

2023 IMPACT REPORT

FRIENDS OF HOMELESS ANIMALS



Home with us until they're home with you.™



In 2023, FOHA celebrated 50 years of saving lives.

Our mission for 50 years and beyond

FOHA is the enduring gold standard in quality for no-kill rescues, saving and improving the lives of homeless cats and dogs.

We strive to:

- Bring an end to euthanasia of adoptable companion animals
- Provide a safe haven for abused and abandoned animals
- Provide food, shelter, medical care, rehabilitation, and compassion to homeless animals
- Find permanent, loving homes for the animals in our care
- And, most importantly, bring about a time when there will be no more homeless pets and every dog and cat can be guaranteed a loving home



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Friends of
Homeless Animals



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435 ADOPTIONS



248 DOG ADOPTIONS

- 10 dogs adopted after completing treatment for heartworm disease
- 14 senior dogs (ages 8+) adopted
- 10 Diamond Dogs (long stay dogs) adopted



187 CAT ADOPTIONS

- 17 FIV positive cats adopted
 - Over 3x the number of FIV+ cats adopted compared to 2022
- Saved a record number of cats and kittens



NOTABLE ADOPTIONS

VANCE



Adopted after 754
days at FOHA
FIV+



RAKSHA

Heartworm Positive

KALI



Adopted after 475
days at FOHA



SOPHIE

Senior Care Plan

DAHLIA



FIV+

BELLATRIX



Adopted after 408
days at FOHA



PINOT

Kitten

ELOPSY



Heartworm Positive



WAYLON

Kitten

DOC



Adopted after 741
days at FOHA

VOLUNTEER & FOSTER



VOLUNTEER

12,396

HOURS

NEW VOLUNTEERS TRAINED

180

Dog

WALKERS

94

Cat

SNUGGLERS

VOLUNTEER HOURS EQUALLED OVER

\$370,000

IN VALUE

FOSTER FAMILIES

We had 248 animals in foster care this year. This includes regular foster care, short term foster and foster with intent to adopt events. Fostering is a great way for dogs and cats to get a break from the shelter and show their true spirits.



122



126



ANIMAL CARE

ANIMAL CARE SUCCESSES

- Staff and volunteers trained with Dogs Playing for Life and implemented weekly dog playgroups
- Dog Walker Training implemented (5-Level Volunteer Training for safety of volunteers and basic training for dogs)
- Dog behavior assessments and training plans implemented for increased adoption success
- Daily enrichment activities for dogs and cats
- Same Day Adoptions implemented and expanded adoption days and hours

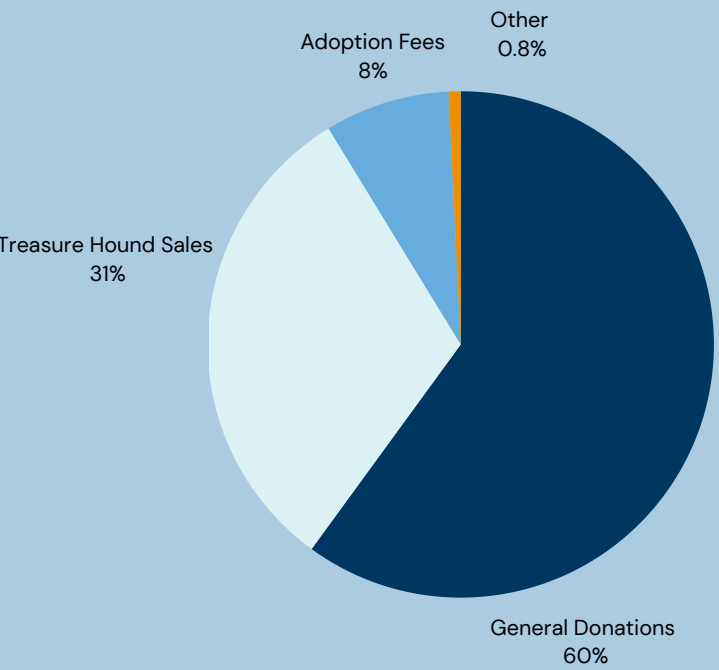


FACILITIES

- New cattery roof
- New concrete floors in the Long Term Village
- Transport van was replaced with a lightly used Ford Transit 250
- Remote security and remote temperature monitoring systems installed



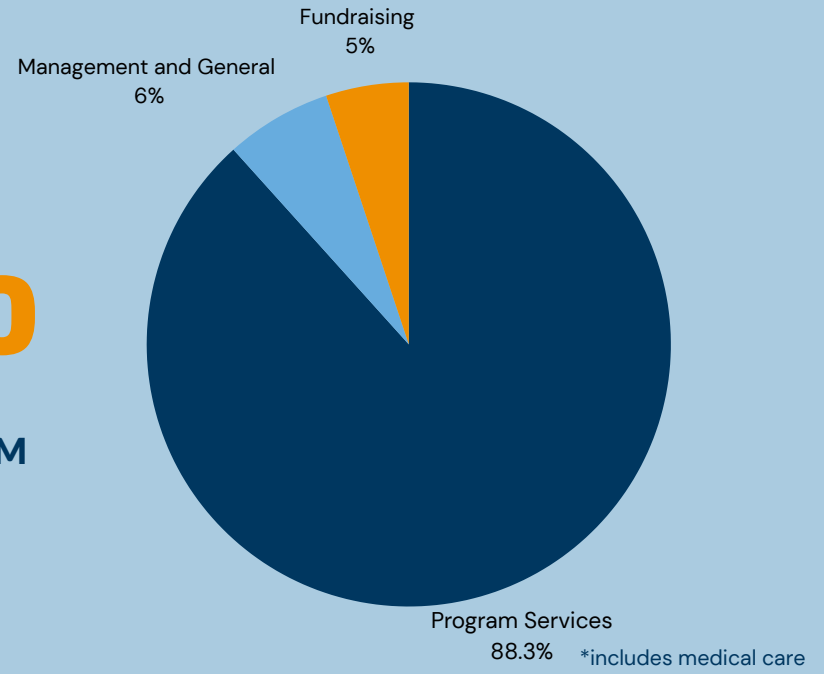
FINANCIAL SUMMARY



REVENUE

88.3%

OF EXPENSES GO DIRECTLY TO PROGRAM SERVICES



EXPENSES

4
GRANTS AWARDED

- Pedigree
- Grey Muzzle
- Ursula Landreth Animal Rescue Fund
- Community Foundation for a Greater Richmond

DONATIONS

- Celebrated our 50th anniversary at the Paws for Celebration event
- Participated in local community events such as Run the Greenway and Give Choose
- Partnered with over 10 corporations and small businesses

LOOKING AHEAD



LETTER FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

2024 is looking promising at FOHA! With a new Board President and an evolving Board, our organization is embracing new strategies. We're tackling infrastructure issues by collaborating with an architect for development plans. Our foster and behavior programs are growing to better serve our animals. We're also enhancing volunteer training and broadening our life-saving cat program. Your continued support is invaluable to save more lives in 2024!

With Thanks,
Alison Maurhoff

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MORE ABOUT SUPPORTING
FOHA IN 2024 AND BEYOND?**

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