

# Explain To Her That It's Not Your Problem.



**Animal Abuse, Neglect & Overpopulation Is Everyone's Problem & EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY TO BRING TO AN END.**

## Take A Look At The Numbers:

We polled 23 DFW-area city animal shelters, to learn about the volume of animals placed in their care on a monthly basis.

**THE NUMBERS BELOW REPRESENT JUNE, 2005:**

**13,229=**

The total number of animals surrendered to, or picked up by, these 23 city animal shelters, during June, 2005.

**1,649=**

The total number of animals that were adopted.  
\*\*THOUSANDS are still waiting in these shelters TODAY to be adopted.\*\*

**1,091=**

The total number of animals that were rescued by private rescue organizations, like the ones listed below.

**8,533=**

**THE TOTAL NUMBER OF ANIMALS WHOSE 2ND CHANCE NEVER CAME & WHO WERE DESTROYED.**

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The total number of animals that continued to roam the streets and either starved, were killed or met with fates worse than you could imagine.

Yes, these statistics are difficult to read. There is tremendous opportunity, however, for positive change. We need YOUR HELP to make this happen for the animals of DFW!

### FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Maybe you're in a position now where you can't adopt a pet or foster one. Maybe you're not really even an "animal person", but you realize this is a crisis situation that can't be ignored. Your financial support is a way you can make a difference & save lives. Contact one of the local rescue groups listed below & lend your support. Your contribution will be used to rescue, rehabilitate & re-home animals currently in desperate situations.



### SPAY/NEUTER PETS

Spaying (females) & neutering (males) is a simple medical procedure that prevents unwanted litters of animals. Before you decide to have "just 1 litter" or make a few bucks by selling animals as a side business, consider the statistics above. Spaying & neutering is the #1 most effective way to help keep animals from being destroyed in shelters. Low-cost clinics in the DFW Metroplex are available. Call the HSUS today at 214.372.9999.

### OPT TO ADOPT

If you are looking to adopt a pet, or know someone who is, contact one of the rescue groups below or visit a city shelter. Wouldn't you rather adopt your pet from someone who has loved, cared for and invested themselves in providing a bright future for a deserving animal, as opposed to a situation where your pet is someone's business and the sole objective is to make money? When you adopt, you give a deserving animal a 2nd chance at a happy life. What could be better?

### VOLUNTEER

The groups listed below are always in need of volunteers and, especially foster parents. The reality is that animals can only be saved if there is a place for them to go. Many people think this work is too hard and that they could never do it. Yes, it is hard, but it's also some of the most rewarding work you will ever do. Once you realize that if you don't intervene, that animal will die, the decision to become involved is easier to make. Please contact one of the groups below for more information.

## APATHY KILLS. ACTION SAVES LIVES. IT'S THAT SIMPLE.

Contact any of the rescue organizations listed below, for more information on how you can help. There is profound strength in numbers. Working together, we can create a much better life for the animals of DFW. **GET INVOLVED TODAY!**

**Tassie's Hope Animal Rescue**  
[www.tassieshope.org](http://www.tassieshope.org)

**American Boston Terrier Rescue**  
972.407.4440; [www.bostonterrierrescue.net](http://www.bostonterrierrescue.net)

**Shih Tzu Adoption & Rescue Society of Texas**  
1.866.546.5719; [www.stars-of-texas.org](http://www.stars-of-texas.org)

**Coppell Humane Society**  
[www.coppellhumanesociety.com](http://www.coppellhumanesociety.com); 972.462.1121

**DFW Cocker Spaniel Rescue**  
[www.dfwcockerrescue.8m.com](http://www.dfwcockerrescue.8m.com); 972.994.1133

**Animal Rescue Klub (ARK)**  
[www.animalrescueklub.org](http://www.animalrescueklub.org); 972.562.HELP

**Frisco Humane Society**  
[www.friscohumanesociety.com](http://www.friscohumanesociety.com); 972.498.8980

**East Lake Pet Orphanage**  
214.349.ELPO; [www.elpo.org](http://www.elpo.org)

**Legacy Boxer Rescue, Inc.**  
[www.savetheboxers.com](http://www.savetheboxers.com); 1.877.5BOXERS

**Ferret Lover's Club of Texas**  
Hotline: 972.381.0709; 972.286.5778

**Texas Animal Shelter Coalition**  
817.392.3737; [www.sheltercoalition.com](http://www.sheltercoalition.com)

**Homeward Bound Animal Rescue**  
[srich@flash.net](mailto:srich@flash.net); 817.792.5122

**Camp Wolfgang (German Shepherd Dog Rescue)**  
214.520.7000; [www.campwolfgang.petfinder.com](http://www.campwolfgang.petfinder.com)

**SADIE Miniature Pinscher Rescue**  
[www.sadie.petfinder.com](http://www.sadie.petfinder.com); k9kids1@verizon.net

**Scottie Kingdom Rescue, Inc.**  
[www.scottiekingdom.com](http://www.scottiekingdom.com); 972.285.2402

**Labrador Retriever Rescue of North Texas**  
[www.labrescuenorthtexas.org](http://www.labrescuenorthtexas.org); 972.480.LABS (5227)

**Chihuahua Rescue and Transport, Inc.**  
[www.chihuahua-rescue.org](http://www.chihuahua-rescue.org)

**Humane Animal Rescue Team (HART)**  
[www.hartoftexas.org](http://www.hartoftexas.org); 214.332.9535

**Flower Mound Humane Society**  
[www.fmhs.org](http://www.fmhs.org); 972.691.7387

**Save The Animals Rescue Society (STARS)**  
[www.starspets.com](http://www.starspets.com); 972.459.9181

**Texas Tailwaggers Village Rescue**  
214.868.0480; [txtailwaggers@aol.com](mailto:txtailwaggers@aol.com)

**City Pet Rescue (CPR)**  
[www.citypetrescue.com](http://www.citypetrescue.com)

**North American Shar Pei Rescue**  
[www.sharpeirescue.com](http://www.sharpeirescue.com); 972.841.8035

**Great Dane Angel Network Rescue**  
817.361.9855; [www.daneangelnetwork.org](http://www.daneangelnetwork.org)

**DFW Labrador Retriever Rescue Club**  
972.881.5544; [www.dfwlabrescue.org](http://www.dfwlabrescue.org)

**AlmostHome Dogz Rescue**  
[almosthome@gmail.com](mailto:almosthome@gmail.com); 214.926.1521

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