

St. Hubert's



Animal Welfare Center

Animal Control Services Assisting 2,842 West Amwell Township Residents

Response

- 24/7 service provided at an all-inclusive fee covering dogs, cats, other animals and non-deer wildlife with **no extra charges** regardless whether nights, holidays or the condition, veterinary care needed, length of stay or final disposition of any animal entering the shelter. No fee for rabies specimen preparation.
- N.J. State Certified Animal Control Officers and Best Practice Shelters that meet or exceed NJAC. 8:23A. Phones answered all day, every day with an answering service at night.
- No charge assistance for elderly, infirm or in-crisis residents who are unable to transport their animals to veterinary care on an emergency and scheduled basis.
- Open door access for any resident of West Amwell Township to surrender dogs, cats and other small companion animals that they can no longer keep.
- Shelters open for adoption 7 days per week (with exception of Thanksgiving and Christmas) providing convenient access to the public and community confidence that unclaimed and surrendered animals will have excellent potential for re-homing.
- Facilities, equipment, manpower and expertise to respond to disasters in the community ranging from manmade, i.e. hoarders, to natural disasters, i.e. floods. Recognized for same by ASPCA.

Prevention & Outreach

- St. Hubert's leverages grants & fundraising to assist residents in our existing towns. Grants received currently enable low-cost spaying and neutering of cats to reduce the population of outdoor cats in the community.
- St. Hubert's Humane Educator presents free curriculum integrated programs to students in 4th to 8th grades and special needs students. She works with the HIB (anti-bullying) curriculum and our program is highly valued.
- St. Hubert's Pet Food Pantry provides food and supplies to pet guardians in need in collaboration with Somerset Area Food Bank Network and food pantries across the region. Over 67,000 pet meals were distributed in 2016 – helping to reduce pet relinquishment.
- St. Hubert's works with the Resource Center of Somerset and offers free emergency sheltering for pets of domestic violence victims to prevent delayed flight and keep people and pets safe.