



Annual 2020 Impact Report 2020

You Helped the Wayside Village Thrive



Harold Melcher and Geoff Hall at Fur Ball.

Dear Animal Lover,

I want to thank you for supporting the animals and those of us at Wayside Waifs during the challenging year of 2020. We couldn't have survived without you.

Just because pieces of the world were on hold, didn't mean there weren't homeless animals desperate for help. Yes, we had to adjust how we delivered services – but I'm proud to share the Wayside Team worked together seamlessly to provide high quality care to the animals through all the ups and downs of 2020. In fact, more than 3,000 animals were adopted into loving homes this year! One bright spot of the pandemic – adopting families were spending even more time at home together, which allowed them quality time to bond as a family.

In 2020 we lost a very special member of the Wayside Family. Harold Melcher, long-time supporter and advocate to the Waifs, passed away at nearly 101 years young. He, along with others in the Kansas City community, came together in the 1990s to set Wayside on a path of transformation. His visionary leadership, philanthropic support, friendship, and devotion will never be forgotten. We're grateful that his widow Marilyn Melcher has continued his legacy at Wayside as an Honorary Board Member.

Wayside has long been a leader in animal welfare because of your support. This year we completed The Building Dreams and Transforming Lives Capital Campaign which added an Education and Training Center expansion to the shelter and a stand-alone, second of its kind in the country, Canine Behavior Center. This campaign, funded 100% by private donations, and led by Campaign Co-Chairs Dave and Sandy Johnson and Tom and Jill Turner, is a game changer for Wayside's education and canine behavior programs. I want to thank all the generous donors that made it possible, with special thanks to Dolores Ball, Greg Hathaway, and Robert and Carole Beeson. Their love of animals lives on through the lives touched each day in these new and innovative spaces.

None of the success from 2020 could have happened if it weren't for you. During all of the uncertainty and changes, you were constant. You always remained by the animals' side... by our side. Thank you for being a supporter, an advocate, and a friend.

With a grateful heart,

Geoff Hall

President, Wayside Waifs

Meet two of the animals you saved by supporting Wayside Waifs



Orchid & The Mills Family

Orchid was transferred from a shelter that was out of space. At only 8 weeks old, it was critical that she receive medical attention and nutritious food along with socialization and love. Thankfully, with your help, Wayside provided her with everything she needed to start her life off right. She has been adopted by a family who immediately fell in love with her. "Orchid is adjusting so well! She is already playing with the kids – she likes to sit in my daughter's lap, too. Forever Friends!"

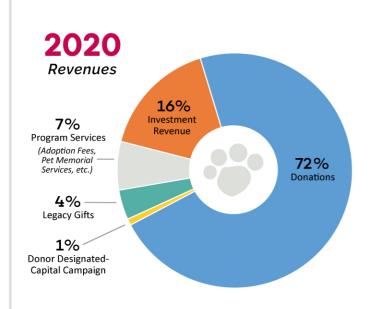
Orchid was adopted in January

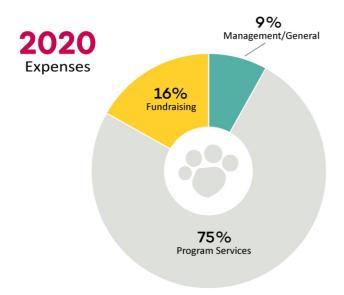
Bella & Deidra

Bella came to Wayside from a shelter that was unable to care for her. She had received basic medical treatment but needed care for a skin infection. Once healthy, she was adopted by a lovely woman, Deidra, who not only wanted a dog, but needed a dog. Suffering from her own medical issues, Deidra's doctor had prescribed a registered support animal (ESA) for her health and well-being. Not long after adoption, Bella became certified and is the support Deidra was looking for in life. "I love Bella so much," Deidra said, "She is my everything!"

Bella was adopted in October







Statement of Activities

Fiscal year 2020

Program Services

Management/General

Fundraising

2020 Revenues	Amount
Donations	\$6,435,155
Donor Designated-	
Capital Campaign	\$75,100
Legacy Gifts	\$368,827
Program Services	\$594,512
Investment Revenue	\$1,446,542
2020 Expenses	Amount

\$4,414,453

\$978,642

\$541,844

Statement of Financial Position

Total Assets Total Liabilities	\$30,041,229 \$1,014,941
Unrestricted	\$27,831,627
Donor Restricted	\$1,194,661

For detailed financial statements,
please contact Robin Rowland,
Vice President of Donor Relations & Communications,
at 816-986-4401.



In Loving Memory

Greg Hathaway was a friend to homeless animals and everyone at Wayside Waifs. He helped the animals in many ways – by being a Legacy of Love member, through events, and even providing donation matches. His support, laughter, and friendship will be missed.

Greg and his beloved dog, Dempsey, helped raise thousands for the animals through matching campaigns.

2020 Impact Numbers

277
Dogs received
Heartworm
treatment

1,756
Animals were spayed or neutered

Lost animals were reunited with their families

Cats graduated from the TABBY Program

95% Live release rate 4,162
Students
reached by
Humane
Education

3,008
Animals
Adopted

147 Dogs graduated from Confidence College or Peace Academy

1,650
Hungry animals
were fed through
our Pet Food
Pantry

839 Pets fostered **86,763**Hours donated by volunteers

National and regional shelter partners



Lydia, adopted in November



Khloe, adopted in February



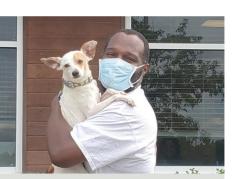
Vanka, adotped in November



Buddy, adopted in October



Iggy & Eddie, adopted in June



Carter, adopted in July

Thank You for Saving the Animals

MISSION STATEMENT:

Preparing pets and people for the bond of their lives.

We accomplish our mission by protecting and caring for the animals under our watch; by reaching out to the community for love and support; and by teaching others about the profound joy that pets bring to our lives.

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Piper, adopted in September



Chester, adopted in May



Frankie & Freddie, adopted in August