what A DIFFERENCE a year makes

Humane Society of Huron Valley

ANNUAL REPORT 2022

ONE STORY of thousands

Bunny was barely alive when she came to us in 2022. This little stray Shih-Tzu was skin and bones under her urine-stained, heavily matted fur and barely able to stand without falling. Our veterinarians rated her a 1/9: at risk of death without emergency intervention. Fortunately, you were there. Your support -- your donations-- your love saved Bunny, and today, she's unrecognizable from what she was then. Happy, healthy, and running around her new home!
What a difference a year makes!

The BIG Picture

SAVING MORE, DOING BETTER

Bunny wasn't the only animal who found a perfect match; in 2022, we hit an adoption record, finding homes for more than 5,300 animals. We increased the visibility of harder-to-adopt animals. Revamped our foster care program to serve more special needs animals. And worked hard to shorten the length of time animals stay in our shelter and find forever homes faster. Overall, we helped 26,000 animals through a variety of services.

SPREADING COMPASSION, UNDERSTANDING AND RESPECT

Our goal was to increase humane education participation by 25%; we hit 291%. We expanded to include more community partnerships and populations, offering programs in different languages, tailored to different abilities, and brought to people where they are.

IMPROVING ANIMAL PROTECTION

We helped develop and support the Michigan Pet Alliance -- the state's first member association of shelters/rescues -- to improve standards of care and create better laws protecting animals, educate and advocate on all levels.

Humane Society of
Huron Valley

7,578
animal intakes
a 15 year high

5,370
animals adopted
the most ever

93.8%
highly favorable
customer service rating

8,357
spay/neuter
surgeries performed

1,621
community cats
helped & returned to
their outdoor homes

1,192
animals transported
and saved by the
Love Train

96.2%
SAVE RATE

10,738
animals received
expert medical care
from our outpatient
veterinary clinic

4-STAR RATING
11th straight from Charity Navigator,
placing HSHV in the top 3% of nonprofits

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2022 Fast Facts

1,150
animals served at our low-cost vaccine clinics

1,030
wild animals helped

332
cruelty cases investigated

1,912
caring and dedicated volunteers

192
barn cat adoptions

6,476
emergency rescue calls responded to

58,000+
pounds of pet food distributed to local families in need

7,000+
youth received Humane Education

What a difference an HOUR makes

93.9%
MORE VISITORS

to our Tiny Lions cat cafe, every hour increasing the human/animal bond

2,459
HOURS OPEN

When others cut hours or limited appointments, we were open for adoptions 7 days/week and for rescue 24/7

136,667
HOURS DONATED

by our amazing volunteers, the equivalent of 65 full-time employees

What a difference a DAY makes

1 IN 3

ANIMALS SPENT DAYS IN FOSTER CARE

From the most vulnerable babies to the sweet seniors simply needing a break, our incredible volunteer foster corps increased their support >100% over last year

602

LOST PETS REUNITED

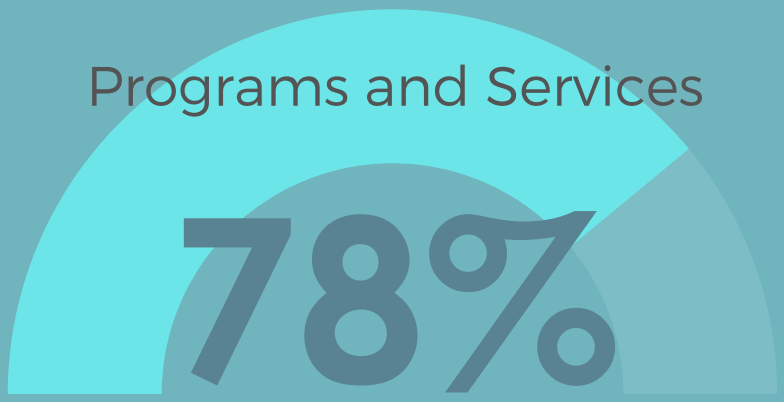
When every day spent apart feels dire, our dedicated staff helped reunite hundreds of families, making so many days brighter

1,146

DAYS OF CARE PROVIDED TO PETS WHOSE FAMILIES WERE IN CRISIS

From house fires to hospitalization to domestic violence, we were the bridge between emergencies, filling the gap and the day-to-day need for folks in the community

What a difference a DOLLAR makes



STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES

Contributions, Special Events, and Bequests	**$5,066,604**
Clinic, Adoptions, and Special Programs	$4,745,153
Investment Income	($1,418,113)
Total Revenues	**$8,393,644**
Programs and Services	**$7,967,062**
Management and General	**$1,011,204**
Development	**$1,235,916**
Total Expenses	**$10,214,182**
Net Operating Gain (Loss)	**($1,820,538)**

*Based on 2022 unaudited financials. Audited statements available Summer 2023.

What a difference PARTNERSHIPS make

WE LOVE OUR COMMUNITY PARTNERS, INCLUDING

- Washtenaw County
- Michigan Pet Alliance
- Ypsilanti Meals on Wheels
- Ann Arbor Meals on Wheels
- Food Gatherers
- Washtenaw County Juvenile Detention Center
- Community Action Network
- Saline Alternative High School
- EMU Bright Futures
- VegMichigan

What a difference YOU keep making

LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

2022 marked the inaugural year to grant HSHV's Lifetime Achievement Award in recognition of outstanding and longstanding dedication to HSHV and our animals—and inspired by its first recipient, Kate Murphy.

After retiring from a prestigious career at Michigan State University, Kate started volunteering at HSHV in 2007. Our shelter then was a very old, very sad place, demanding guts of steel—which didn't deter Kate.

With a heart of gold and the patience of a saint, in the rain, sleet, and snow, Kate has always been here for the animals. Never daunted by our most distressing cases or her injuries.

Dedicated dog walker, greeter, adoption counselor, foster, reader to dogs, and, of course, adopter, Kate Murphy has given HSHV and the animals over 8,000 hours of service. She's served for nearly a decade on our Board of Directors, including as Board Chair. And she's been one of our most successful…and dogged… Walk and Wag fundraisers and generous donors.

Kate is also a true and courageous champion of the "underdog" and our fragile democracy—actively speaking out for a better world for animals and people.

It doesn't get better than Kate. She is who all our dogs want us to be.

Tanya Hilgendorf, President and CEO

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