

## **A Safer Naper --- Animal Control**

Naperville Police Department's Animal Control Unit consists of three animal control officers and one working supervisor who make our community safer by enforcing local and state animal control and welfare laws, promoting responsible pet ownership and animal care, and rescuing animals that are stray, injured or in danger.

Each year, this dedicated unit responds to an average of 4,500 to 5,000 calls for service, impounds and cares for up to 400 animals, and transfers about 200 animals to humane societies and shelters for adoptions. They also answer several thousands of calls from residents each year, responding to questions about everything from wildlife concerns and behavior to neighborhood nuisance complaints.

Here is a complete list of services provided by Animal Control:

- Barking dog complaints
- Investigation of animal bites
- Investigations of animal cruelty and neglect reports
- Pet licensing and permits
- Lost and found program
- Loose animals, stray dogs
- Pick up lost, stray and homeless animals as well as sick or injured wildlife
- Neighborhood issues concerning pets
- Trap-Loan program for stray cats
- Removal of wildlife in the living quarters of a residence (this does NOT include attics, crawlspaces, window wells or garages)

The members of Naperville Animal Control are experts in their field with a combined 65 years of animal control experience. Their many contributions to the City of Naperville truly make our community A Safer Naper.

[Visit Animal Control's webpage](#)

### **Learn more about pet licensing**

Pet licensing is required in Naperville and will assist greatly if your pet becomes lost!

[Get a license](#)

### **See impounded animals**

Check back regularly for pictures and descriptions of animals impounded at Naperville Animal Control.

[See who's in our care](#)

### **Animal Crime Stoppers**

Anonymously report animal abuse, neglect and cruelty through Naperville Crime Stoppers' new animal division.

Call (630) 420-6006