YOU HELPED CARE FOR 32,121 ANIMALS











* Other animals refers to pocket pets (rodents, guinea pigs, ferrets and rabbits), wildlife and non-native animals.



14,169 **ANIMALS**





4,795 ANIMALS

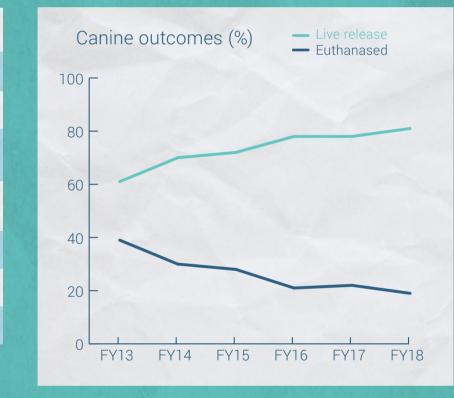
ANIMAL OUTCOMES

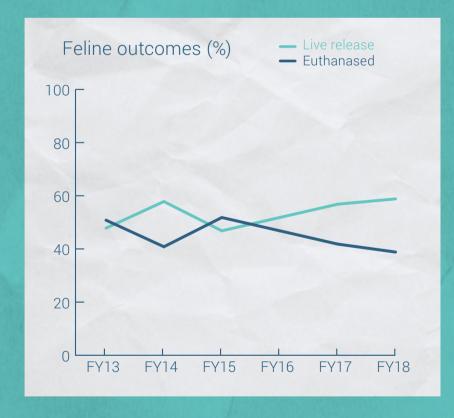
	Cats and kittens	Dogs and puppies	Horses	Livestock	Other animals	Wildlife	Total
Rehomed	8,150	4,014	48	572	1,385	0	14,169
Still in care	1,012	769	149	86	113	2	2,131
Strays transferred to cil impound facilities	34	286	1	12	0	0	333
Transferred to rescue groups	202	417	3	29	91	250	992
Reclaimed by owner	642	3,720	11	21	89	0	4,483
Died in care	146	34	0	12	80	21	293
Other^	17	11	0	1	19	0	48
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[^] This category includes stolen, escaped, misattributed and released to habitat animals.

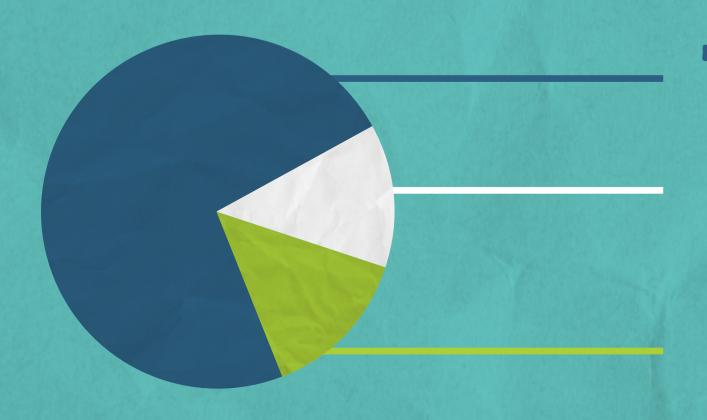
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	Behavioural	Infectious	Fera	Medical	Organisational	Total
Cats and kittens	933	1,209	1,678	970	1,231	6,022
Dogs and	Behavioural	Infectious	Legal	Medical	Organisational	Total





WHERE YOUR DOLLAR GOES



• SHELTERS

ADMINISTRATION

- COMMUNICATIONS HUMAN RESOURCES
- STAFF COUNSELLING
 - WORKPLACE HEALTH AND SAFETY
- FINANCE

HOW FAR WE'VE COME



We had a total of 89 children attend our School Holiday Program, learning how to care for animals and treat them with respect and kindness.

3,375 sweet supporters participated in Cupcake Day for the RSPC baking treats for their friends, schoolmates and colleagues and raising much-needed 'dough' for animals in need.

31 amazing animal lovers celebrated national Include a Charity Week by leaving a generous gift to RSPCA NSW in their wills, ensuring that our animals will be cared for

542 animals were vaccinated and desexed through our Outreach Program.

