

2010 Michigan Shelters by Save Rate

Source Information: Shelter Reports as filed with the Michigan Department of Agriculture



Shelter	# of Adoptions	Return to Owner	Intake	Save Rate	Rank by Rate	Save Rate %		Number Euthanized
						Change from 2009	Live Release Rate	
Kalamazoo Animal Rescue	530	2	457	116.41%	1	-1.59	117.07	10
Hope Animal Shelter	210	265	472	100.63%	2	-0.96	100.63	0
Eaton County Humane Society	625	0	595	105.04%	3	NA	210.08	14
Animal Welfare Society of Southeastern Michigan	549	0	549	100.00%	4	0.27	100	0
Berrien County Animal Control	470	401	871	100.00%	5	37.16	100	0
Cascade Hospital for Animals	45	0	45	100.00%	6	2.27	100	0
Hidden Spring Veterinary Clinic	12	0	12	100.00%	7	NA	100	3
Humane Society of Monroe County	239	18	259	99.23%	8	NA	100.39	11
McCloud's Lake Haven	1,057	1	1,069	98.97%	9	NA	98.97	2
Michigan Animal Rescue League	476	3	488	98.16%	10	9.41	98.16	43
Whiskers Cat Rescue and Canine	135	0	138	97.83%	11	NA	97.83	0
Ann Arbor Cat Clinic Adoption Program	85	0	87	97.70%	12	NA	97.7	1
Adopt-A-Pet, Inc	827	8	858	97.32%	13	-0.22	97.32	5
Noah Project	234	8	249	97.19%	14	6.97	100.4	8
Humane Society of South Central Michigan	570	5	594	96.80%	15	NA	99.16	158
Carols Ferals	66	794	889	96.74%	16	-1.71	98.09	16
Ontonagon County Animal Protection	40	31	74	95.95%	17	NA	95.95	0
Little Traverse Bay Humane Society	413	0	432	95.60%	18	6.77	95.6	3
Royal Oak Animal Shelter	212	78	305	95.08%	19	2	99.34	2
Mosaic Feline Refuge	108	7	121	95.04%	20	1.04	95.04	5
Paradise Animal Rescue	67	7	78	94.87%	21	44.4	94.87	5
Antrim (AC PAW)	442	9	476	94.75%	22	1.01	94.75	2
Canine Companions Rescue Ctr.	594	1	630	94.44%	23	5.88	94.44	10
Critter Cottage aka: Vicky's Pet Connection	659	0	699	94.28%	24	0.71	94.28	26
Bellwether Harbor	109	6	122	94.26%	25	-16.21	95.08	4
Sanilac County Humane Society	265	7	289	94.12%	26	-2.21	97.58	0

Grosse Ile Animal Shelter	180	78	275	93.82%	27	0.07	93.82	17
Michigan Weimaraner Rescue Inc	43	1	47	93.62%	28	4.87	93.62	5
Bloomfield Township Animal Shelter	111	76	200	93.50%	29	NA	93.5	8
AuSable Valley Animal Shelter	143	72	230	93.48%	30	-3.31	96.09	5
Benzie County Animal Control	251	104	381	93.18%	31	18.27	93.7	26
K9 Stray Rescue League	456	1	492	92.89%	32	-2.23	94.31	9
Copper Country Humane Society	604	208	875	92.80%	33	2.62	93.26	13
All Rovers Rescue Friends	211	4	232	92.67%	34	50.88	92.67	2
Township of Brownstown	613	35	700	92.57%	35	NA	92.57	320
Otsego County Animal Shelter	455	185	694	92.22%	36	0.44	93.23	33
Humane Society of Livingston County	983	45	1,119	91.87%	37	6.05	92.85	94
Friends of Michigan Animals Rescue	163	4	182	91.76%	38	-3.16	91.75	0
Best of Friends Humane Society	116	5	132	91.67%	39	6.9	93.94	5
Pet Angel Adoption & Rescue Inc	101	1	112	91.07%	40	1.39	96.43	0
Gason Veterinary Hospital	16	45	67	91.04%	41	-4.96	91.04	6
Cascades Humane Society	858	23	976	90.27%	42	-6.47	90.98	59
Humane Society of Branch County	98	0	109	89.91%	43	-16.7	92.65	4
Chippewa County Animal Control Shelter	710	181	1,000	89.10%	44	-25.65	91.4	29
Tecumseh Police Department	0	49	55	89.09%	45	17.9	100	0
Humane Society of Southwestern Michigan	533	22	625	88.80%	46	-4.93	100.48	48
Mackinac County Animal Shelter	81	56	155	88.39%	47	NA	89.03	10
Upper Peninsula Animal Welfare Shelter (UPAWS)	1,162	229	1,587	87.65%	48	-3.68	88.09	109
Alger County Animal Shelter	112	65	203	87.19%	49	-3.58	88.18	11
Omega Rescue- Alpha Boarding	12	1	15	86.67%	50	10	86.67	2
Greater Hillsdale Humane Society	506	0	610	82.95%	51	-9.23	87.21	11
City of Hazel Park Animal Shelter	79	48	155	81.94%	52	NA	92.9	1
Leaning Oaks Cat Haven	9	0	11	81.82%	53	-26.52	81.82	0
Huron Humane Society	334	10	421	81.71%	54	37.38	81.71	136
Crash Landing	138	1	172	80.81%	55	17.35	80.81	30
Humane Society of Huron Valley	3,973	819	5,946	80.59%	56	5.47	81.26	1,111
City of Pleasant Ridge	0	4	5	80.00%	57	-5.71	100	0

