

The Area's Leading No-Kill Animal Welfare Organization  
**BAYWATER ANIMAL RESCUE** | Cambridge, Maryland

# A Better Life Campaign

*Raising funds to keep our canine & feline friends healthy  
and with the people they love*

## 2020-2023 BAYWATER ANIMAL RESCUE'S CAPITAL CAMPAIGN TO PROVIDE

- Major Campus & Facility Improvements
- An On-Site Affordable Veterinary Center
- Innovative Shelter Life Enhancement Programs
- Community Outreach Programs



**Baywater**  
Animal Rescue  
*since 1947, a safe place  
between lost & found*

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4930 Bucktown Road  
Cambridge, Maryland 21613

# OUR MISSION

Baywater

Animal Rescue

exists to

provide humane

shelter and care

for companion

animals in need

of housing;

promotes

kindness

and clear

opportunity

for life.



Baywater  
Animal Rescue

PHASE I

**New  
Cat Cottage**  
COMPLETED On-Time  
and On-Budget



**RESULTS:** Cat adoptions increased by 40%  
Replaced our 1960 cat building with a 1,500 sq ft  
Cat Cottage, added an emergency exit to kennels,  
and replaced an outdated wastewater system, which  
provided environmental improvements.

PHASE II

**Low-Cost  
Veterinary  
Center**  
Target Start: March 2022



**Estimated Cost: \$600,000**  
**OBJECTIVE:** Improve the quality of animals' lives  
through an affordable veterinary care center and  
community-centric services and outreach.  
**Anticipated Completion: October, 2022**

PHASE III

**Rescue Van,  
Isolation Kennels,  
Play Yards**  
Target Start: April 2023



**Estimated Cost: \$227,000**  
**OBJECTIVE:** Rescue and provide shelter for more  
animals by replacing our 11-year old transport van,  
additional isolation kennels to allow sick and recovering  
animals a quiet place to heal, and play yard facilities to  
enhance the lives of shelter animals.  
**Anticipated Completion: July, 2023**

PHASE IV

**On-Site Boarding,  
Doggie Daycare,  
Walking Trails**  
Target Start: April 2023

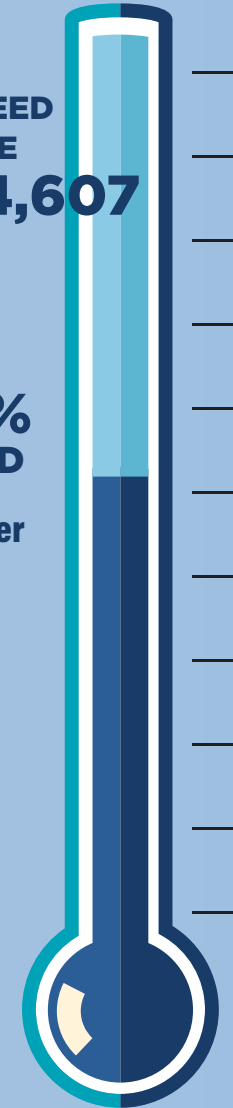


**Estimated Cost: \$165,000**  
**OBJECTIVE:** Offer services to improve pets' quality  
of life when families need boarding or daycare services.  
Improve adoptability and shelter experience with  
walking trails.  
**Anticipated Completion: November, 2023**

**GOAL**  
**\$1,304,250**

**STILL NEED  
TO RAISE  
\$504,607**

**61.3%**  
**RAISED**  
as of  
December  
2021



**Your donations will make  
these plans a reality.  
PLEASE HELP US  
REACH OUR GOAL.**

## DID YOU KNOW?

**WE WERE FOUNDED IN 1947** by a group of friends who were concerned about homeless Dorchester County animals.

**AS THE EASTERN SHORE'S LEADING NO-KILL ANIMAL WELFARE ORGANIZATION,** Baywater Animal Rescue is dedicated to the health, safety and psychological wellness of animals and their relationship with people.

