

QUARTERLY REPORT

Community Field and Rescue Work

Rescued!

Before PETA rescued **Chico**, he was kept tethered outside 24/7. He was emaciated, covered in ticks, and terrified. After rehabilitation and healing in a foster home, he was adopted and is enjoying life indoors as a member of a family.



Read more about the animals we helped this quarter. ▶▶

Preventing Companion Animal Homelessness

PETA's Mobile Clinics Division spayed or neutered 14,211 animals in 2025.

During this quarter, the veterinary staff on our mobile spay/neuter clinics sterilized **3,461** animal companions, including **Nemo**, **Ghost** and **Chase**, and **Klaus**, who were among the **185** animals PETA's Community Animal Project fieldworkers transported for free to and from their no-cost spay/neuter appointments. After **Baebii** developed pyometra, a life-threatening uterine infection, our veterinarian performed an emergency spay completely free of charge for her adoring guardian.

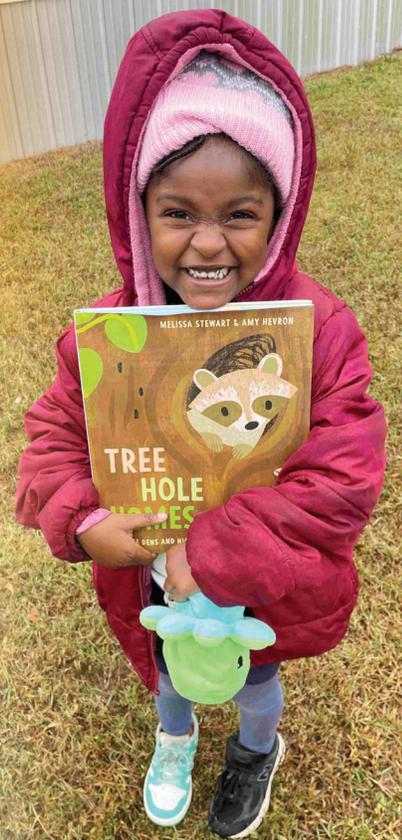
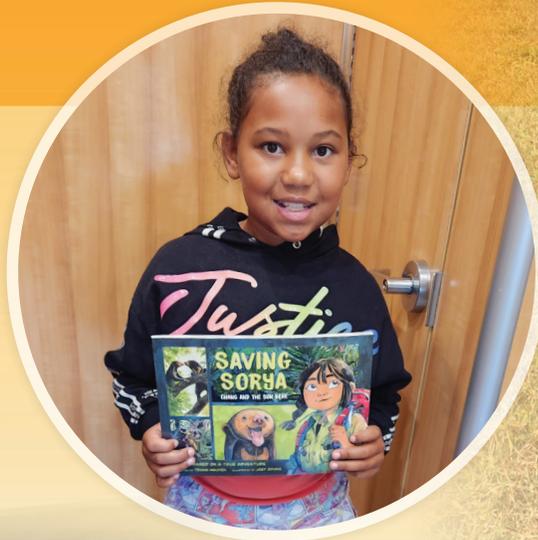


PETA's Mobile Clinics Division is a 2025 Snippy Awards nominee for the #1 High Volume Spay/Neuter Clinic and a nominee for the Mobile/Mash Unit Impact Award!

Community Outreach

Barks & Books

Through our **Barks & Books** program, we continued to distribute children's books with animal-friendly themes to kids we met in the field and at our spay/neuter clinics.



'Fixing' Animal Homelessness

We partnered with the Humane Society of Puerto Rico to host our fourth free spay/neuter event for underserved communities. In just two days, we "fixed" and vaccinated **250** cats and dogs. With the help of PETA's Global Compassion Fund, we've sterilized over **850** animals on the island since 2023.

Shelter Partnership Placements

➔ We transferred **99** companion animals to our shelter partners for adoption.

We rescued **Tiny**, a tethered dog whose outdoor “shelter” consisted of a wire crate with a piece of siding on top. We transferred her to the Norfolk SPCA for a chance of being adopted. She was among the **503** animals our shelter took in this quarter.



Tiny before



Tiny at Norfolk SPCA

PETA often subsidizes the cost of veterinary care when we transfer animals to our placement partner shelters.

