Dear Friends,

We are excited to share with you our fiscal year highlights and gratefully recognize that your support has made these accomplishments possible.

We marked our 70th anniversary in 2014. For seven decades the Animal Welfare League of Arlington has served the animals and people of Arlington County and the D.C. metro area. Thanks to the generous contributions from so many of you through the Care And Transform capital campaign, this milestone was commemorated with a state-of-the-art renovation of the cat and small companion animal (SCA) quarters. The new space has greatly enriched and improved life for the more than 1,000 cats and SCAs we receive each year.

Your support enabled thousands of companion animals and wildlife to benefit by being adopted, reunited with owners, or transferred to one of AWLA’s rescue and rehabilitation partners. The League neutered or spayed every shelter cat, dog, and rabbit before adoption and provided other medical treatment to make animals healthier and more adoptable. Our active foster program gave our most vulnerable animals the special care they needed, and animals from overcrowded shelters and rescues received a second chance at AWLA through our transfer partnership programs. Through these actions we have increased our positive outcome rate to 94 percent.

More than 9,000 community residents benefitted from AWLA services and events. We helped low-income residents spay or neuter 100 pets, provided over $6,000 in emergency veterinary assistance, hosted low-cost rabies and microchipping clinics, humane education programs for children, and classes for pet-loving expectant parents.

These efforts were recognized through industry and local accolades, including a resolution from the Arlington County Board declaring November Animal Shelter Appreciation Month; a 2014 Nonprofit Small Business of the Year Award from Arlington Chamber of Commerce; gold level status from GuideStar; as well as the prestigious, four-star rating for good governance, sound fiscal management, and commitment to accountability and transparency from Charity Navigator.

The expansive reach of our care and service could not be accomplished without your help. The generosity and dedication of our 420 volunteers, 910 adopters, 85 foster families, 20 rescue partners and more than 5,554 donors are the bedrock of the League’s success. On behalf of AWLA and our Board of Directors, thank you for improving the lives of animals and the human companionship you made possible for our shelter pets over the last year.

Sincerely,
Neil Trent, President/CEO
Animal Welfare League of Arlington
Our Numbers
FY 2014

Humane education programs for
795 children
190 adults
699 Low Cost Rabies Shots

131 Low Cost Microchips
103 Ferral Cats Trapped-Neutered-Returned
722 Shelter animals spayed/neutered
100 Low-cost Spay/Neuter Surgeries
420 Active Volunteers

910 Animals Adopted
223 Injured Wildlife Transferred to Rehabilitators
351 Animals Fostered
269 Lost Animals Returned to Owners
94% Live Release Rate for All Companion Animals

Medical Care
$69,000 for standard medical care
$31,686 for specialized medical treatments
$6,094 for veterinary assistance to low-income pet owners

Social Media
5,339 Facebook Likes
892 Twitter Followers
958 Instagram followers

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699 Low Cost Rabies Shots
Improving the Lives of Animals

For 70 years, the Animal Welfare League of Arlington has remained steadfast in its mission to improve the lives of animals. Here are just a few “mission” highlights from the year.

**Arrow**

When he arrived at the shelter in February 2014, the orange tabby cat was on death’s door: blind, sick, cold, and scared. And, the worst was yet to be discovered. From head to tail, his body was riddled with more than 60 birdshot pellets. He arrived with no name, no identification, and no way to tell us who had committed this unthinkable act of animal cruelty. While the birdshot pellets stole his vision, they didn’t break his spirit. At AWLA he experienced human kindness and care that transformed his life and found him a loving home.

**Delta**

Trapped inside a wall in a parking garage at Reagan National Airport, Delta was rescued by AWLA Animal Control. He arrived at the shelter in good shape physically, but not well socialized. Adorable but fearful, staff worked to socialize Delta and provide him the care he needed. In a little less than a month, Delta was ready for “take off.” He started 2014 by landing a new, loving home.

