



# Cook County Annual Report November 17, 2012 – November 16, 2013

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# Sponsor Overview



- Triple R Pets is a 501(c)(3) organization located in the western Cook County, Illinois
  - Services are provided nationally, through an all-volunteer network
  - Founded in 2006
  - Primary focus is trap-neuter-return programs
    - One of six approved Sponsor Agencies under the Cook County Feral Cat Ordinance
  - Other focus areas include:
    - Hands-on disaster response
    - Disaster preparation education
    - Humane education
    - Transport services

# Community Outreach Programs



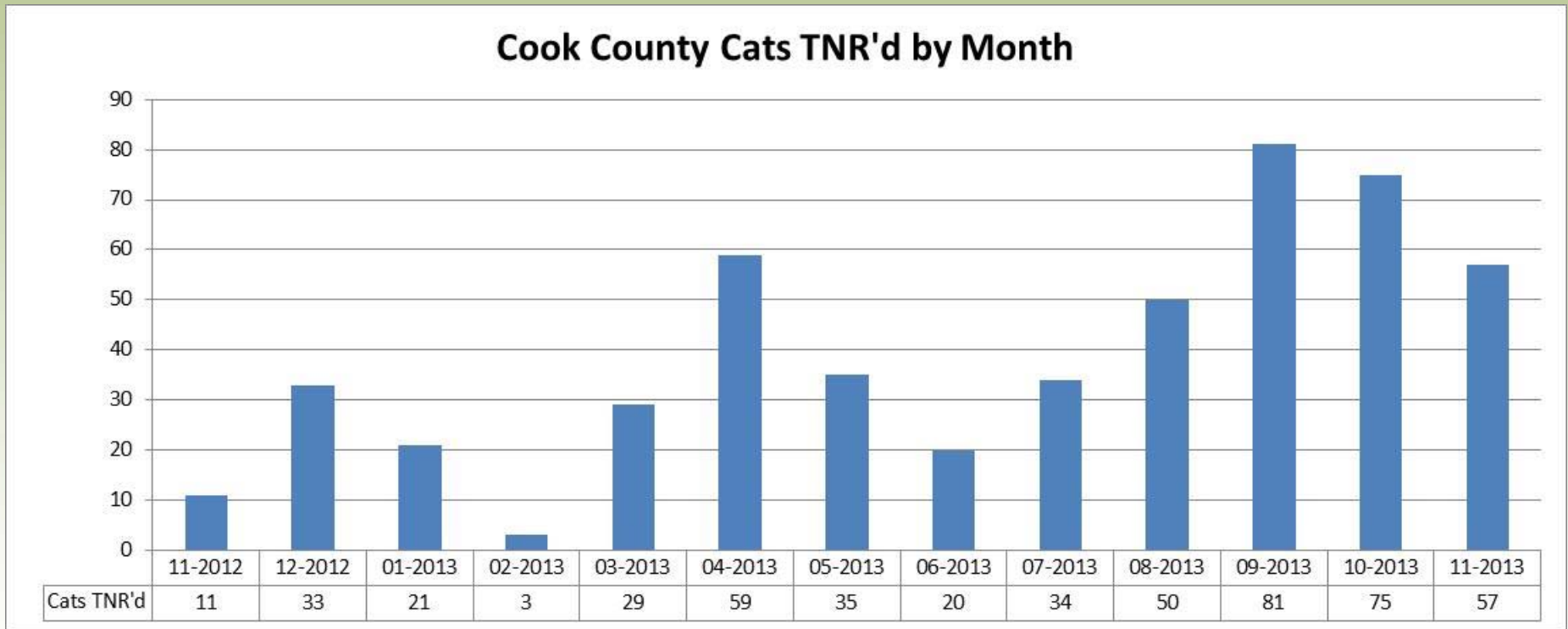
- Trap-Neuter-Return Workshops
  - Provide information to the community on TNR programs
  - Hands-on training for TNR
  - Provided in several communities throughout the year
- Information booths at various community events throughout the year
- Annual shelter building workshop in the fall - over 50 shelters built and distributed
- Written agreement renewed with LaGrange
  - Written agreement with Oak Forest not renewed due to change in village leadership
- Written agreement renewed with P.A.W.S. Tinley Park to support TNR
- Informal agreement with South Suburban Humane Society (Chicago Heights)
- Fiscal Sponsor for Respond and Rebuild – providing mold remediation projects in the Rockaways area of Queens, New York in the wake of Hurricane Sandy
- Supported Washington Tornado victims – supplies, food sourcing, veterinary expenses