We also secured the relinquishment of **Sky**, who had been shot in the neck and gravely injured. Our veterinarian cleaned and sutured the necrotic wound and also spayed Sky. After several days of recovering at PETA's shelter, we transferred her to Reba's Rescue for adoption!



Sky before



Sky at Reba's Rescue

Helping People Keep and Care For Their Animals

➔ This quarter, we spent **\$830,215** on local services.



Redman

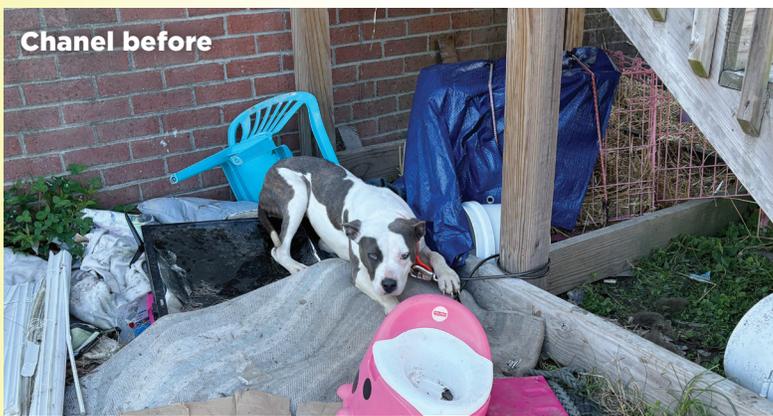
One of the **635** requests for assistance that PETA received was for **Redman**, whose guardian reached out for help after the dog was attacked and seriously injured by another dog. We treated Redman's wounds during his neuter surgery, all at no cost to his devoted guardian.

After **Juicy** developed severe swelling under the neck, her guardian stopped by one of our mobile clinic locations in search of help. We offered to spay the dog on the spot, for free, so she could be fully examined while sedated, and Juicy was sent home with two costly medications, all free of charge. These families are among the **227** we assisted in keeping their animal companions this quarter.



Juicy

This quarter, we delivered custom-built, insulated doghouses to 46 dogs kept outdoors day and night in all weather extremes.



Chanel before



Chanel after

PETA helped protect "outside dogs" like Chanel—who had been kept on a short, tangled chain beneath a set of stairs—by providing sturdy wooden doghouses and insulating straw bedding. We also made sure they had food, water, and treatment for parasites, and we replaced heavy chains with 15-foot lightweight tie-outs.

Free End-of-Life Services

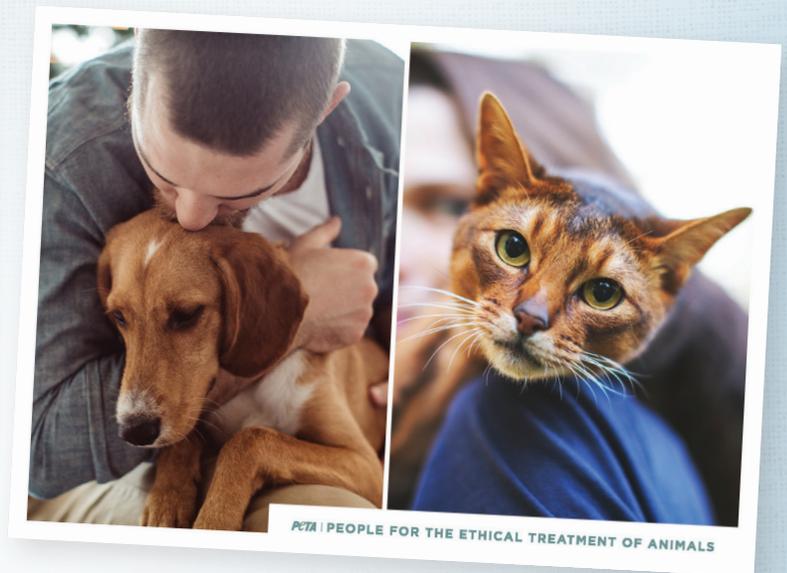
Moe's guardian brought him to PETA's shelter for free end-of-life services due to the beloved 7-year-old dog's chronic suffering from allergies so severe that they caused his skin to break out in extremely painful blisters and lesions. **Moe** was among the **134** animals we euthanized this quarter at no cost to families who couldn't afford this vital, humane service. Many guardians filled out postcards asking their state legislators to safeguard our ability to offer free end-of-life relief.



