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2014 Annual Report

Letter from Neil Trent, President/CEO

Dear Friends,

We are excited to share with you our fiscal year highlights and gratefully recognize that your support has made these accomplishments possible.

We marked our 70th anniversary in 2014. For seven decades the Animal Welfare League of Arlington has served the animals and people of Arlington County and the D.C. metro area. Thanks to the generous contributions from so many of you through the Care And Transform capital campaign, this milestone was commemorated with a state-of-the-art renovation of the cat and small companion animal (SCA) quarters. The new space has greatly enriched and improved life for the more than 1,000 cats and SCAs we receive each year.

Your support enabled thousands of companion animals and wildlife to benefit by being adopted, reunited with owners, or transferred to one of AWLA's rescue and rehabilitation partners. The League neutered or spayed every shelter cat, dog, and rabbit before adoption and provided other medical treatment to make animals healthier and more adoptable. Our active foster program gave our most vulnerable animals the special care they needed, and animals from overcrowded shelters and rescues received a second chance at AWLA through our transfer partnership programs. Through these actions we have increased our positive outcome rate to 94 percent.

More than 9,000 community residents benefitted from AWLA services and events. We helped low-income residents spay or neuter 100 pets, provided over \$6,000 in emergency veterinary assistance, hosted low-cost rabies and microchipping clinics, humane education programs for children, and classes



Arrow with his adopter Anne Hancock.

for pet-loving expectant parents.

These efforts were recognized through industry and local accolades, including a resolution from the Arlington County Board declaring November Animal Shelter Appreciation Month; a 2014 Nonprofit Small Business of the Year Award from Arlington Chamber of Commerce; gold level status from GuideStar; as well as the prestigious, four-star rating for good governance, sound fiscal management, and commitment to accountability and transparency from Charity Navigator.

The expansive reach of our care and service could not be accomplished without your help. The generosity and dedication of our 420 volunteers, 910 adopters, 85 foster families, 20 rescue partners and more than 5,554 donors are the bedrock of the League's success. On behalf of AWLA and our Board of Directors, thank you for improving the lives of animals and the human companionship you made possible for our shelter pets over the last year.

Sincerely,

Neil Trent, President/CEO Animal Welfare League of Arlington



Our Numbers

FY 2014

Humane education programs for

795 children

190 adults



699 Low Cost Rabies Shots

Animals Adopted Injured Wildlife Transferred to Rehabilitators

Animals Fostered

Live Release Rate for All **Companion Animals** Returned to Owners

131 Low Cost Microchips

103 Ferral Cats Trapped-**Neutered-Returned**

722 Shelter animals spayed/neutered

100 Low-cost Spay/ **Neuter Surgeries**

Active Volunteers

Medical Care

\$69,000 for standard medical care \$31,686 for specialized medical treatments

> \$6,094 for veterinary assistance to low-income pet owners

Social Media

Facebook Likes

892

Twitter Followers Instragram followers

Improving the Lives of Animals

For 70 years, the Animal Welfare League of Arlington has remained steadfast in its mission to improve the lives of animals. Here are just a few "mission" highlights from the year.



Arrow

When he arrived at the shelter in February 2014, the orange tabby cat was on death's door: blind. sick, cold, and scared. And,

the worst was yet to be discovered. From head to tail, his body was riddled with more than 60 birdshot pellets. He arrived with no name, no identification, and no way to tell us who had committed this unthinkable act of animal cruelty. While the birdshot pellets stole his vision, they didn't break his spirit. At AWLA he experienced human kindness and care that transformed his life and found him a loving home.



Marianna

Marianna was one of 121 dogs and more than 60 other animals rescued by the Humane Society of the United States (HSUS) from a

suspected Arkansas puppy mill after authorities discovered them living in filth and suffering from a lack of basic care. Through our transfer partnership with HSUS, we took in Marianna, three other dogs, and a rabbit. During a medical evaluation we discovered Marianna

had a severe congenital heart condition. With support from HSUS and AWLA's Healthy Pet Fund, Marianna received the necessary surgery to improve her quality of life. She is now living happily with her best friend.



Delta

Trapped inside a wall in a parking garage at Reagan National Airport, Delta was rescued by AWLA Animal Control. He arrived at the shelter in good shape physically, but not well socialized. Adorable but fearful.

staff worked to socialize Delta and provide him the care he needed. In a little less than a month, Delta was ready for "take off." He started 2014 by landing a new, loving home.



