
- Owner in hospital
- Owner died
- Owner arrested
- Voluntary surrender
- Shelter born
- Abandoned
- Transfer
- Arrived deceased
- Sick or injured
- Feral
- Hoarding...

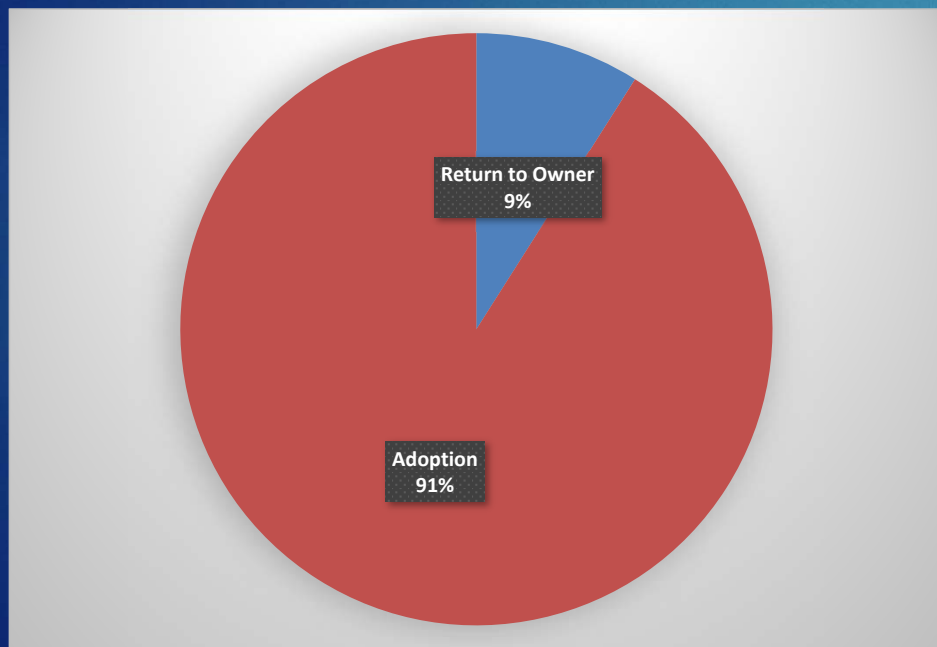


□ Strays ■ Other

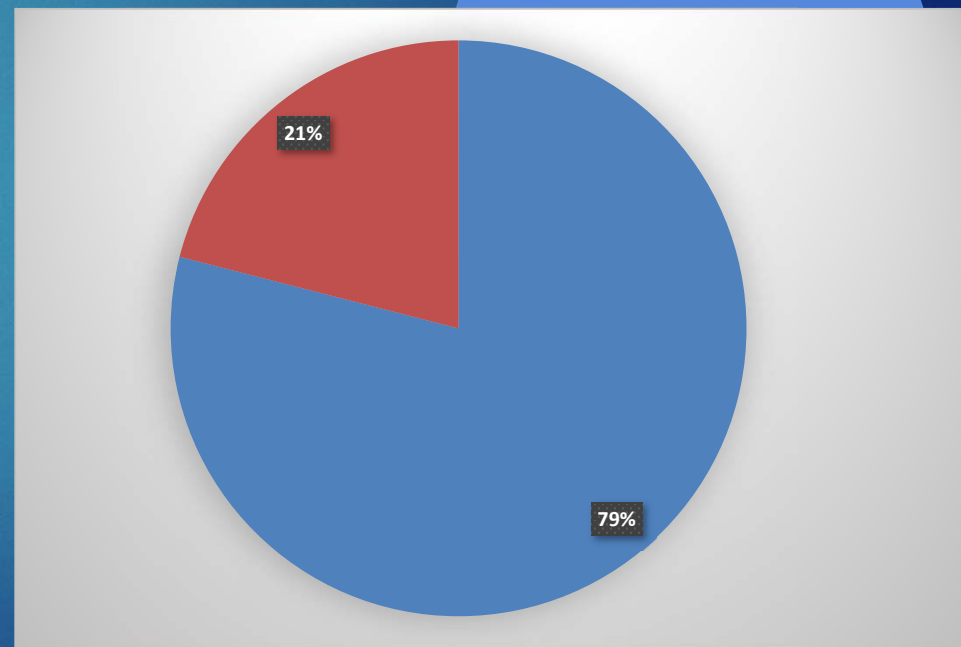
Animal outcomes: Phase II

Note: Your chances of finding your lost pet increases or decrease 9 x's depending on which side of the border you lose them.

King County



Des Moines



Long term strategy: Phase III

Future of Policing Will Involve Animal Control....

