

Just the Facts

Facts & figures from the Santa Maria Valley Humane Society



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Our Core Programs

RESCUE



Serving the Central California Coastal counties of **San Luis Obispo**, **Santa Barbara** and **Ventura**, the Santa Maria

Valley Humane Society rescues dogs and cats at risk from euthanasia in area animal shelters.



SHELTER

UP TO **100**
animals per night

that sometimes seek refuge and safety in our shelter.

26



staff members

Including veterinarians, veterinary technicians, animal behavior specialists, and a professional animal care team.

TRAIN



Bad behavior is the **number-one reason** dogs are relinquished to shelters. We teach dogs and cats good manners and social skills in the shelter, making homeless animals more adoptable. For pets, we have public training classes that correct bad behaviors to keep them safe and out of the shelter.



PLACE

Lives that have been **12,985** saved by placing homeless dogs and cats into new and loving homes since 1983.

HEAL



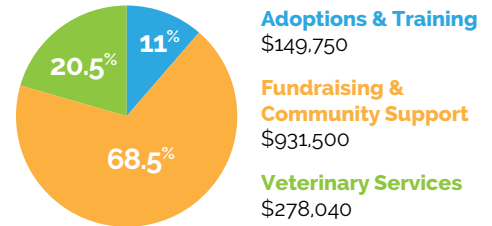
33,604 Number of animals that our highly-skilled veterinarians and specially-trained support staff have spayed or neutered since 1998.

VOLUNTEER

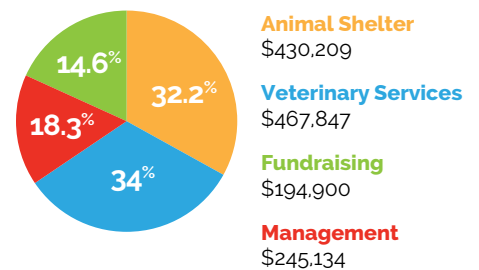
Number of active volunteers— who are the lifeblood of caring, compassion and hope at the Santa Maria Valley Humane Society—and the hours of service they provided last year.

Our Budget 2017-2018

Income: **\$1,359,290⁰⁰**



Expenses: **\$1,338,090⁰⁰**



NOURISH



Part of our **Animal Safety Net**, providing food directly to needy animals ensuring that no pet goes hungry, keeping them safe and in their homes.

250
volunteers

10,565
hours

Our mission is to rescue, shelter, heal, place, and train dogs and cats while engaging our Central California Coastal community through education and advocacy to end animal homelessness.