Pet Resource Network	680	2	853	79.95%	58	-18.81	79.95	39
Roscommon County Animal Shelter	671	198	1,087	79.94%	59	-4.84	87.4	41
City of Madison Heights Animal Shelter	138	109	309	79.94%	60	3.3	89.32	5
Oceana County Animal Control	230	60	365	79.45%	61	44.06	80	131
Newaygo County Animal Shelter	443	40	614	78.66%	62	1.72	78.66	124
Peke A Tzu Rescue	29	0	37	78.38%	63	18.08	78.38	2
Humane Society of Schoolcraft County	103	32	179	75.42%	64	NA	78.77	24
Marvin (Focus on Ferals)	93	0	124	75.00%	65	12.76	83.87	13
Capital Area Humane Society	2,646	115	3,689	74.84%	66	13.03	78.86	779
Spring Lake Animal Shelter	536	160	950	73.26%	67	-3.23	73.26	208
Ishpeming Township	0	43	59	72.88%	68	12.22	100	0
City of Wyandotte Animal Pound	472	135	833	72.87%	69	3.67	72.87	128
Elk Country Animal Shelter	218	88	430	71.16%	70	-1.48	90.7	11
Alcona Humane Society	205	46	359	69.92%	71	-10.48	72.98	38
Charlevoix Area Humane Society	228	141	538	68.59%	72	5.41	77.88	116
Delta County Animal Shelter	605	75	992	68.55%	73	-5.08	68.55	300
Humane Society of Genesee County	1,483	55	2,295	67.02%	74	-5.82	67.02	765
Greenfield Animal Hospital	3	7	15	66.67%	75	NA	100	0
Missaukee Humane Society	249	27	416	66.35%	76	-0.09	71.39	3
Grosse Pointe Animal Clinic	37	148	279	66.31%	77	7.04	66.31	89
Mason County Animal Control	356	103	699	65.67%	78	-5.86	65.67	231
Livingston County Animal Shelter	723	271	1,539	64.59%	79	10.16	69.98	330
Cherryland Humane Society	1,152	8	1,849	62.74%	80	17.09	62.74	483
City of Portland	0	5	8	62.50%	81	8	62.5	0
Brian S. Stutesman Animal Control Shelter	15	49	103	62.14%	82	9.91	63.11	40
Branch County Animal Control	216	138	570	62.11%	83	4.1	80.53	123
Ionia County Animal Shelter	1,197	217	2,293	61.67%	84	10.72	77.93	346
Friends for The Dearborn Animal Shelter	1,254	192	2,354	61.43%	85	1.1	63.85	625
Southgate Animal Shelter	137	137	448	61.16%	86	29.9	92.19	30
Almost Home Animal Rescue	368	64	714	60.50%	87	-39.23	60.5	0
Oakland County Animal Control (OPAC)	2,713	655	5,717	58.91%	88	2.12	58.93	2,304