# Cat Activity



- Summary of Cats
  - Total of 508 cats in Cook County\* during the reporting period
    - Each cat receives a rabies vaccination at the time of the spay/neuter surgery

**Cook County Cats TNR'd by Month**

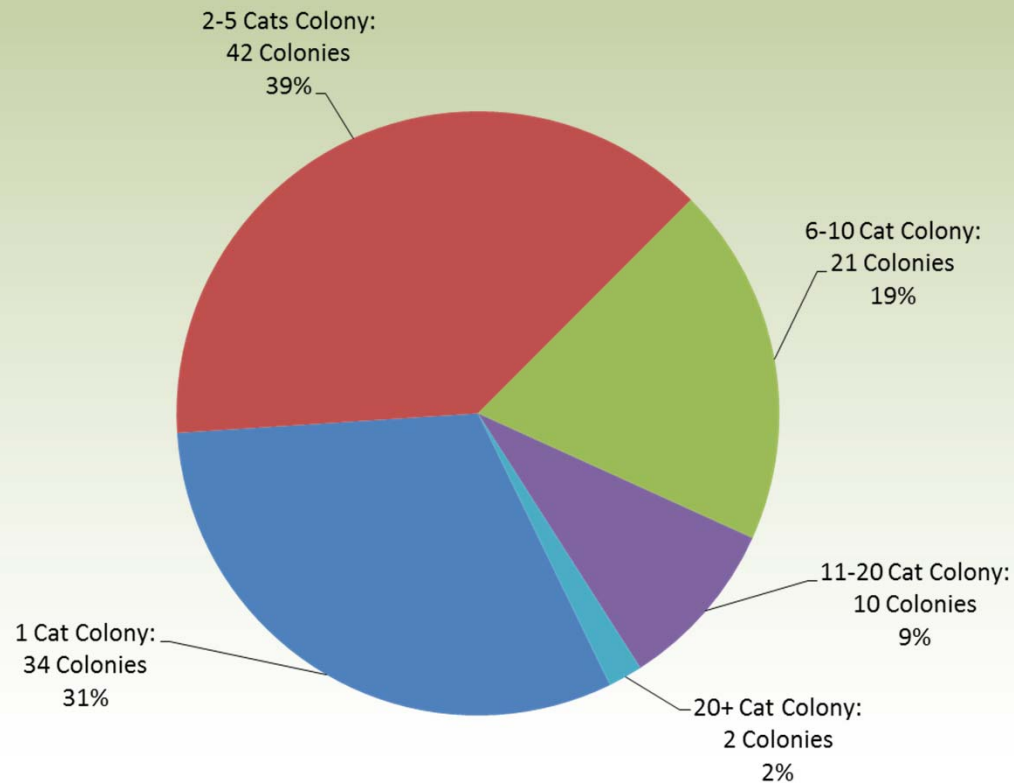


\* Triple R Pets assisted 560 cats in the greater Chicagoland area; 508 are registered to colonies within Cook County

