

# NEW LICENSING REQUIREMENTS IN YOUR CITIES

*Spay/neuter and microchipping are now required in the cities of Canyon Lake, Lake Elsinore, Menifee, Wildomar, and Temecula.*

In partnership with Animal Friends of the Valleys, the cities of Canyon Lake, Lake Elsinore, Menifee, Wildomar, and Temecula have recently made changes to their local Animal Law Ordinances and licensing requirements that are aimed at reducing shelter intake and euthanasia of dogs and cats.

**IN ORDER TO OBTAIN A LICENSE FOR YOUR PET(S), A CERTIFICATE OF STERILITY AND MICROCHIPPING ARE NOW REQUIRED\***

\*For possible exemptions in your city, visit [afv.org/licensing](http://afv.org/licensing) or call us at (951) 674-0618.

# 2019

by the numbers

## 349

191 cats and 158 dogs came to AFV from the City of Canyon Lake

## 2150

957 cats and 1193 dogs came to AFV from the City of Lake Elsinore

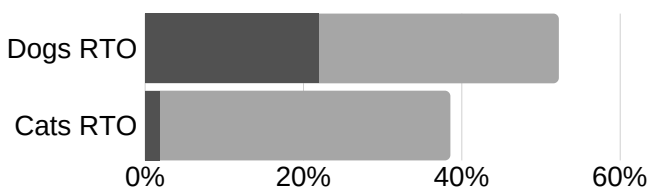
## 1033

374 cats and 659 dogs passed through AFV from the City of Menifee

## 1476

720 cats and 756 dogs came to AFV from the City of Wildomar

## DID YOU KNOW?



A study by the American Veterinary Medical Association showed that dogs without microchips were returned to their owners 21.9% of the time, whereas microchipped dogs were returned to their owners 52.2% of the time. Cats without microchips were reunited with their owners only 1.8% of the time, whereas microchipped cats went back home 38.5% of the time. (Lord et al, JAVMA, July 15, 2009)

**COMPLETE THESE SERVICES AT YOUR LOCAL VETERINARIAN OR AT ANIMAL FRIENDS OF THE VALLEYS' LOW-COST SPAY AND NEUTER CLINIC**

For more information about our low-cost, high-quality services, visit our website at

→ [afv.org/spay-neuter](http://afv.org/spay-neuter)