**Marianna**

Marianna was one of 121 dogs and more than 60 other animals rescued by the Humane Society of the United States (HSUS) from a suspected Arkansas puppy mill after authorities discovered them living in filth and suffering from a lack of basic care. Through our transfer partnership with HSUS, we took in Marianna, three other dogs, and a rabbit. During a medical evaluation we discovered Marianna had a severe congenital heart condition. With support from HSUS and AWLA’s Healthy Pet Fund, Marianna received the necessary surgery to improve her quality of life. She is now living happily with her best friend.

**Ginger**

Ginger, a beautiful, four-year-old German Shepherd, was surrendered when her owner no longer wanted her. Besides being without a home, Ginger was in pain: her hips were in bad shape and at least one needed immediate repair. AWLA veterinary staff worked with orthopedic surgeon Dr. Tibor Lazar to perform a femoral head ostectomy on Ginger’s right hip. After her surgery, we placed Ginger in a home through our partnership with Southeast German Shepherd Rescue. Thanks to our medical and rescue partnerships, we gave Ginger a new, healthy and happy life.

These are just a few of the many heartwarming stories that we participate in every day. But these happy endings can’t happen without YOU! Would you please consider making a donation to help animals like Arrow, Marianna, Delta, and Ginger find their new, loving homes?

- $20 can help feed a malnourished animal
- $50 can help provide an enriching shelter environment with a comfortable bed and toys
- $100 can help vaccinate or spay/neuter a homeless pet
- $500 can help offer lifesaving surgery to animals in crisis
- ______ your most generous gift will help improve the lives of animals in our community

Please detach and return to AWLA in the envelope included in this newsletter.
The League’s foster program connects special people with special animals. Our 85 foster volunteers selflessly open their homes to vulnerable animals who may not survive without individual, and sometimes round-the-clock, care. Unweaned and underage kittens, pregnant cats and dogs, underage puppies, adult animals that are recovering from medical treatment or who need some special TLC are all candidates for foster care. Foster animals may reside in the foster home for weeks or even months until they are ready for adoption.

We started a weekend fostering program this year to give long-term and sensitive dogs a respite from shelter life. Fostering is a great way to help shelter animals if you are not ready to adopt. See www.awla.org for more information.

**Animals Fostered**

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**Animal Control Activities**

- Police and Fire Assists: 53
- Public Assists: 62
- Bite Investigations: 374
- Suspected Cruelty/Neglect Cases: 207
- Law Enforcement Cases: 143
- Strays: 655
- Wildlife Calls: 1,379

Below left: Officer Jennifer Toussaint demonstrates using a catch pole to campers. Below: Officer Kimberly Corcoran holds a Cooper’s hawk.
## Animals Sheltered in Fiscal 2014

**(JULY 2013 - JUNE 2014)**

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| Adoptions                       | 286                  | 496                  | 128                     | 910   |

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<td>95%</td>
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| Died or Lost in Shelter Care   | 2                    | 9                    | 6                       | 17    |

| Total Outcomes                 | 557                  | 602                  | 202                     | 1361  |

| Ending Shelter Count-June 30, 2014 | 41                   | 86                   | 22                      | 149   |

Annual Live Release Rate =
(Adoptions + Returns to Owner + Transfers) / (Total Outcomes) x 100 = ____%

95% 92% 97% 94%

* Based on the Asilomar Accords (http://www.asilomaraccords.org/)
Volunteers

We welcomed and trained 132 new volunteers this year bringing our total of active volunteers to 420. These volunteers contributed more than 15,000 hours of work, the equivalent of eight full-time staff. Volunteers assist in almost every aspect of running the shelter including: cleaning animal housing, socializing animals, enrichment and play-groups, training, adoption counseling, community events and outreach, animal transport, data entry, and more. To learn more about volunteer opportunities, go to www.awla.org.

Each month we recognize an outstanding volunteer and then we select a volunteer of the year who has made a significant contribution to furthering our mission to improve the lives of animals. This year’s volunteer of the year is Kirsten Sides Lockhart.

Kirsten has been a volunteer with the League since 2009. She never had pets growing up, and decided to volunteer to get her dog fix after falling in love with her first adult pet, a yellow lab named Marley. Kirsten was looking forward to learning more about dogs, meeting new people, and giving back to the community.