We provided free end-of-life emergency aid to senior dog **Neka**, whose family waited five days to call for help after she'd collapsed outside, where they left her soaked in her own waste. She was among the **395** animals we euthanized this quarter.



This quarter, 852 of our constituent families sent postcards to their elected officials in support of our services, including compassionate euthanasia—a free service that only PETA's animal shelter provides in the region.



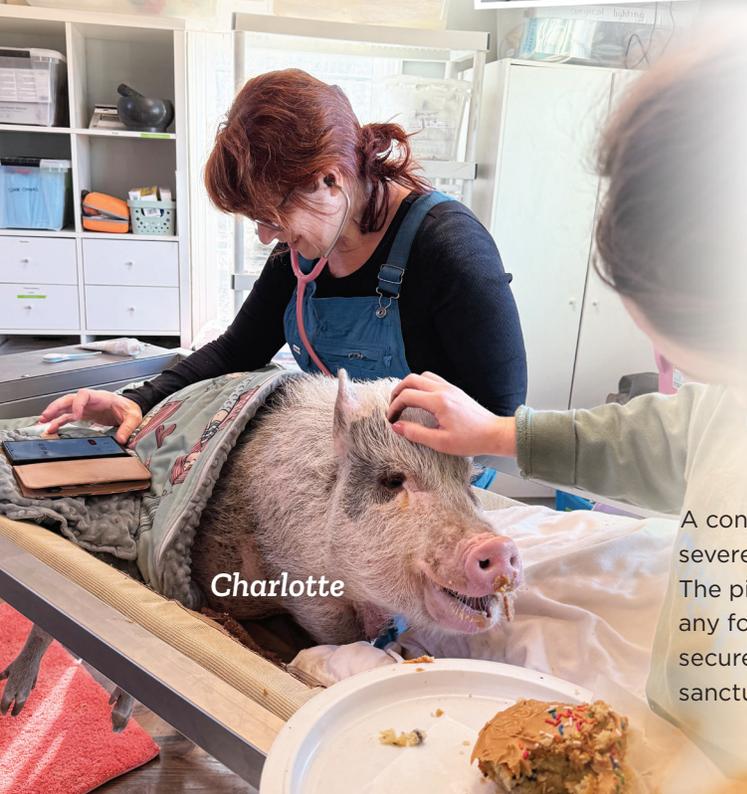
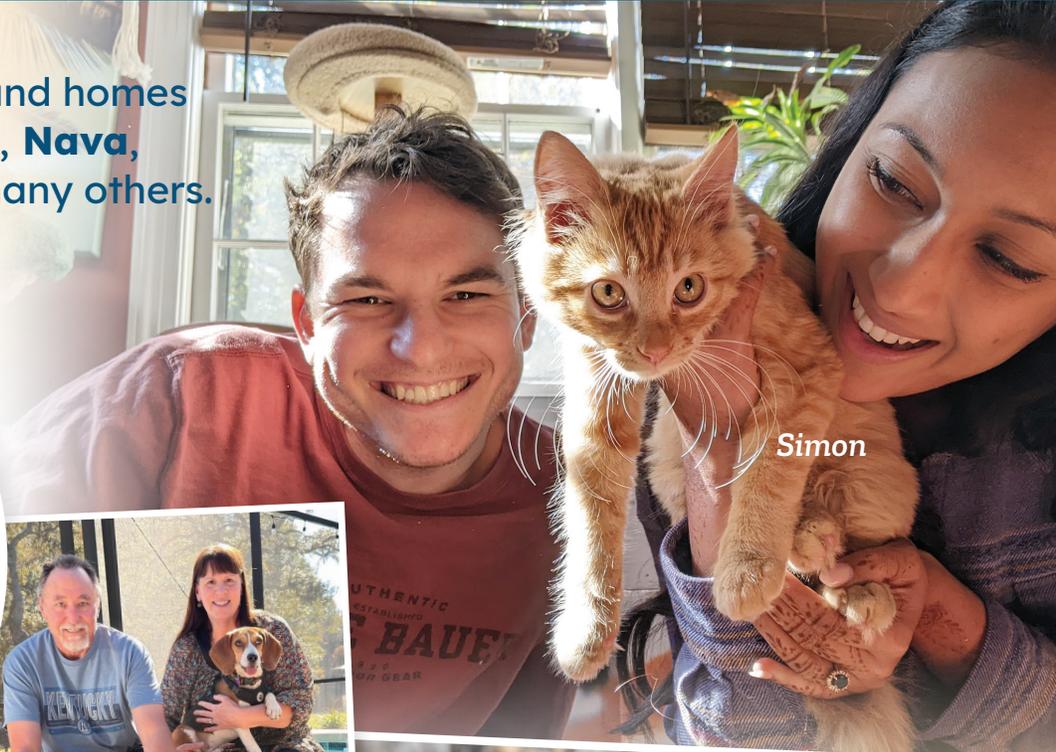
I am one of your constituents. My family was able to end our beloved pet's suffering because of help from PETA's animal shelter and community assistance program.