The RSPCA NSW Illawarra Shelter celebrated its 10th birthday - did you know that since it opened, they have cared for 40,000 animals?



DECEMBER

7,039 supporters became RSPCA Guardian Angels, sharing the Christmas spirit and helping animals in need during the festive season.

JANUARY

We launched our new Graduate Veterinary Training Program, educating the next generation of passionate veterinarians about animal welfare and the other issues faced by our communities.

775 animals were rehomed after a three day adoption drive. We cleared over 92% of the animals in our shelters across NSW, finding them new loving forever homes!

Our Inspectorate successfully convicted a repeat offender of animal cruelty and an ex-breeder who had been hoarding dogs and puppies in horrific squalor.

RSPCA NSW Volunteer Branches invested a total of \$52,288.33 offsetting veterinary costs for people in their communities that were requiring assistance in caring for their pets.



On Sunday 20 May, 9,299 people all over the state walked to fight animal cruelty and be a voice for the voiceless at our

Our generous supporters donated a total of \$611,986.74 to our Winter Warmer Appeal, keeping animals across the state sheltered, warm and cared for during the cold season.

VETERINARIANS UNDERTOOK 8,021 DESEXING PROCEDURES 7,893 VACCINATIONS

1,794 DENTAL CHECKS

18,896

CONSULTATIONS

THE COMMUNITY TEAM

VISITED 462 COMMUNITIES SCHOOLS



PETS RECEIVED **EMERGENCY HELP**

ANIMALS

REPORT

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CASES OF CRUELTY

SUCCESSFUL

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ANIMALS

RESCUED

COMPANIES VOLUNTEERED THEIR TIME CORPORATE SUPPORT DAYS

OUR AMAZING SUPPORTERS HELPED US RAISE

\$39,612,576

RSPCA NSW OPERATED 9 SHELTERS,

4 VETERINARY HOSPITALS, 2 CARE CENTRES,

1 REGISTERED TRAINING ORGANISATION,

24 VOLUNTEER BRANCHES, 3 SUPPORT GROUPS,

1 REHABILITATION FACILITY, AND SUPPORTED

30 PETBARN ADOPTION CENTRES

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LEADING TO

PARTICIPATED IN EVENTS

RSPCA NSW ANNUAL REPORT 2017-2018

LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I want to thank each and every one of you for continuing to believe in our mission of protecting all animals, great and small, as well as your unwavering generosity.

As our five-year plan developed in 2013 wraps up and we tally our successes, we have begun the hugely important process of consulting with the branches and staff to develop our next five-year plan that will take us into the future and towards the most challenging targets we have set to date. This last year was full of milestones, with more animal cruelty investigated, more volunteers and more positive animal outcomes than ever in our history.

As we're talking about landmarks, our Illawarra Shelter celebrated its 10 year anniversary this year. I continue to be heartened by the very strong and long-standing relationship between the Illawarra staff and volunteer branch, that has ensured outstanding outcomes for animals and humans alike in the local community for the last decade.

Continued capital works at our Sydney Shelter will see new kennels, a new cattery and an education centre prepare us for the future as we continue to be the leaders in animal welfare and rescue in New South Wales. In partnership with our Blue Mountains Volunteer Branch, and thanks to a very generous bequest, we have also broken ground on a much-needed new cattery and facilities for animals at our Blue Mountains Shelter to improve animal outcomes. I thank all the staff and volunteers for bearing with increased challenges in the short term as we work towards a brighter future for all animals in our care.

Lastly, I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to every hardworking member of staff, to all our tirelessly passionate volunteers, to all our Members, and to all those in the community who adopt our animals, perhaps send their children to our educational programs or bring in donations of bedding and toys - YOU are the RSPCA. It is not bricks and mortar, it is the passionate people working towards a world without animal cruelty.