Kirsten began as a volunteer introducing shelter dogs to potential adopters and has since become a dog walker, special events volunteer, and trainer to new volunteers. She also helped create the AWLA Pit Crew and Walking Group, which is a great resource to dog owners all over Northern Virginia. Kirsten says that working in the kennels is the most rewarding of all her volunteer positions because she loves meeting the shelter dogs and connecting people with the perfect dog for their family. According to Kirsten, Thursday evenings in the kennel are a great stress reliever!
Thank you to the following veterinarians who have generously shared their expertise to help shelter animals. These professionals visit our shelter on their days off to examine, diagnose, and treat shelter animals.

Dr. Fred Jones

Caring Hands Animal Hospital
Dr. Jeff Newman
Dr. Jamie Todd
Dr. Jessica Garcia
Dr. Neil Coleman
Dr. Julia Nagel
Dr. Katie Dennehy
Dr. Michael Robinson
Dr. Jaci Sites

Fairfax Animal Hospital
Dr. Natasha Ungerer

Arlington Animal Hospital
Dr. Fred Jones
(staffs our low-cost rabies clinics)

Del Ray Animal Hospital
Dr. Adrienne Hergen

Columbia Pike Animal Hospital
Dr. Molly Tango

VCA Southpaws & George Washington University
Dr. Kayleen Gloor

In February 2014 Jessica had just gone back to work after recovering from being hit by a car. Funds were extra tight so she called the League requesting help for her young cat, Mia, who had a leg injury. The League arranged with Columbia Pike Animal Hospital to examine Mia, and the veterinarian discovered that she also had a bacterial infection. Mia was given antibiotics for the infection and care for her leg sprain. The League paid for the veterinary care, and Jessica is repaying the loan (without interest) in manageable monthly installments. The League also arranged for Mia to be spayed at no cost to Jessica.

Jessica sent us the following note:
Mia was rescued from a “house of horrors” in Pennsylvania. Living conditions there were simply awful. Mia was very malnourished and very pregnant. In October, she gave birth to eight kittens, but only two survived. The kittens were taken in by the original rescuer, where they were taken care of and rehomed. Mia is a great girl, very regal in her stature! She loves to jump up on my bed every night and sleep at the foot of my bed. When she had her leg issue, it was heartbreaking that she was unable to jump up there as she had since day one of coming to live with me. She is much, much better, back to her usual playful, jumpy self! Thanks again for the help. I could not have helped my sweet baby without your assistance.
Let’s Celebrate!

Each year the League hosts two major fundraisers that benefit the animals in our community. The annual Walk for Animals, now in its 19th year, raised more than $82,000. The Golden Paw Gala, our inaugural fall gala and auction raised nearly $92,000. Thank you to everyone who attended or supported these events!

This year we celebrated our 70th Anniversary with a tented cocktail reception at the shelter. Donors to our Care and Transform capital campaign as well as supporters and volunteers enjoyed live music from the Smithsonian Jazz Masterworks Orchestra Quintet, drinks, hors d’oeuvres, and tours of the renovated cat and small companion animal spaces.

Throughout the year we also had many smaller, community based events. This year, we raised more than $20,000 from these events to help homeless animals. This is due in part to our community partners hosting events for us, such as yappy hours and dining out evenings. We are always grateful to be included, and if you are interested in hosting an event to benefit AWLA, please email Juliana Willems at jwillems@awla.org.
League Services

Emergencies in Arlington
We respond to animal emergencies 24 hours a day.

Adoptions
We always have animals who need good homes. If you live in Virginia, DC, or Maryland call us about adopting a companion.

Animal Control & Cruelty Investigation
Animal control officers pick up stray dogs and respond to citizen complaints about animals in Arlington.

Community Services
The League sponsors community services that help people and animals. Visit our website at www.awla.org or call (703) 931-9241 x 200 for information.

Lost & Found
Call (703) 931-9241 x 200 or visit our website at www.awla.org to report all lost and found animals. We can help find animals’ owners and return lost pets home again.

Wildlife Rescue & Problems
We’ll help get injured or abandoned wildlife to a licensed rehabilitator whenever possible. We’ll also help you discourage wildlife from moving into your home.