Ginger

Ginger, a beautiful, fouryear-old German Shepherd, was surrendered when her owner no longer wanted her. Besides being without a home, Ginger was in pain: her hips were in bad shape and at least one needed immediate repair. AWLA veterinary staff worked with orthopedic surgeon Dr. Tibor Lazar to perform a femoral head ostectomy on Ginger's right hip. After

her surgery, we placed Ginger in a home through our partnership with Southeast German Shepherd Rescue. Thanks to our medical and rescue partnerships, we gave Ginger a new, healthy and happy life.

These are just a few of the many heartwarming stories that we participate in every day. But these happy endings can't happen without YOU! Would you please consider making a donation to help animals like Arrow, Marianna, Delta, and Ginger find their new, loving homes?

- □ \$20 can help feed a malnourished animal
- □ \$50 can help provide an enriching shelter environment with a comfortable bed and toys
- □ \$100 can help vaccinate or spay/neuter a homeless pet
- □ \$500 can help offer lifesaving surgery to animals in crisis
- your most generous gift will help improve the lives of animals in our community

Please detach and return to AWLA in the envelope included in this newsletter.

AWLA Foster Program



The League's foster program connects special people with special animals. Our 85 foster volunteers selflessly open their homes to vulnerable animals who may not survive without individual, and sometimes round-the-clock, care. Unweaned and underage kittens, pregnant cats and dogs, underage puppies, adult animals that are recovering from medical treatment or who need some special TLC are all candidates for foster care. Foster animals may reside in the foster home for weeks or even months until they are ready for adoption.

We started a weekend fostering program this year to give long-term and sensitive dogs a respite from shelter life. Fostering is a great way to help shelter animals if you are not ready to adopt. See www.awla.org for more information.

Animals Fostered

35 Cats • 197 Kittens • 48 Dogs • 53 Puppies 18 Small Companion Animals • 351 Total

Animal Control Activities

Police and Fire Assists 53
Public Assists 62
Bite Investigations 374
Suspected Cruely/Neglect Cases 207
Law Enforcement Cases 143
Strays 655
Wildlife Calls 1,379



Below left: Officer Jennifer Toussaint demonstrates using a catch pole to campers. Below: Officer Kimberly Corcoran holds a Cooper's hawk.



Animals Sheltered in Fiscal 2014

(JULY 2013 - JUNE 2014)*

			SMALL	
			COMPANION	
INTAKE	DOGS	CATS	ANIMALS	Total
Beginning Shelter Count -July 1, 2013	22	103	47	172
From the Public: Owner Surrenders and Strays	358	535	168	1061
Incoming transfers from organizations within Virg	jinia 15	1	0	16
Incoming transfers from organizations outside Vir	ginia 203	49	9	261
From owners requesting euthanasia	82	105	7	194
Total Intake	658	690	184	1535
Owner requested euthanasia				
(unhealthy/untreatable only)	82	105	7	194
ADJUSTED TOTAL INTAKE	576	585	177	1341
(minus owner requests)				
ADOPTIONS	286	496	128	910
OUTGOING TRANSFERS				
to shelters and rescue groups within Virginia	9	7	7	23
to shelters and rescue groups outside Virginia	8	2	50	60
RETURN TO OWNER/GUARDIAN	224	40	5	269
ANIMALS EUTHANIZED				
Healthy (includes owner requested euthanas	ia) o	0	0	0
Treatable-rehabilitatable				
(includes owner requested euthanasia)	0	0	0	0
Treatable-manageable				
(includes owner requested euthanasia)	0	0	0	0
Unhealthy & untreatable				
(includes owner requested euthanasia)	107	152	13	272
TOTAL EUTHANASIA	107	152	13	272
Owner requested euthanasia				
(unhealthy/untreatable only)	79	104	7	190
ADJUSTED TOTAL EUTHANASIA	28	48	6	82
SUBTOTAL OUTCOMES	555	593	196	1344
(Excludes owner requested euthanasia				
(unhealthy/untreatable only))				
DIED OR LOST IN SHELTER CARE	2	9	6	17
TOTAL OUTCOMES	FF7	602	202	1361
(Excludes owner requested euthanasia	557	002	202	1301
(unhealthy/untreatable only))				
ENDING SHELTER COUNT-June 30, 2014	41	86	22	149
Annual Live Release Rate=				
(Adoptions + Returns to Owner + Transfers)	/			
(Total Outcomes)x100=%	95%	92%	97%	94%
* Based on the Asilomar Accords (http://www.asilomaraccords.org/)				

Volunteers

We welcomed and trained 132 new volunteers this year bringing our total of active volunteers to 420. These volunteers contributed more than 15,000 hours of work, the equivalent of eight full-time staff. Volunteers assist in almost every aspect of running the shelter including: cleaning animal housing, socializing animals, enrichment and playgroups, training, adoption counseling, community events and outreach, animal transport, data entry, and more. To learn more about volunteer opportunities, go to www.awla.org.