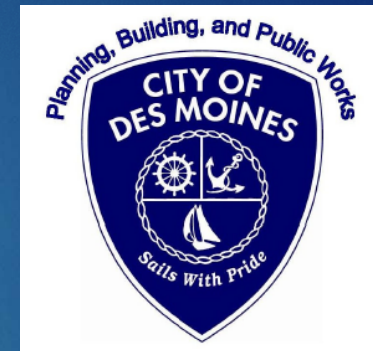
- ▶ First Mover Advantage on sheltering.
- ▶ Marketing – Community Buy-in.
- ▶ Revenue Alternatives, Strategic Partnerships.
- ▶ Specialized services involvement in interdiction
- ▶ Geodemographic services distribution.



Des Moines Difference

20230 8th Ave S





Code Enforcement Update

Public Safety & Emergency Management Committee

November 5th, 2020

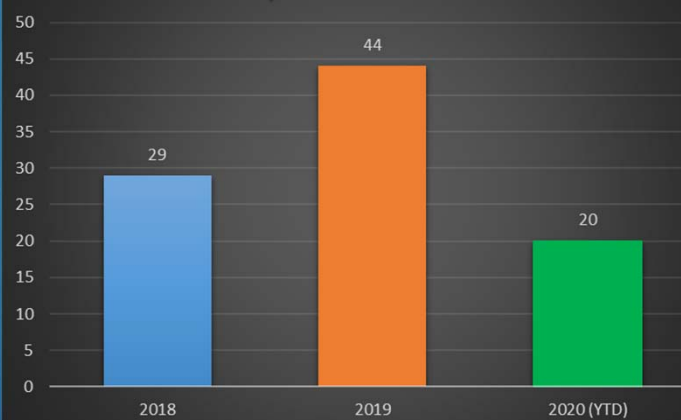


The Numbers

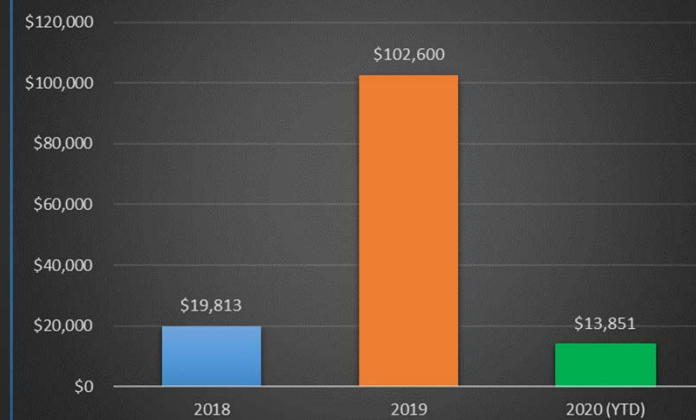
Total Code Enforcement Cases



Dump Vouchers Issued



Tickets Written





Code Enforcement Activities

- ▶ Proactively Addressing Quality of Life Issues





Code Enforcement Activities

- ▶ Posting "Stop Work" Notices





Code Enforcement Activities

▶ Responding to Complaints









Other Projects

▶ Streamlining enforcement case tracking

▶ Utility Box Art Project

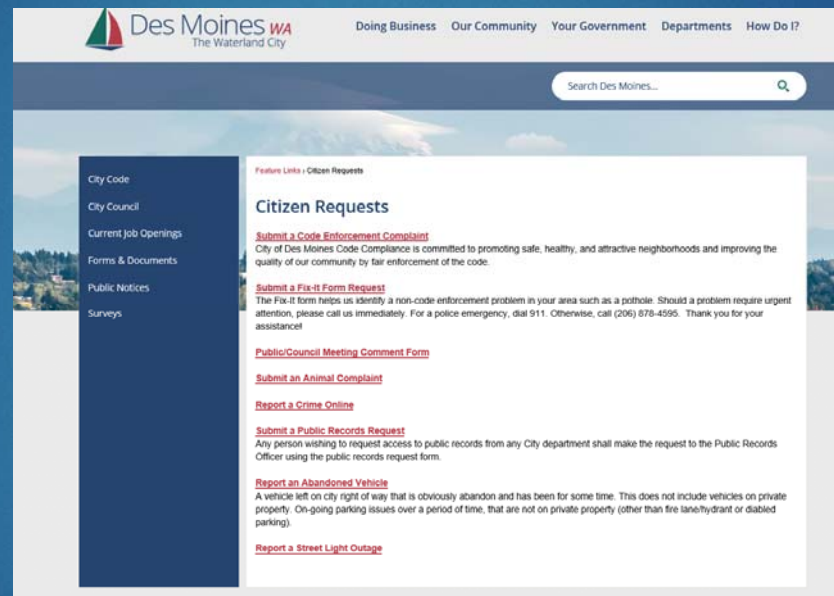


▶ Code amendments/additions



How You Can Help

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