Northwoods Animal Shelter	242	67	526	58.75%	89	-7.78	62.55	200
Gladwin County Animal Shelter	597	107	1,199	58.72%	90	6.75	58.72	476
Animal Rescue Project	226	0	386	58.55%	91	NA	58.55	0
Mecosta County Animal Shelter	121	167	495	58.18%	92	8.36	87.27	0
Isabella County Animal Control	1,392	340	3,020	57.35%	93	4.13	63.87	1,006
Emmet County Stray Center	40	122	283	57.24%	94	-1.01	83.04	41
Lake County Animal Control	150	105	447	57.05%	95	3.9	57.05	150
Lenawee Humane Society	434	184	1,106	55.88%	96	-9.08	57.5	334
Kalkaska Animal Control	152	123	497	55.33%	97	-0.6	55.33	162
Sanilac County Animal Control Shelter	145	23	312	53.85%	98	35.29	64.74	127
Cheboygan County Humane Society	476	168	1,209	53.27%	99	-0.86	55.09	498
Van Buren Township Animal Control	5	72	145	53.10%	100	4.18	71.03	42
Clare County Animal Shelter	717	209	1,753	52.82%	101	0.95	53.28	817
Menominee Animal Shelter	679	204	1,689	52.28%	102	-4.99	62.4	607
Sumpter Township Animal Shelter	9	51	117	51.28%	103	14.49	100	0
Wexford County Animal Shelter	344	180	1,031	50.82%	104	3.47	50.82	547
St. Joseph County Animal Control	357	182	1,070	50.37%	105	7.07	76.26	248
Shiawassee County Animal Control	208	103	628	49.52%	106	3.5	50.64	297
City of Romulus Animal Shelter	408	121	1,096	48.27%	107	13.63	63.87	557
Kalamazoo County Animal Services & Enforcement	643	656	2,744	47.34%	108	14.15	57.29	1,157
Arenac County Animal Control	325	63	822	47.20%	109	NA	47.2	434
Flat Rock Animal Shelter	13	37	106	47.17%	110	15.82	65.09	26
Taylor Animal Shelter	413	218	1,349	46.78%	111	2.43	46.78	787
Gratiot County Animal Control	570	128	1,501	46.50%	112	1.19	56.96	572
Van Buren County Animal Control	171	156	712	45.93%	113	-2.99	45.93	383
Woodhaven & Trenton Animal Shelter	53	79	290	45.52%	114	-10.64	74.48	63
Harbor Humane Society	927	448	3,077	44.69%	115	1.69	48.59	1,429
Ingham County Animal Control	1,115	347	3,370	43.38%	116	0.89	46.35	1,402
River Rouge Dog Shelter	39	52	214	42.52%	117	NA	42.52	22
Midland County Animal Control/Humane Society	634	192	1,943	42.51%	118	10.01	46.83	836
Thumb Animal Shelter	149	28	419	42.24%	119	-23.7	42.24	890

Grand Traverse County Animal Control	0	131	313	41.85%	120	NA	81.15	58
Addison Veterinary Clinic P.C.	20	24	110	40.00%	121	-21.64	53.64	50
Iosco County Animal Shelter	389	64	1,135	39.91%	122	-28.07	39.91	691
Alpena County Animal Control	0	53	135	39.26%	123	1.5	91.85	10
Manistee County Animal Shelter	0	76	197	38.58%	124	NA	94.42	10
Golden Years Alaskan Malamute Rescue Inc	242	7	658	37.84%	125	NA	51.22	309
Tuscola County Animal Control Shelter	208	68	757	36.46%	126	26.69	58.92	303
Humane Society of West Michigan	1,512	126	4,574	35.81%	127	NA	35.85	2,759
Jackson County Animal Shelter	1,097	473	4,463	35.18%	128	3.45	42.35	2,415
Allegan County Animal Shelter	612	227	2,535	33.10%	129	5.42	36.73	1,458
Monroe County Animal Control Shelter	377	236	1,898	32.30%	130	10.83	40.89	994
Calhoun County Animal Center, Inc	389	414	2,515	31.93%	131	0.41	38.65	920
Michigan Anti Cruelty Society	1,476	65	4,921	31.31%	132	8.1	31.31	3,365
Cass County Animal Control	426	197	2,014	30.93%	133	3.49	30.93	1,369
St. Clair County Sheriff A.C.	501	370	2,870	30.35%	134	6.2	30.35	1,550
Barry County Animal Control	435	262	2,324	29.99%	135	4.3	37.48	1,444
Michigan Humane Society (Total for 3 shelters)	6,724	713	24,916	29.85%	136	1.5	30.84	17,113
Volunteers for Muskegon County AC	122	78	676	29.59%	137	NA	39.35	206
Ogemaw County Humane Society	317	64	1,303	29.24%	138	-8.52	31.7	522
Saginaw County Animal Care Center	1,155	421	5,450	28.92%	139	-0.85	28.92	3,732
Allen Park Animal Shelter	194	272	1,698	27.44%	140	NA	39.34	845
Macomb County Animal Shelter	1,196	786	7,431	26.67%	141	0.01	26.87	2,909
Clinton County Animal Shelter	0	144	585	24.62%	142	4.08	82.56	103
Al-Van Humane Society	563	54	2,534	24.35%	143	4.81	24.47	1,907
Bay County Animal Control	496	289	3,344	23.47%	144	-1.02	23.47	2,540
Genesee County Animal Control	1,408	485	8,072	23.45%	145	5.58	24.13	6,062
City of Wayne Animal Shelter	0	52	226	23.01%	146	-11.69	23.01	0
Montcalm County Animal Control	294	127	1,857	22.67%	147	-1.69	36.73	1,174
Humane Society of Macomb	373	160	2,377	22.42%	148	4.4	22.89	1,768
Eaton County Animal Control	78	240	1,419	22.41%	149	-8.9	40.8	835
Humane Society Animal Rescue of Muskegon	285	45	1,478	22.33%	150	3.77	38.43	799