Rabies Control
See the calendar on the back cover for clinic dates and times.

Speakers & Humane Education
If your neighborhood is having animal problems or problems with irresponsible animal owners, you might want a League representative to address your civic association. We also present educational programs on many topics to schools and clubs. Visit our website at www.awla.org or call (703) 931-9241 x 213 for information.

Pawpourri, the newsletter of the Animal Welfare League of Arlington, 2650 S. Arlington Mill Dr., Arlington, VA 22206, http://www.awla.org, is mailed to League supporters. If you receive multiple copies, please notify us and pass them along to friends.

A COPY OF THE LATEST FINANCIAL REPORT AND REGISTRATION FILED BY THE ANIMAL WELFARE LEAGUE OF ARLINGTON MAY BE OBTAINED BY CONTACTING the State Division of Consumer Affairs, Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, P.O. Box 1163, Richmond, VA 23209. REGISTRATION DOES NOT IMPLY ENDORSEMENT, APPROVAL, OR RECOMMENDATION BY THE STATE.

Our Donors

Because of the generosity of our community through donations from individuals, foundations, community partners, and corporations, we are able to improve the lives of thousands of animals each year. More than 5,550 donors gave over $414,000 during this past fiscal year. The League is so appreciative of your support, and we thank each one of you who helped us make this possible!

Leaders: $20,000 and greater
Elinor Patterson Baker Foundation
Ms. Gail M. Johnson
Mr. John B. Kaparakis
The Pietro and Thelma Raffaelli Family Foundation

Rescuers: $10,000- $19,999
Catherine N. Abrahams
Ms. Julie Gould and Ms. Percy Ivy
Ms. Gillian McPhee and Mr. Storm DiCostanzo
Mr. and Mrs. David and Debra Rose

Advocates: $5,000- $9,999
Ms. Jackie Borgel
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Dr. Jerry Winberry
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Joan D. Winston
Mr. and Mrs. Felipe and Brenda Zurita

Care and Transform Campaign
The focus of the Care and Transform
Campaign was to renovate our space to
improve the housing for cats and small
companion animals during their time at
the shelter. This new space seeks to enrich
these animals’ lives by including opportuni-
ties to stretch, climb, and play. Because
of the following generous individuals,
our cats and small companion animals are
happier, healthier, and more adoptable.
Thank you!

$50,000 and greater
Martha Grimes, Best in Shelter
Mr. John B. Kaparakis
Estate of Deborah Wood

$20,000-$49,999
Elinor Patterson Baker Foundation
Estate of Luther Ensminger
Ms. Gail M. Johnson
Estate of Lucy Oliver

$10,000- $19,999
Ms. Catherine N. Abrahams
Mr. and Mrs. David and Debra Rose

$7,500- $9,999
Caring Hands Animal Hospital,
Michelle Vitulli DVM,
Jeffrey Newman DVM

Special Funds

The Woody and Mickey
Healthy Pet Fund
The Woody and Mickey
Healthy Pet Fund provides the
League with additional resources
to offer medical treatment that
will allow our shelter animals to
healthier and more adoptable. Last
year the Healthy Pet Fund provided
more than 200 shelter animals
with essential medical care.

Ross-Roberts Emergency
Veterinary Assistance Fund
The Ross-Roberts Emergency
Veterinary Assistance Fund pro-
vides no-interest loans to individu-
als or families who need emer-
gency veterinary care for their
animals that they otherwise could
not afford. More than $8,450 was
raised for this fund.

Low Cost Spay/Neuter Fund
The Low Cost Spay/Neuter
Fund provides animals of low-
income residents low-cost or free
spay/neuter surgeries. This fund
is vital in preventing unwanted
litters and decreases pet overpopu-
lation in our community.

The Bob Ragan Humane
Education Fund
The Bob Ragan Humane Edu-
cation Fund helps to underwrite
a wide variety of animal welfare
activities that will stimulate chil-
der and adults to recognize and
promote the important role ani-
mals play in all of our lives. This
past year, $2,425 was donated to
this fund, allowing us to provide
many educational opportunities to
our community.