# Colony Activity



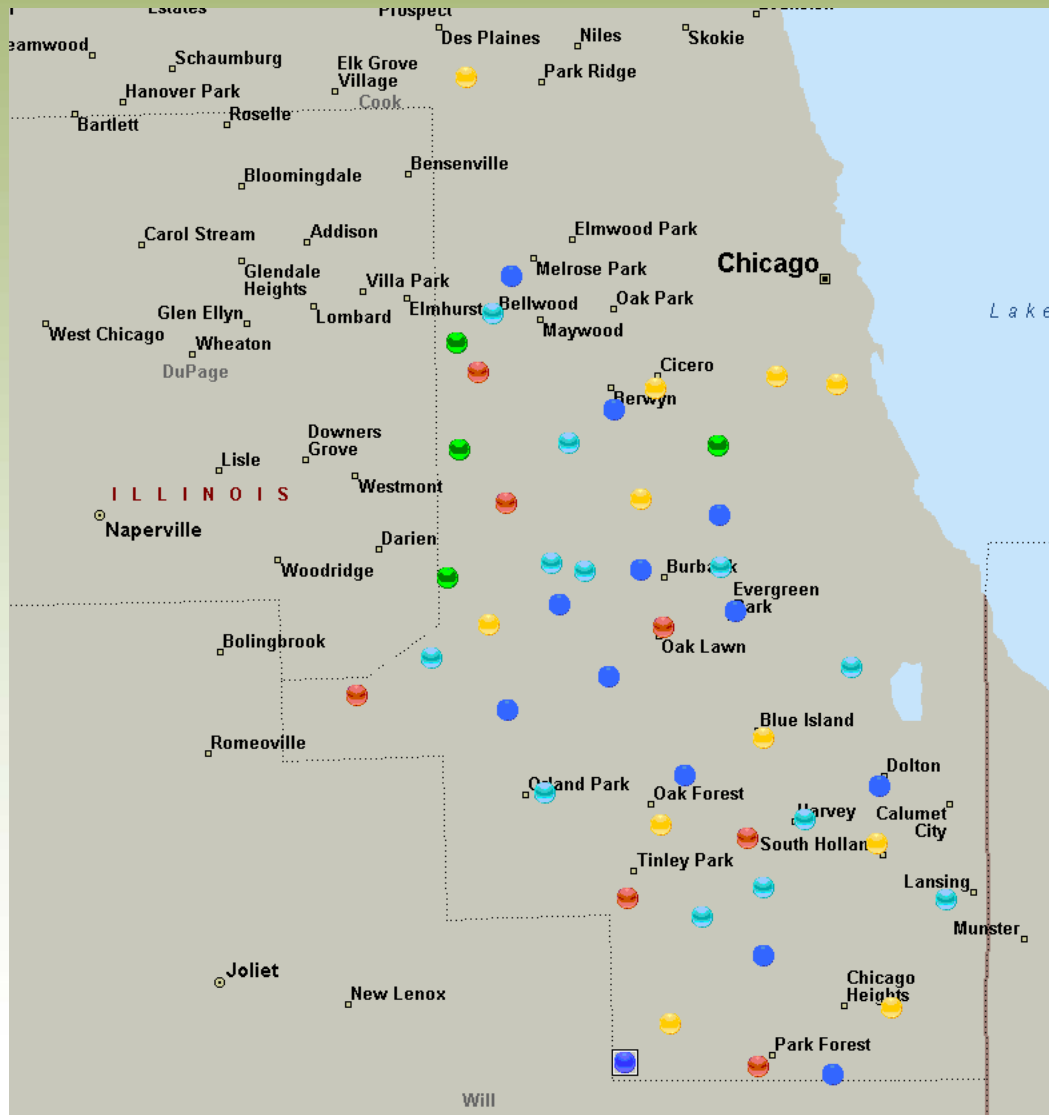
- 109 colonies in Cook County\* received TNR assistance through Triple R Pets during the reporting period
  - An average of 4.6 cats per colony with the following distribution:



\* Triple R Pets assisted 127 colonies in the greater Chicagoland area; 109 are were within Cook County



# Map of Activity



# Financial Activity



	<u>Incurred Expenses</u>
Cat Food	\$58.15
Medications (Revolution)	\$2,525.28
Microchips	\$2,157.44
Supplies	\$767.70
TNR Services	\$10,876.00
Trapping Equipment	\$864.26
Veterinary Costs	\$4,007.61
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	<b>\$21,256.44</b>
Total Cats = 508 *	
<b>Average Expense per Cat</b>	<b>\$41.84</b>

\* Total Cats includes areas outside of Cook County

# Colony Status by Reporting Year



- Each March, Triple R Pets conducts an annual colony survey
- The results of the survey continue to reinforce the attrition seen through TNR
- Reviewing the most recent results for Cook Colony counties, we see the number of cats that remain present on the street continuing to decline over time

	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Adopted	72	145	133	115	92
Deceased	26	66	53	41	12
Missing	65	178	151	73	28
Other*	62	27	28	30	0
Present	70	264	217	403	250
<b>Total</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>662</b>	<b>382</b>
% On Street	24%	39%	37%	61%	65%

\* Other - Surrendered to another agency for adoption, caretaker moved, cats relocated or sponsorship rescinded for ordinance violation

