



**Humane Society**  
OF SUMMIT COUNTY™



# 2022 Impact Report



## A Note from our President & CEO

The Humane Society of Summit County has experienced some significant achievements in 2022!

Our MABEL, Mobile Veterinary Clinic, was launched in April 2022 and has made a tremendous impact in our community by providing low-cost spay/neuter and vaccines days in areas of Summit County that need this service.

We continued to look beyond the shelter walls to help make our community a more compassionate place and a resource for those who need us the most. We expanded our No More Bullying!® program teaching elementary school students ways to be more compassionate to animals and people. We distributed a record-breaking 50,000 pounds of donated pet food to ten area food pantries with pet food resources to ensure that even four-legged members of families are fed.

Finally, we continued to see a rise in hoarding cases. Animals living in deplorable conditions and sometimes left behind without food and water. Our Humane Agents, medical team, and animal care staff work countless hours to rescue and provide the necessary medical care, behavioral assessments, and love to each one of the animals rescued to ensure they have a safe and happy ending.

Thanks to all our generous supporters as well as our adopters who have given the gift of a home to our animals this past year.

2,200 rescued cats, dogs, and small critters now have a place to be loved, lay their heads, and let their guards down! You have made countless lives brighter, and you give us hope as we do the hard but necessary work of rescuing animals in need every day.

As we approach this year and beyond, we are working toward a better future for all animals in our community. It's an exciting time of transformation, and we look forward to sharing more in the coming months.

Sincerely,

Diane Johnson-Owens, President & CEO



## A Happy Ending for Floppy and Sassy

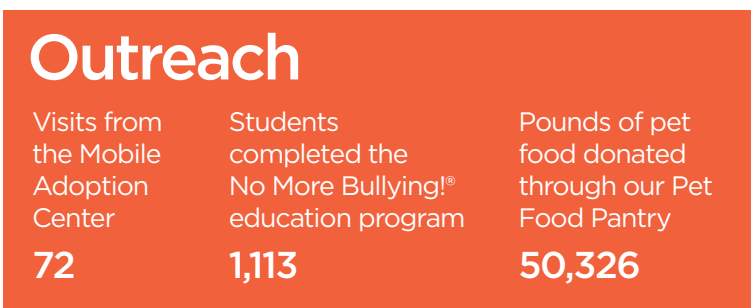
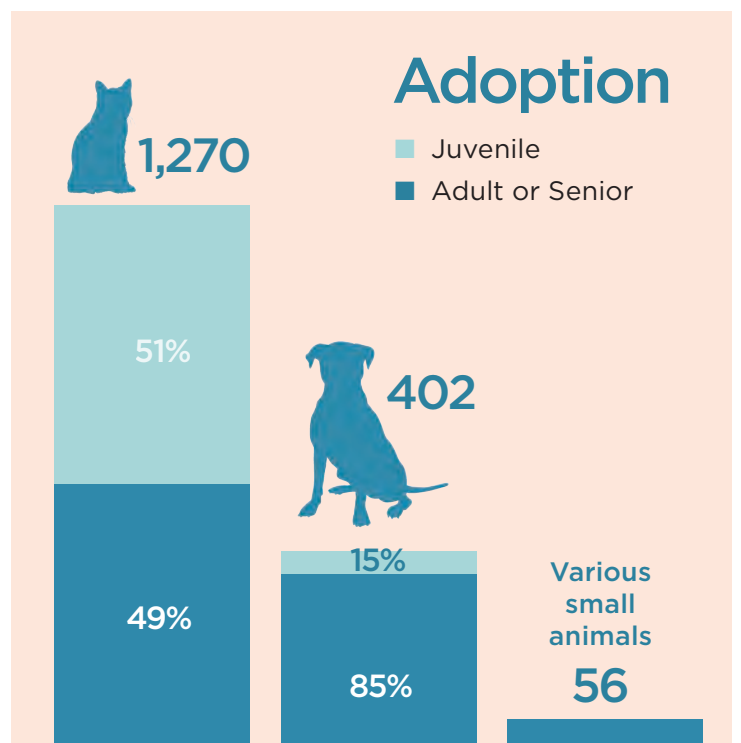
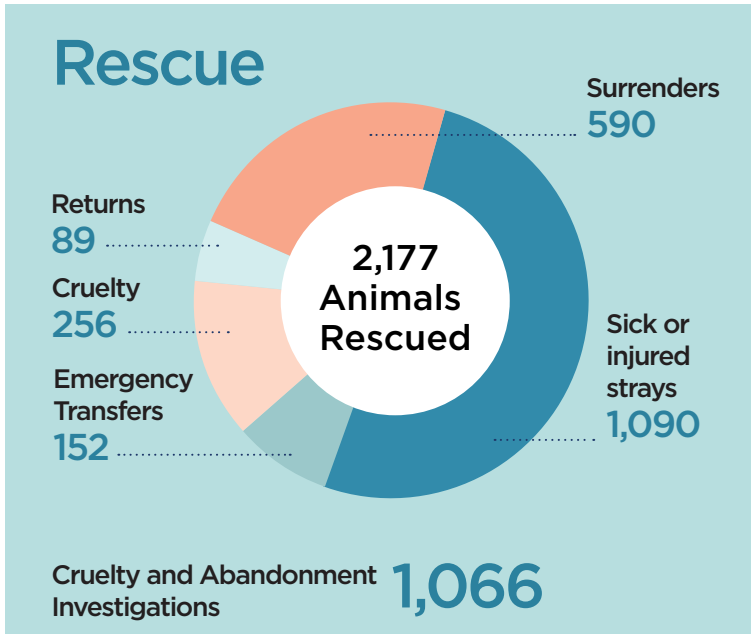