Each month we recognize an outstanding volunteer and then we select a volunteer of the year who has made a significant contribution to furthering our mission to improve the lives of animals. This year's volunteer of the year is Kirsten Sides Lockhart. Kirsten has been a volunteer with the League since 2009. She never had pets growing up, and decided to volunteer to get her dog fix after falling in love with her first adult pet, a yellow lab named Marley. Kirsten was looking forward to learning more about dogs, meeting new people, and giving back to the community.

Kirsten began as a volunteer introducing shelter dogs to potential adopters and has since become a dog walker, special events volunteer, and trainer to new volunteers. She also helped create the AWLA Pit Crew and Walking Group, which is a great re-

source to dog owners all over Northern Virginia. Kirsten says that working in the kennels is the most rewarding of all her volunteer positions because she loves meeting the shelter dogs and connecting people with the perfect dog for their family. According to Kirsten, Thursday evenings in the kennel are a great stress reliever!









Volunteer Visiting Veterinarians



Thank you to the following veterinarians who have generously shared their expertise to help shelter animals. These professionals visit our shelter on their days off to examine, diagnose, and treat shelter animals

Dr. Fred Jones

Caring Hands Animal Hospital

Dr. Jeff Newman

Dr. Jamie Todd

Dr. Jessica Garcia

Dr. Neil Coleman

Dr. Julia Nagel

Dr. Katie Dennehy

Dr. Michael Robinson

Dr. Jaci Sites

Fairfax Animal Hospital

Dr. Natasha Ungerer

Arlington Animal Hospital

Dr. Fred Jones

(staffs our low-cost rabies clinics)

Del Ray Animal Hospital

Dr. Adrienne Hergen

Columbia Pike Animal Hospital

Dr. Molly Tango

VCA Southpaws & George Washington University

Dr. Kayleen Gloor

Emergency Veterinary Asistance Program

In February 2014 Jessica had just gone back to work after recovering from being hit by a car. Funds were extra tight so she called the League requesting help for her young cat, Mia, who had a leg injury. The League arranged with Columbia Pike Animal Hospital to examine Mia, and the veterinarian discovered that she also had a bacterial infection. Mia was given antibiotics for the infection and care for her leg sprain. The League paid for the veterinary care, and Jessica is repaying the loan (without interest) in manageable monthly installments. The League also arranged for Mia to be spayed at no cost to Jessica.

Jessica sent us the following note: Mia was rescued from a "house of horrors" in Pennsylvania. Living conditions there were simply awful. Mia was very malnourished and very pregnant. In October, she gave birth to eight kittens, but only two survived. The kittens were taken in by the original rescuer, where they were taken care of and rehomed. Mia is a great girl, very regal in her stature! She loves to jump up on my bed every night and sleep at the foot of my bed. When she had her leg issue, it was heartbreaking that she was unable to jump up there as she had since day one of coming to live with me. She is much, much better, back to her usual playful, jumpy self! Thanks again for the help. I could not have helped my sweet baby without your assistance.

Let's Celebrate!

Each year the League hosts two major fundraisers that benefit the animals in our community. The annual Walk for Animals, now in its 19th year, raised more than \$82,000. The Golden Paw Gala, our inaugural fall gala and auction raised nearly \$92,000. Thank you to everyone who attended or supported these events!

This year we celebrated our 70th Anniversary with a tented cocktail reception at the shelter. Donors to our Care and Transform capital campaign as well as supporters and volunteers enjoyed live music from the Smithsonian Jazz Masterworks Orchestra Quintet, drinks, hors d'oeuvres, and tours



Donors at the 70th Anniversary Sunset Soiree

of the renovated cat and small companion animal spaces.

Throughout the year we also had many smaller, community based events. This year, we raised more than \$20,000 from these events to help homeless animals. This is due in part to our community partners hosting events for us, such as yappy hours and dining out evenings. We are always grateful to be included, and if you are interested in hosting an event to benefit AWLA, please email Juliana Willems at jwillems@awla.org.



