

2019 Impact Report

For 120 years, ARL has responded to the needs of animals and supported a community in which animals are safe and healthy in habitats and homes.



20,047 animals helped with your support!

Supported communities by keeping animals in their habitats and homes

★ Indicates increased resources for animals and people



59,766

animals served by the Spay Waggin' since its inception, 19 years ago

★ Secured funds to replace vehicle to help animals for the next 15 years



85 visits made by the Wellness Waggin' to Boston neighborhoods



1,199

★ owned pets received affordable wellness services — 34% had never seen a veterinarian



985

community cats assessed in 23 colonies



1,540

★ Field Services rescued, assisted, and guided municipalities and individuals to help animals in distress

Created awareness and advocated for new laws to protect animals in need



2,998

animals helped in law enforcement cases

563

animals removed from hoarding and overcrowding situations — ARL is advocating for laws and policies to address this important issue

731

Mass State Police, Animal Control Officers, local police, and others trained how to identify and report animal cruelty



★ launched safety campaign on the nine things to consider before boarding your pet

Made sure animals were happy, healthy, and ready for their forever home

90.5%

live release rate
(adopted, returned
to field/owner,
or transferred)



2,996
animals adopted



678
behavior
adoptions

329
CATS

349
DOGS

263

animals
supported
through the free
Pet Behavior Helpline

1,806

shelter animal
surgeries performed



696

graduates of dog training
courses offered in
Boston and Dedham ★



66

feral kittens socialized
through the new initiative
Taming Tiny Tigers ★



Helped grow ARL's base of dedicated supporters



763

dedicated
volunteers



38,033

hours caring
for animals



equivalent of

18 full-time staff



244

foster families

\$3M

raised by

11,483

compassionate
donors



436,779

visitors to arlboston.org ★

111,495

social media followers

Secured the foundation for the next 120 years

- ★ Plans advanced for new facility on Dedham (Pine Ridge) campus, which will house program support and administrative staff, as well as a training space for both animals and people



THANK YOU for your support! To learn more about your impact, visit arlboston.org