Floppy and Sassy came to the Humane Society of Summit County in May 2022 with four other chows after their owner passed away. Sadly, there was no one left to care for them. They were very scared because they had never been anywhere but their own home. It took some time for them to come around, but once they did, they were so sweet!

These senior dogs had some health issues, including being heartworm positive. After their treatment and rehabilitation, they waited for their new homes.

Floppy was placed with a foster family. He was introduced several times to their resident dog and other family members. It didn't take long for them to decide he was a fit, and so they adopted him. They loved Floppy so much,, they came in and took Floppy's sister Sassy home to foster. She had a harder time adjusting but the family worked hard to get her ready for adoption. This extra care paid off, and while she was in her foster home, HSSC found Sassy her forever home in December!

# 2022 by the Numbers

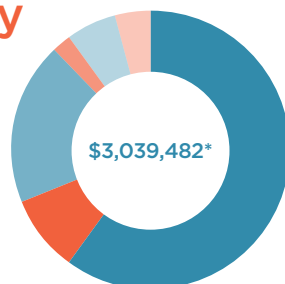


## Financial Summary

Total giving  
**\$2,431,585\***

Number of donations  
**18,500**

Value of in-kind donations  
**\$64,275\***

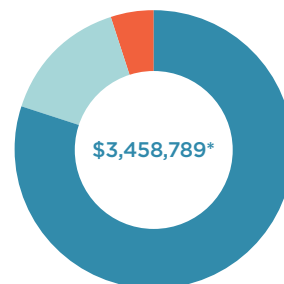


## Revenue

- Donations
- Bequests
- Events
- Government
- Adoptions
- Miscellaneous

## Expenses

- Programs
- Fundraising
- Management



\*Reflects pre-audited financial position.

# Rescue, Recovery, Rebirth



China arrived at the Humane Society of Summit County in September 2021 after a good Samaritan found her running down the highway. She only weighed 52 pounds and was covered in open sores and wounds.

Our medical team got to work on treatment for her skin and ear issues,

however, once those were resolved, she started struggling with leg pain. Soon we discovered she had bilateral hip dysplasia and a torn ACL, which was surgically repaired.

Though China remained in our care longer than anyone had hoped, she eventually left for foster, and her foster parents finalized her adoption on 11-29-22! China's new loving family also includes two other dogs and a puppy, who she loves to boss around.

The only thing China loves more than play and snacks is naps. A recliner, that she claimed as her own, is her favorite spot, but she also likes to cuddle with her new brothers. Her new family was happy to have given China her first Thanksgiving meal and help her ring in the New Year in her forever home!

Read about this rescue and more incredible stories of our lifesaving work online at [summithumane.org](http://summithumane.org).

## Visit

Humane Society of Summit County  
7996 Darrow Rd  
Twinsburg, OH 44087

Adoptions currently available  
by appointment. Please call  
us at 330-487-0333 for  
more information.

## Give

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## Mission

Humane Society of Summit County serves our community by caring and advocating for vulnerable animals and enriching the lives of pets and people.

## Vision

A more compassionate and humane community for animals.

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