Walk for the Animals 2014



Senator Barbara Favola and Congressman Jim Moran visiting the renovated cat and SCA housing



Inaugural Golden Paw Gala

League Services

Emergencies in Arlington

We respond to animal emergencies 24 hours a day.

Adoptions

We always have animals who need good homes. If you live in Virginia, DC, or Maryland call us about adopting a com-

Animal Control & Cruelty Investigation Animal control officers pick up stray dogs and respond to citizen complaints about animals in Arlington.

Community Services

The League sponsors community services that help people and animals. Visit our website at www.awla.org or call (703) 931-9241 x 200 for information.

Lost & Found

Call (703) 931-9241 x 200 or visit our website at www.awla.org to report all lost and found animals. We can help find animals' owners and return lost pets home again.

Wildlife Rescue & Problems

We'll help get injured or abandoned wildlife to a licensed rehabilitator whenever possible. We'll also help you discourage wildlife from moving into your home.

See the calendar on the back cover for clinic dates and times.

Speakers & Humane Education

If your neighborhood is having animal problems or problems with irresponsible animal owners, you might want a League representative to address your civic association. We also present educational programs on many topics to schools and clubs. Visit our website at www.awla. org or call (703) 931-9241 x 213 for information.

Pawpourri, the newsletter of the Animal Welfare League of Arlington, 2650 S. Arlington Mill Dr., Arlington, VA 22206, http://www.awla.org, is mailed to League supporters. If you receive multiple copies, please notify us and pass them along to friends.

A COPY OF THE LATEST FINANCIAL REPORTAND REGISTRATION FILED BY THE ANIMAL WELFARE LEAGUE OF ARLINGTON MAY BE OBTAINED BY CONTACTING the State Division of Consumer Affairs, Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, P.O. Box 1163, Richmond, VA 23209. REG-ISTRATION DOES NOT IMPLY EN-DORSEMENT, APPROVAL, OR REC-OMMENDATION BY THE STATE.

Our Donors

Because of the generosity of our community through donations from individuals, foundations, community partners, and corporations, we are able to improve the lives of thousands of animals each year. More than 5,550 donors gave over \$414,000 during this past fiscal year. The League is so appreciative of your support, and we thank each one of you who helped us make this possible!

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Care and Transform Campaign

The focus of the Care and Transform Campaign was to renovate our space to improve the housing for cats and small companion animals during their time at the shelter. This new space seeks to enrich these animals' lives by including opportunities to stretch, climb, and play. Because of the following generous individuals, our cats and small companion animals are happier, healthier, and more adoptable. Thank you!

\$50,000 and greater

Martha Grimes, Best in Shelter Mr. John B. Kaparakis Estate of Deborah Wood

\$20,000-\$49,999

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\$10,000-\$19,999

Ms. Catherine N. Abrahams Mr. and Mrs. David and Debra Rose

\$7,500- \$9,999

Caring Hands Animal Hospital, Michelle Vitulli DVM, Jeffrey Newman DVM

Special Funds

The Woody and Mickey Healthy Pet Fund

The Woody and Mickey
Healthy Pet Fund provides the
League with additional resources
to offer medical treatment that
will allow our shelter animals to
healthier and more adoptable. Last
year the Healthy Pet Fund provided
more than 200 shelter animals
with essential medical care.

Ross-Roberts Emergency Veterinary Assistance Fund

The Ross-Roberts Emergency Veterinary Assistance Fund provides no-interest loans to individuals or families who need emergency veterinary care for their animals that they otherwise could not afford. More than \$8,450 was raised for this fund.

Low Cost Spay/Neuter Fund

The Low Cost Spay/Neuter Fund provides animals of lowincome residents low-cost or free spay/neuter surgeries. This fund is vital in preventing unwanted litters and decreases pet overpopulation in our community.

The Bob Ragan Humane Education Fund

The Bob Ragan Humane Education Fund helps to underwrite a wide variety of animal welfare activities that will stimulate children and adults to recognize and promote the important role animals play in all of our lives. This past year, \$2,425 was donated to this fund, allowing us to provide many educational opportunities to our community.

We hope you will continue to support us in each of these special fund areas so that AWLA may continue to offer life-changing services for four- and two- legged animals alike!

\$3,000-\$7,499

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Become Part of the Society

Extend your compassion for animals into the future by including the League in your estate plans. The Legacy Society recognizes those willing to designate a planned gift, or those whose gifts we have received from their bequests.

