Before surrendering your pet...

Parting ways with an animal can be especially difficult and we’re committed to working with you to ensure the best possible solution for you and your pet. We know that sometimes it’s just not possible to keep a pet but before surrendering, please consider all your options. Learn more below about alternatives to surrendering including other re-homing options.

Behavior and Puppy Issues Please consider a trainer or veterinary behaviorist.
Greater St. Louis Training Club Inc. (314) 832-dogs (3647) office@gslt.com
Misfit Dog Psychology and Rehab (314) 956-2793 St. Louis https://misfitdogtraining.weebly.com/behavior-and-rehabilitation.html
That Cat Girl Pamela Hill Cat Behavior Counselor (314) 722-5592 St. Louis MO info@thathcatgirl.com
Young’s Dog Training LLC. (314) 930 5472 St. Peters MO www.youngsdogtraining.com 4youngdt@gmail.com
Stargate Kennel (636)-296-190 Imperial MO https://www.facebook.com/StargateKennel/
Ellisville Vet Hospital (636)-227-7154 Ellisville MO https://ellisvillevet.com/

Spay and Neuter Services (low cost) Spay and neuters give pets longer life and may help behavior.
Barc (314) 535-1819 (314) 732-9679 barcsay@aol.com
Carol House Quick Fix Clinic Free S/N for North County residents (314) 771-PETS (7387) http://stlspayneuter.org/
Humane Society of Missouri (314) 951-1588 www.hsmo.org
OpSpot (314) 995-8687 https://www.opspot.org/
Petsmart Charities https://petsmartcharities.org/store-and-clinic-locator
St. Louis Veterinary Center (314) 773-6400 St. Louis City MO https://www.stlvetcenter.com/
National Number (800) 248-SPAY or (800) 321-PETS http://www.metroanimal.org/spay_neuter/main.shtml

Can’t Afford Care?
Care Credit: Medical financing offering 0.0% interest if paid off within time period https://www.carecredit.com/apply/
AnimMeals Program Food support (636) 949-9918 St. Charles MO https://www.fiveacresanimalshelter.org/five-acres-animeals-program/
BI State Pet Food Pantry Food support (314) 596-2128 info@bistatepetfoodpantry.org
GoFundMe Online free fundraising https://www.gofundme.org/
Local Vets: Veterinarians in your zip code https://www.localvets.com
Pets of the Homeless Provides food and some care for pets of homeless owners. https://www.petsofthehomeless.org/
Red Rover Relief (800) 799-7233 Urgent or emergency care (1 – 2 day response): info@redrover.org https://redrover.org/relief/urgent-care-grants/

Moving and Housing
Front Door Management Pet friendly rentals (314) 446-4501 https://www.frontdoorstl.com/ apts@frontdoor.com

Veterans and Senior Assistance
Dogs on Deployment Foster homes for active military or veterans https://www.dogsondeployment.org/
St. Louis Senior Dog Project Rescue and placement of senior dogs (636)671-7223 https://www.stlsdp.org/
Disaster and Pet Preparedness
American Red Cross Disaster preparedness for pets
https://www.redcross.org/get-help/how-to-prepare-for-emergencies/
pet-disaster-preparedness.html

Domestic Violence and Pet Assistance
Save Havens Animal Welfare Institute https://awionline.org/safe-havens
APA SafeCare Program Pet shelter for domestic violence victims (314) 645-4610 https://apamo.org/pet-services/safecare
Safe Place for Pets Domestic violence victims (916) 429-2457 https://safeplaceforpets.org/
Lydia's House Domestic Violence Shelter (314) 771-4411 https://www.lydiashouse.org/
Saint Martha's Hall Domestic Violence Shelter (314) 533-1313 http://saintmarthas.org

Animal Shelters in the Area
This list includes other shelters that may be able to take your surrendered pet who may help them get to rescues to help with medical needs or find adopters for your pet.

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How to Surrender Pets to Saint Louis County Animal Control
We require a scheduled appointment for owner surrenders to ensure resources are ready and available when a pet arrives. Without an appointment, we have no control over the number of pets that come into our care each day, and our ability to provide the best possible care for each animal would be hindered.

What to Do
1. Call us at 314-615-0650 (option 2 Intake) to schedule an appointment.
2. Bring a photo ID such as a driver’s license or other government issued ID.
3. Bring all your pet’s veterinary records.
4. Bring current microchip information registered to you as the owner. If the chip is not up to date the animal will not be accepted for surrender until the chip has been updated and can be traced to you as the current owner.
5. If pet has bitten a human in the last 10 days it must complete a quarantine period.