Lapeer County Animal Shelter	221	169	1,824	21.38%	151	0.96	27.25	1,204
Blue Water Area Humane Society (St. Clair)	346	26	1,892	19.66%	152	3.98	19.82	1,488
Kent County Animal Shelter	552	679	6,841	17.99%	153	0.94	30.39	4,722
Huron Township	0	11	69	15.94%	154	NA	15.94	35
Warren Animal Control	0	105	1,180	8.90%	155	NA	100	0
Canine Safe Harbor	0	0	54	0.00%	156	NA	3.7	8
Cat Tail Farms Feline Sanctuary	0	0	22	0.00%	157	NA	0	0
Cattail Acres Animal Sanctuary	0	0	238	0.00%	158	NA	0	0
Grand River Rover Rescue	0	0	49	0.00%	159	NA	6.12	2
Montmorency	0	0	90	0.00%	160	NA	100	0
Shelby's Place	0	0	15	0.00%	161	NA	0	0

Color legend:

Open Admission Small Shelters < 1000

Open Admission Medium Shelters 1000 - 5000

Open Admission Large Shelter >5000

90% Save Rate

No color = Limited Admission

Sanctuary = methods for determining "save rates" not applicable as animals are being "saved" by the sanctuary.

Term definition:

Open Admission = Accepting all strays even if full and accepting or making arrangements for owner surrender when full.

Limited/Closed Admission = Only accepting animals when space is available at the shelter or in foster homes.

90% Save Rate - Limited Admission = Adoption Guarantee

90% Save Rate - Open Admission = No Kill

Shelter statistics were obtained from the annual report each shelter submits to the Michigan Department of Agriculture. Each shelter was telephoned and asked their status as to Open Admission or Limited/Closed Admission. In rare instances a determination was made by the Michigan Pet Fund if the shelter met the intent of the definition but might operation on occasions with an exception or modification.

"Save Rate" is determined by the percent of adopted and returned to owner of total intake.

Shelters that either did not report to the Michigan Department of Agriculture in 2010 or reports were not provided by MDA

Antrim Co. Animal Control	Howling Timbers
Bay Area Pet Resort	Inkster Animal Shelter
Bellowood Inc.	Irwin Avenue Animal Hospital
Berkley Animal Shelter	Kelly's Animal Clinic
Big Sid's Sanctuary	Mackenzie's Animal Shelter
Birmingham Animal Shelter	Michigan Pet Rescue
Burton Road Boarding Barn	Osceola County Animal Shelter
City of Escorse	Serenity Animal Hopsital
Companion Cats, Inc	Seven Star Sanctuary & Rescue
Detroit Animal Control	Shiawassee County Humane Society
Earth Services	SPCA Southwest Michigan
Ferndale Animal Control Shelter	West Michigan Pit Bull Rescue
Harper Avenue Animal Hospital	West Michigan Shetland Sheepdog Rescue
Hawkeye & Friends	With A Little Help from My Friends
Homeward Bound Animal Shelter	Windy Pines Pet Lodge
Huntington Woods Animal Shelter	Yorkhaven Kennels