Have you planned for your pet's future? The League also has a pet bequest program so that care can be provided for your pet in the event of your passing or becoming critically ill. For more information about becoming part of the Legacy Society, or establishing a pet bequest, please call Keelee Wrenn at 703-931-9241 ext. 220.

FY 2014 Financial Report

The audited financial report will be available from the League in November 2014.

Revenue and Support FY 2014

Arlington County Contract for	
sheltering/animal control*	\$1,360,908.00
Programs Revenue	\$232,204.53
Interest & Dividends	\$160,876.76
Unrealized & Realized Gains	
(Losses) on Investments	\$331,987.95
Fundraising	
Events:	\$219,403.89
(Catsino Night/Fall Event, Walk, Misc. Events)	
CFC/United Way	\$111,189.59
Contributions	\$1,236,325.51
(bequests, general donations, major gifts)	
TOTAL:	\$3,652,896.23

Expenses FY 2014

Animal Control*	(\$398,674.47)
Shelter Operations*	(\$1,279,227.26)
Community Outreach/Programs	(\$477,108.37)
Management/General	(\$30,244.71)
Fundraising	(\$394,309.52)
TOTAL:	(\$2,579,564.33)
TOTAL GAIN/(LOSS)	\$1,073,331,90

Temporarily Restricted Funds FY 2014

	Revenue**	Expense	Total
Woody and Mickey Healthy Pet Fund	\$20,988.34	(\$35,186.57)	(\$14,198.23)
Low Cost	44.373.00	(45 575 52)	(4, 202, 52)
Spay/Neuter Fund Ross/Roberts Vet	\$4,372.00	(\$5,575.53)	(\$1,203.53)
Assistance Fund	\$8,335.00	(\$5,697.72)	\$2,637.28
Bob Ragan Humane			
Education Fund	\$2,125.00	(\$2,952.94)	(\$827.94)
AWLA TNR Program	\$7,423.67	(\$7,583.43)	(\$159.76)
Temporarily Restricted			
Grants	\$25,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$23,000.00

*Under terms of a contract with Arlington County, the Animal Welfare League of Arlington provides the County's animal shelter and animal control services.

**Revenue includes FY2014 donations only; it does not reflect entire balance of fund accounts.

Golden Paw Gala

Join us in rolling out the red carpet for shelter animals at the Animal Welfare League of Arlington's 2nd Annual Golden Paw Gala on Saturday, November 1 at 6p.m. at the Westin Arlington Gateway, Ballston. This highly anticipated event coincides with Arlington's Animal Shelter Appreciation Month, shining a spotlight on animal welfare in Arlington County.

Proceeds from the Gala will directly benefit shelter animals, community programs and services supported by the Animal



Welfare League of Arlington—the County's only humane society. Mix and mingle with some of the League's biggest VIPs- our very important pups- as they strut and pose on the red carpet to represent the hundreds of animals that will benefit from the evening's proceeds.

This glitzy benefit will be hosted by Dr. Katy Nelson of The Pet Show on News Channel 8 and Joan Jones, morning anchor of WTOP. The evening will include cocktails with a red carpet event, fine dining, musical entertainment by the Odyssey Band to keep you dancing all night, silent and live auctions, and complimentary swag bags. Party with a purpose and help make second chances PAWsible! For details and to purchase tickets please visit www.awla.org.



Golden Paw Gala Sponsors



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Get your tickets now for the 2nd Annual Golden Paw Gala Saturday, November 1, 2014 www.awla.org

Workplace Giving

The League depends on our many donors who donate each year through their workplace giving programs, the United Way and the Combined Federal Campaign. These donations allow the League to continue its good works. As this year's campaign begins, if you work for a participating organization, please consider designating the Animal Welfare League of Arlington with the appropriate codes.

Combined Federal
Campaign
(CFC) # 90065

United Way (UW) # 8804

Commonwealth of Virginia Campaign (CVC) # 8068

Rabies & Microchip Clinics

Please bring dogs on leashes and cats in carriers.

Rabies Shot: \$10 • Microchip \$30

Oct 23 • Dec 4 • Jan 22 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Please bring proof of a prior rabies shot (a rabies certificate, not a tag) to get a three-year rabies shot. Without it, your pet will receive a one-year shot.

League Hours

Visiting:

Noon – 7:00 p.m. Monday

Closed Tuesday

Noon – 7:00 p.m. Wed. - Fri.

Noon – 4:00 p.m. Sat. - Sun.

Emergencies: 24 hours a day

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