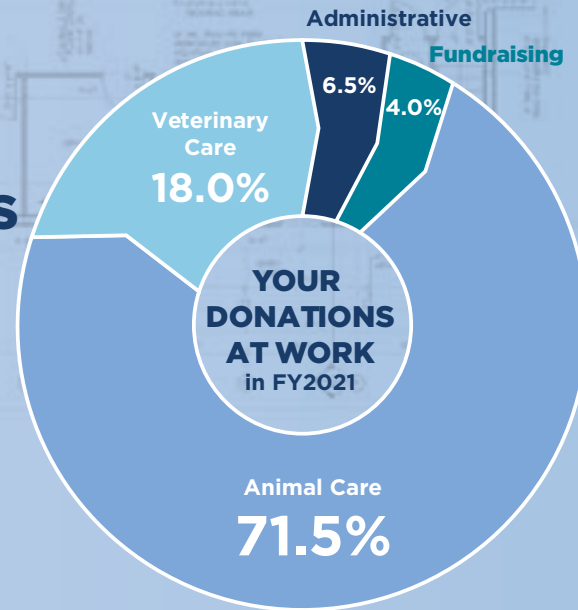
**WE RESPONSIBLY USE YOUR DONATIONS** to care for rescues. Our average cost of care per animal is 38% below the national average.

**AFFORDING ESSENTIAL VETERINARY CARE** is the top concern of pet owners (with incomes under \$50,000) to help them keep, rather than surrender their pets (ASPCA.org, 2021).

## BAYWATER'S NEW VETERINARY CENTER

will provide affordable in-house veterinary medical and routine care for pets. The shelter receives calls daily from owners who can no longer afford their pets due to escalating veterinary costs, including spay/neuter procedures and emergency care. **Clearly, the community needs a safety net to assist pet owners in need.**

## YOUR DONATIONS AT WORK IN FY2021



## NAMING OPPORTUNITIES

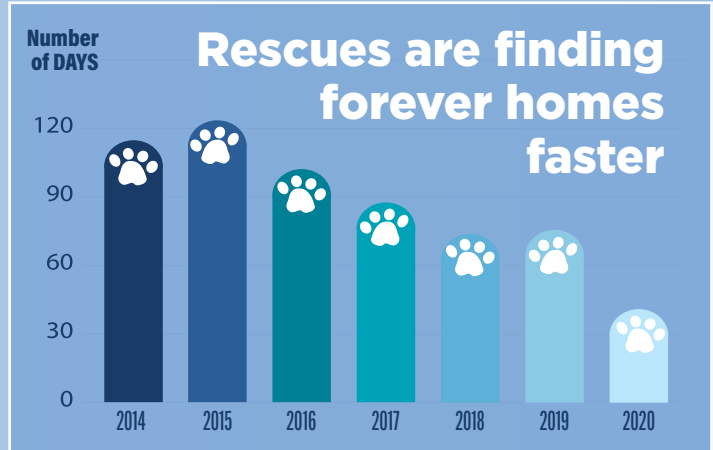
Leave your mark

- New Wing**  
\$200,000
- Veterinary Center**  
\$100,000
- Indoor Training Center**  
~~\$60,000~~ **DONATED!**
- Meet & Greet Room**  
\$20,000
- Intake Room**  
\$20,000
- Office Space**  
\$15,000
- Outdoor Play Area**  
\$10,000
- Wall of Recognition**  
\$5,000 - \$10,000