LETTER FROM THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

What another fantastic, joyful and difficult year we have had! Full of ground-breaking milestones, unimaginable hard work, thousands of smiling faces (human, furry, feathery and scaly), and even a few tears as we wish them all

This year we investigated more cases of animal cruelty than ever before – 15,451 compared with 14,278 last year - and with only 31 hardworking inspectors across the state. We commenced more prosecutions than previously, and had 43 defendants successfully prosecuted, while other cases carry over into the next financial year.

We have invested more into our community outreach programs and the outcomes speak for themselves. We conducted more community visits, and almost doubled the number of animals vaccinated and desexed in

We reached more children than ever before and more people were given emergency help in times of crisis – 566 humans and their 1,085 pets. We are increasingly focusing on proactive measures - on education, prevention and getting help to those that really need it.

Our foster care network is the biggest it's ever been, helping us cope with special needs animals, or those too young, as well as during times when our capacity is stretched beyond belief. 834 amazing volunteers opened their hearts and homes to 4,795 foster animals this year. They really are some of the greatest unsung heroes of

We have less animals coming through our doors, thanks to our increasing work with community rescue groups, as well as our education and prevention programs. Meanwhile we rehomed more animals and our euthanasia rate

Despite how difficult the journey has been so far, we are committed to investing time and effort into the newly established independent Greyhound Welfare Integrity commission, consistent with the NSW Government's reform panel recommendations. We remain committed to continuing to work with industry and sitting at these tables as a voice for the voiceless, and I am convinced the plight of Greyhounds are better today than before the initial ban was

Lastly, we could not achieve any of this without you – all of you that carry the torch and burn brightly for the cause of animal welfare. I cannot thank you enough for your generosity, hard work, resilience in the face of adversity, and unwavering passion for stamping out animal cruelty in our community.

Chief Executive Officer, RSPCA NSW

RSPCA NSW BOARD

Dr P Wright BVSc, Grad Dip Ag Ec – Dr Wright is a veterinarian who runs his own practice in Goulburn, NSW, and treats domestic pets, livestock, wildlife and practice. other exotic species. He has a long involvement with animal care groups, including WIRES, and in assisting the region's local RSPCA inspector. Board meetings attended: 6/6

SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT

Mr G Hall – Mr Hall is a life member of the Society and has been an RSPCA Board Member for 34 years. He is the primary producer and owner of a family property near Young. He breeds Shorthorn Stud cattle, along with sheep and crops. Board meetings attended: 6/6

JUNIOR VICE PRESIDENT

Mr P O'Donnell LLB (Hons) - Mr O'Donnell was elected to the Board in October 1998. He is a Barrister of the Supreme Court of NSW and is particularly interested in the Society's efforts to respond to animal cruelty.

Board meetings attended: 3/6

TREASURER Mr B Pickup BEc ACA – Mr B Pickup B.Ec ACA is a retired partner with Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu. His work involves accounting for businesses, as well as various not-for-profit organisations. As a registered company auditor with over 25 years experience, his work often requires him to provide expert evidence in litigation matters, which involve accounting and business issues. Brian is interested in all aspects of the RSPCA, and particularly with assisting in

Board meetings attended: 6/6

Ms W Barrett Exec MBA, B Bus Dip Corporate

Director, Grad Dip IR – Ms Barrett is Chair of the Society's Animal Welfare Committee. She has previously been a long serving member of the Animal Care and Ethics Committee at the University of Western Sydney and has held the role of president of RSPCA Auxiliary. She has a special interest in progressing animal welfare, animal care and ethics. She is also the senior executive governance for Transport for NSW. Board meetings attended: 6/6

Ms S Cruickshank – Ms Cruickshank is a Senior Executive for the NSW Public Service and has

amassed two decades of experience in policy development, advocacy and strategic communications. Prior to this, she spent 10 years in a national public affairs company, the last five years of which she was Managing Director. Throughout her life, she has been the proud owner of several shelter cats and dogs, and is passionate about protecting the interests of vulnerable animals in our society. Board meetings attended: 5/6

Mr A Givney - Mr Givney was elected to the Board in 2010. He has worked as a barrister-at-law since 1987, following his retirement as a partner in a solicitors'