We hope you will continue to
support us in each of these special
fund areas so that AWLA may
continue to offer life-changing
services for four- and two- legged
animals alike!
$3,000-$7,499
Ms. Beth Burrous and Mr. Kevin Baer
Ms. Catherine Clevenger
Mr. and Mrs. Fred and JoAnne Hannett
Ms. Karen Hibbitt
Mr. and Mrs. Jack and Donna Hobbs
Ms. Lisa Kirschner
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Ms. Gillian McPhee and
Mr. Storm DiCostanzo
Mr. Michael Mitchell and
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Mr. and Mrs. Jacob and Alicia Rau
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Memorial Trust
Mr. Mark Treadaway and
Mr. Bob Kenney
Ms. Ev Totten and Mr. Larry Waldron

$1,500-$2,999
Ms. Jeanne M. Broyhill and
Mr. Joe Ventrone
Ms. Leta Chappell
Ms. Connie M. Ericson
Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan and Susan Etherton
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry and
Elizabeth Giovanelli
Ms. Linda A. Jasper
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Ms. Cynthia Kendall
Mr. and Mrs. Dan and Elisa Rosman
Ms. Karen Rugg
Mr. and Mrs. David and Susan Sherman
Mr. Neil Trent
Mr. Jim Whittaker
Dr. Jerry Winberry

Become Part of the Society
Extend your compassion for animals into the future by including the League in your estate plans. The Legacy Society recognizes those willing to designate a planned gift, or those whose gifts we have received from their bequests.

Have you planned for your pet’s future? The League also has a pet bequest program so that care can be provided for your pet in the event of your passing or becoming critically ill. For more information about becoming part of the Legacy Society, or establishing a pet bequest, please call Keelee Wrenn at 703-931-9241 ext. 220.

**FY 2014 Financial Report**

The audited financial report will be available from the League in November 2014.

**Revenue and Support FY 2014**

Arlington County Contract for sheltering/animal control* $1,360,908.00
Programs Revenue $232,204.53
Interest & Dividends $160,876.76
Unrealized & Realized Gains (Losses) on Investments $331,987.95
Fundraising
Events: $219,403.89
(Catsino Night/Fall Event, Walk, Misc. Events)
CFC/United Way $111,189.59
Contributions $1,236,325.51
(bequests, general donations, major gifts)
TOTAL: $3,652,896.23

**Expenses FY 2014**

Animal Control* ($398,674.47)
Shelter Operations* ($1,279,227.26)
Community Outreach/Programs ($477,108.37)
Management/General ($30,244.71)
Fundraising ($394,309.52)
TOTAL: ($2,579,564.33)
TOTAL GAIN/(LOSS) $1,073,331.90

**Temporarily Restricted Funds FY 2014**

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*Under terms of a contract with Arlington County, the Animal Welfare League of Arlington provides the County’s animal shelter and animal control services.

**Revenue includes FY2014 donations only; it does not reflect entire balance of fund accounts.
Golden Paw Gala

Join us in rolling out the red carpet for shelter animals at the Animal Welfare League of Arlington’s 2nd Annual Golden Paw Gala on Saturday, November 1 at 6p.m. at the Westin Arlington Gateway, Ballston. This highly anticipated event coincides with Arlington’s Animal Shelter Appreciation Month, shining a spotlight on animal welfare in Arlington County.

Proceeds from the Gala will directly benefit shelter animals, community programs and services supported by the Animal Welfare League of Arlington—the County’s only humane society. Mix and mingle with some of the League’s biggest VIPs- our very important pups- as they strut and pose on the red carpet to represent the hundreds of animals that will benefit from the evening’s proceeds.

This glitzy benefit will be hosted by Dr. Katy Nelson of The Pet Show on News Channel 8 and Joan Jones, morning anchor of WTOP. The evening will include cocktails with a red carpet event, fine dining, musical entertainment by the Odyssey Band to keep you dancing all night, silent and live auctions, and complimentary swag bags. Party with a purpose and help make second chances PAWsible! For details and to purchase tickets please visit www.awla.org.
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