## A Peek Inside Our New Cat Cottage



## Average Days in Shelter





# Rescue pets give their love unconditionally, and inherently know when they have been truly saved.

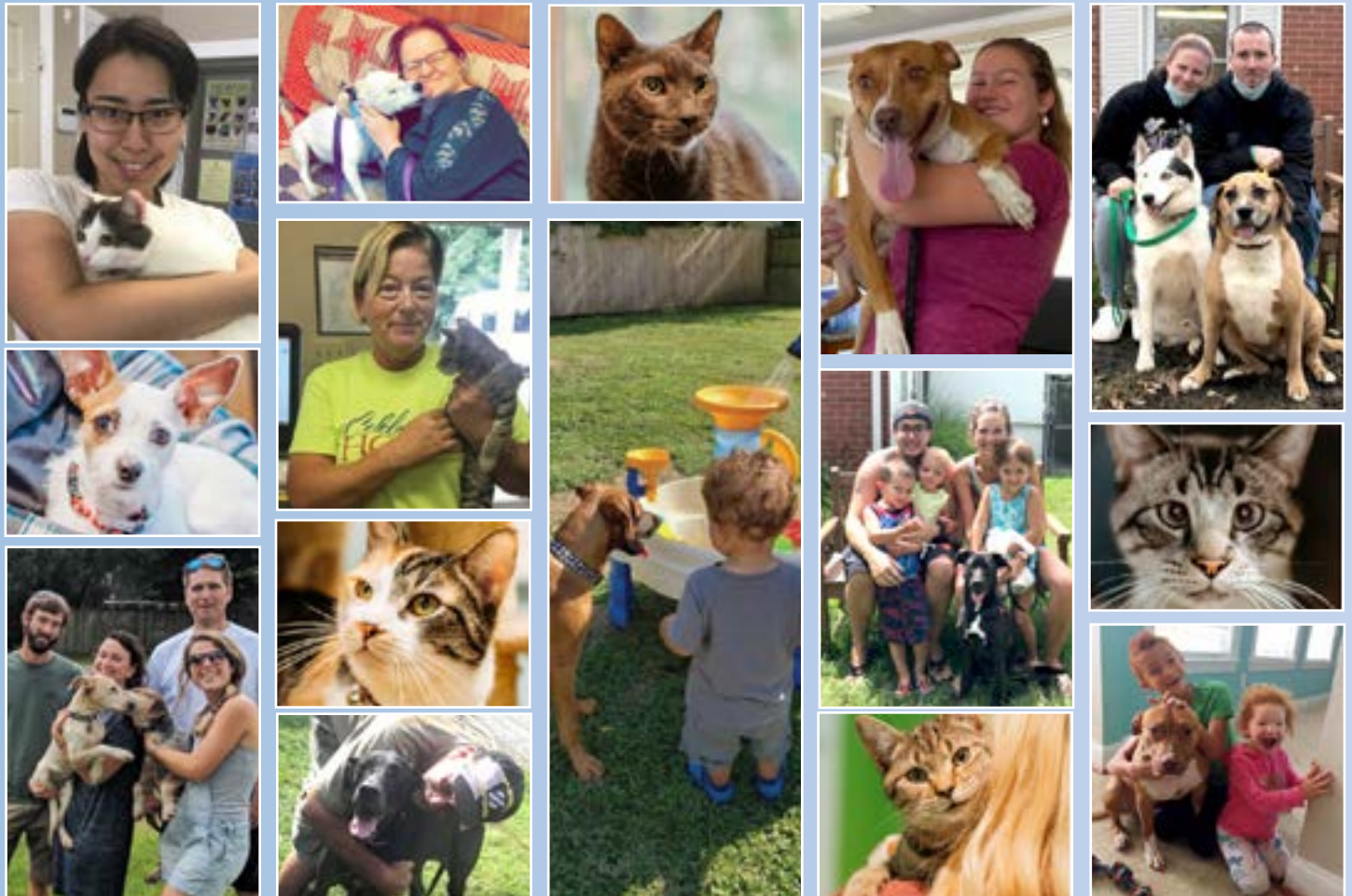
With your help,  
we will reach our  
goal and, together,  
deliver these much  
needed services  
to our community  
and its animals who  
desperately need us  
to transform HOPE  
into HOME.

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[BaywaterAnimalRescue.org/CapitalCampaign](http://BaywaterAnimalRescue.org/CapitalCampaign) for more details and video

**WE ARE TOTALLY DEPENDENT ON PUBLIC DONATIONS.** We receive no state, county, or federal funding. Humane Society of Dorchester County dba Baywater Animal Rescue is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization —donations to which are tax-deductible to the fullest extent of the law.