Thank you PETA for helping our family have a proper goodbye to our Destin whos suffering can finally be over. without you, this would not be possible.

Among the animals we euthanized were **159** free-roaming cats suffering from conditions that included active dying, hind-end paralysis, immobility, infected wounds, injured eyes or limbs, and labored breathing.

In-House Adoptions

 This quarter, PETA found homes for **Simon**, **Yoda**, **Parker**, **Nava**, and **Charlotte**, among many others.



A concerned dog-sitter contacted PETA after finding sweet Charlotte severely malnourished and confined to a dilapidated pen in the backyard. The pig's hooves were painfully overgrown, and she had not been given any food or water before her owner left for a weeklong vacation. We secured Charlotte's relinquishment and found placement at a reputable sanctuary, where she's now receiving proper care and is on the mend!

PETA's Shelter Helps Roxy's Family With Free End-of-Life Service



Beloved senior dog Roxy had been diagnosed with cancer several months prior when her guardian called PETA's animal shelter in Norfolk to request help with affordable end-of-life help. The guardian's veterinarian had quoted \$800 for euthanasia and cremation. Roxy's family allowed us to photograph them during this difficult time, to share their story. PETA gave Roxy the dignity of a peaceful, painless death surrounded by loved ones.

PETA's local programs serve over 260 localities across southeastern Virginia and northeastern North Carolina.

We receive and respond to calls *every single day* from clients who are desperate to relieve their animal companion's suffering. The people we serve cannot access affordable and timely end-of-life services, as the cost of veterinary care has increased significantly in recent years. Clinics are often booked weeks—or even months—in advance and are unwilling to work with clients struggling with economic hardships and limited financial means. Simply put, many Virginians can no longer afford to give their animals a dignified death.

PETA helps every animal who needs us. We take in all comers without appointments, waiting lists, or fees.

We never turn away an animal in need—ever.



SPECIAL REPORT

PETA brings free spay/neuter, vaccine, microchip, and wellness services to Southwest Virginia.

As the cost of veterinary care continues to increase and services become less accessible to Virginians, PETA is working with other humane organizations to provide free and low-cost services to help communities in need. This year, we partnered with Halifax County Paws and Claws SPCA in South Boston, the Twin County Humane Society in Galax, and the Danville Area Humane Society to assist residents in underserved areas of the Commonwealth. A total of **525** cats and dogs were sterilized, vaccinated, microchipped, and given other wellness services, including wound care, grooming, flea and tick preventative, and de-worming at little to no cost to guardians.

Rain Lily



Tripp





In addition to veterinary services, PETA delivered sturdy wooden doghouses to dogs kept chained or penned outside in Carroll, Grayson, and Wythe counties as well as the city of Galax. Fieldworkers also visited families they'd met before to check on their animals and help with basic care as needed.

Danny from Grayson County is just one of the people we helped.



PETA also took in 20 surrendered cats, kittens, dogs, and puppies—some of whom required urgent medical attention—to help ease the burden on local shelters and give them the best chance at adoption.



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