

2018 Annual Report



Letter from the Board President

Dear Friends,

I cannot believe a whole year has already passed. This past year seemed to fly by, but even so, the Brown County Humane Society was able to accomplish some remarkable things. Remarkable things that were possible only because of your compassion and generosity. I thank you for helping to save the lives of homeless pets. You are an inspiration to us all.

In 2018 we maintained an amazing save rate of 98%. We helped nearly 550 pets find new homes with loving families, and reunited more than 120 pets with their owners. Our SPOT program continues to help those in need and spayed/neutered over 600 dogs and cats. During times of low intake, we were able to reach out and support struggling animal shelters. We are saving lives in Brown County, and beyond. Your support is what makes us able to continue doing what we love—helping animals in need.

We have no plans of slowing down this year!

We have a reputation for being an organization that strives to continually improve and never settle for status quo. We have some big plans for 2019 that will take our organization well into the future and increase the quality of care we provide for the animals entrusted to our care. We are not ready to announce our plans yet, but stay tuned to see what will be happening in our near future!

Thank you for all your support and caring. Happy New Year!



Sue Ann Werling
Board President, Brown County Humane Society



2019 Schedule of BCHS Events



April: Rabies Clinic

May 19: Dawg Gone Walk & Fiesta

August 8-10: Annual Barn Sale

October 20-24: Online Auction

November 9: Chocolate Walk

For additional details about each of these events, visit our website at www.bchumane.org or our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/bchumane

Our Vision: A community where all animals are valued and treated with respect.



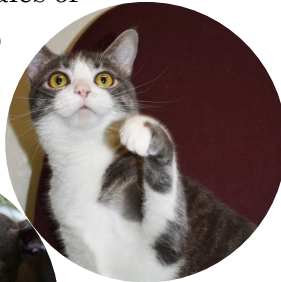
2018 Highlights

98% Save Rate—714 lives saved

Our generous donors provided nearly **60%** of our revenue.

Over **17,150** pounds of food and over **46** bales of straw were given to animals in need in our community.

We saved **67** dogs and cats from struggling shelters across the Midwest.



545 cats and dogs found new families and **124** lost pets were reunited with their owners.

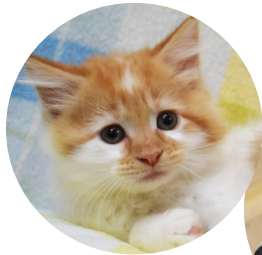
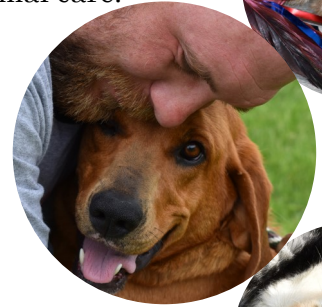


Our three special events raised nearly **\$115,000** that goes directly towards animal care.



Our **20** amazing foster volunteers provided extra special care to **201** pets before they found their new home.

To reduce unwanted pets in our county, the SPOT program spay/neutered **635** animals.



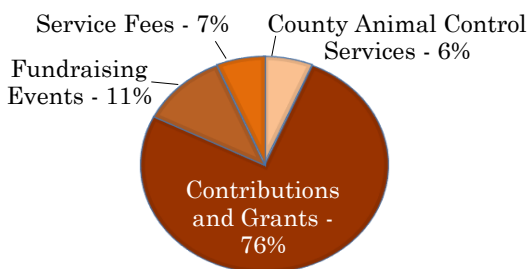
Our generous volunteers provided over **13,000** hours of care for over **720** dogs and cats in need.



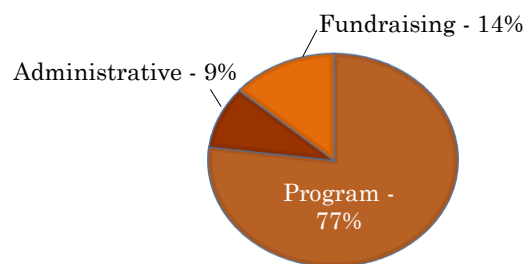
Financial Stability

Brown County Humane Society depends on generous donations from individuals, businesses and foundations to operate its shelter and adoption facilities and provide community outreach services to Brown County residents. Not included in the expense amounts below are the countless hours of operating, administrative, and fundraising services provided by numerous volunteers, each day, throughout the year.

2018 Revenues



2018 Expenses



What comes next?



We will spay/neuter our **6,000th** pet with the SPOT program



So much more...

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We will reduce the average length of stay by **10% or more.**



We will continue to be a **regional leader** in animal welfare



To help continue creating Big Results, donate today at www.bchumane.org