Board meetings attended: 5/6

Dr I Roth - Dr Ian Roth worked as a veterinarian with the NSW Department of Primary Industries (NSW DPI) for 40 years in biosecurity and animal welfare. He managed the NSW DPI's Animal Welfare Unit and worked closely with the Society. Until his retirement in December 2015, he was the Chief Veterinary Officer for NSW. His career successes were recognised with a Public Service Medal for outstanding public service to veterinary science, particularly pertaining to animal welfare and biosecurity in NSW. Board meetings attended: 6/6

Mr D Robinson – Mr Robinson joined the Board in November 2014. Born in Young in NSW, he had a varied career before joining the NSW Police in 1971. He served in small rural communities across the state for 23 years, but resigned to take up the position of Chief Inspector for the Society. He served for eight years, before becoming the Society Manager of Branches and Properties. He is keenly interested in all facets of the RSPCA, but particularly in the branches and their operations. As an RSPCA Australia farm assessor, he carried out inspections of piggeries accredited under the Approved Farming Scheme. In 2012, Mr Robinson retired to a 60-acre farm in

Grenfell in the mid-West NSW, where he now runs a few cattle and an alpaca. Board meetings attended: 5/6

COMPANY SECRETARY

Mr S Coleman GDip of Inv Mgt, MBA – Mr Coleman is the Chief Executive Officer of the Society and the Society Secretary. He joined the Society as an inspector in 1991, and has contributed to animal welfare in many ways, including sitting on numerous government and industry committees and advisory councils, including the Animal Welfare Advisory Council that reports directly to the Minister for Primary Industries.

Board meetings attended: 6/6

Mr A Clachers LLB (Hons) - Mr Clachers is the Chief Operating Officer and Company Secretary of the Society. He joined the Society as General Counsel in 2013 and has extensive experience in animal welfare law and policy. He also has significant experience in Not-for-profit governance and management. Board meetings attended: 6/6



Report of the independent auditor on the summary financial statements to the members of The Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals New South Wales

The accompanying summary financial statements, which comprise the summary statement of financial position as at 30 June 2018, the summary statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, summary statement of changes in equity and summary statement of cash flows for the year then to Animals New South Wales for the year ended 30 June 2018. We expressed an unmodified auditor's opinion on that financial report in our report dated 29 September 2018.

The summary financial statements do not contain all the disclosures required by Australian Accounting Standards – Reduced Disclosure Requirements and the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012. Reading the summary financial statements, therefore, is not a substitute for reading the audited financial report of The Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals New South Wales.

The Summary Financial Statements and the Audited Financial Report do not reflect the effects of events that occurred subsequent to the date of our auditor's report on the Audited Financial Report.

Directors' responsibility for the summary financial statements

The directors are responsible for the preparation of a summary of the audited financial report in accordance with the requirements of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012.

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the summary financial statements derived from the audited financial report of The Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals New South Wales based on our procedures, which were conducted in accordance with Auditing Standard ASA 810 Engagements to Report on Summary Financial Statements.

In our opinion, the summary financial statements derived from the audited financial report of The Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals New South Wales for the year ended 30 June 2018 are consistent, in all material respects, with that audited financial report, in accordance with the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012.



Sydney 2 October 2018

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SUMMARY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income For the year ended 30 June 2018

In AUD	2018	2017
Revenue	32,257,613	30,865,749
Operating expenses	(54,152,446)	(50,261,867)
Deficit before legacies and grants	(21,894,833)	(19,396,118)
Legacies	26,068,643	15,673,481
Government grants	1,074,421	1,096,691
Surplus/(Deficit) before income tax	5,248,231	(2,625,946)
Income tax expense		
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year	5,248,231	(2,625,946)
Other comprehensive income		
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss Net fair value gain/(loss) on available-for-sale financial asset	1,612,676	3,749,746
Total comprehensive income for the year	6,860,907	1,123,800

