

San Jose Animal Advisory Committee
Meeting Minutes—October 3, 2007

Attendees: Loree Levy Schwartz
Janet Alexander Thompson
Trish Watson
Absent: Marthina McClay
Staff: Jon Cicirelli
Julie St. Gregory

1. Minutes for August meeting approved.
2. Public Comments: none
3. PAWS report:
 - Rande McQueen reports that as of June 30th the net total for PAWS is \$17K. (See PAWS report for more details).
4. Shelter Director's Report
 - Shelter manager search still in process.
 - Shelter coordinator position has been posted internally and externally.
 - Two field service officers are out on long-term leave.
 - October 1st was the three-year anniversary of the opening of the shelter. The animal counts are as follows:

16,222 dogs
31,955 cats
4,646 other animals

52,823 TOTAL ANIMALS (over three year period)

Other stats include:

8,026 adoptions
6,348 RTOs
7,529 rescues
26,991 euthanasias
5,290 surgeries (over last year since opening of S/N Clinic)

5. Old Business:
 - Strategic planning and goals will be discussed at the next meeting.

Mission statement: To develop a humane community for the benefit of animals and people through service and education.

Next meeting Thursday, December 6, 2007.