Statement of financial position As at 30 June 2018

In AUD	2018	2017	
Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	8,167,315	7,254,944	
Trade and other receivables	3,115,937	2,397,500	
Inventories	579,549	813,413	
Other assets	64,473	69,375	
Financial assets	6,000,000	6,000,000	
Total current assets	17,927,274	16,535,232	
Financial assets	45,542,151	40,085,182	
Property, plant and equipment	42,141,240	42,117,405	
Investment properties	1,896,085	1,962,304	
Total non-current assets	89,579,476	84,164,891	
Total assets	107,506,750	100,700,123	
Liabilities			
Trade and other payables	4,605,574	4,466,947	
Provisions	4,004,461	3,807,505	
Finance lease liability	2,964	2,964	
Total current liabilities	8,612,999	8,277,416	
Provisions	262,840	301,991	
Finance lease liability	2,223	5,187	
Total non-current liabilities	265,063	307,178	
Total liabilities	8,878,062	8,584,594	
Net assets	98,628,688	92,115,529	
Members' equity and specific funds			
Specific funds		347,748	
Accumulated funds	83,530,395	78,282,164	
Reserves	15,098,293	13,485,617	
Total equity and funds	98,628,688	92,115,529	

Statement of changes in equity For the year ended 30 June 2018

In AUD

Balance at 1 July 2016	347,748	9,735,871	80,908,110	90,991,729
Deficit for the year	-		(2,625,946)	(2,625,946)
Change in fair value of available for sale assets	-	3,749,746	-	3,749,746
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the year		3,749,746	(2,625,946)	1,123,800
Movement in specific funds	- 1	-		
Balance at 30 June 2017	347,748	13,485,617	78,282,164	92,115,529
Balance at 1 July 2017	347,748	13,485,617	78,282,164	92,115,529
Surplus for the year	-		5,248,231	5,248,231
Change in fair value of available for sale assets	-	1,612,676	-	1,612,676
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	1,612,676	5,248,231	6,860,906
Movement in specific funds	(347,748)		-	(347,748)
Balance at 30 June 2018	-	15,098,293	83,530,395	98,628,688
Statement of cash flows For the year ended 30 June 2018 In AUD			2018	2017
Cash flows from operating activities				
Receipts from members and customers			21,351,598	22,080,832
Payments to suppliers and employees			(50,096,899)	(47,660,425)
Donations received			6,773,972	5,726,960
Legacies received			22,958,730	14,235,211
Government subsidy			1,074,421	1,096,691
Net cash from operating activities			2,061,822	(4,520,731)
Cash flows from investing activities				
Rent received			282,919	289,687
Interest received			391,901	401,549
Dividends received		2,328,011	2,186,074	
Proceeds from the sale of property, plant and equ		4,428,090	3,722,978	
Payment for property, plant and equipment		(6,330,244)	(5,069,068)	
Payment for investment acquired		(4,955,929)	(790,409)	
Contributions from bequeathed properties		2,705,000	1,693,000	
Contributions from bequeathed available-for-sale		801	2,412	
Net cash from investing activities			(1,149,451)	2,436,223
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equival		912,371	(2,084,508)	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year			7,254,944	9,339,452
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year			8,167,315	7,254,944

Specific Revaluation Accumulated



The full version of RSPCA NSW's financial statements is available to view on our website: rspcansw.org.au/annual-report

During the 2017-2018 financial year, RSPCA NSW was fortunate to have received grants from the following organisations:

ARA Group Endowment Fund The Coca-Cola Australia Foundation Coorparoo Foundation **Doves Nest Foundation** Eric Norman Sweet Trust

Family and Community Services G & P Nock Foundation George Pitt Wood Trust (NSW) Gwynneth McGee Bequest The Hargrove Foundation Hill Family Conservation Foundation George and Joyce Graves Endowment Panthers Penrith

Panthers Port Macquarie The Pennycuik Endowment The Sir Robert & Lady Askin Trust (Animal Welfare)

CORPORATE SUPPORTERS

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Event Hospitality & Entertainment Ltd

Hill's Pet Nutrition Jetpets Animal Transport KPMG Leafcutter Macquarie Microsoft

Mirvac Pepsico Australia Petbarn Peter Alexander Peter Lee Associates Qantas

Ritchies Stores Saatchi & Saatchi Starcom Media The Gordon Frost Organisation Pty Ltd The Hollard Insurance Company Westpac



