
Guide to the Sacramento County (Calif.) Animal Control Office records

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Descriptive Summary

Title: Sacramento County (Calif.) Animal Control Office records

Dates: January 1972 - June 1979

Collection number: CNTY0001

Creator: Sacramento County (Calif.) Animal Control Office

Collection Size: .3 linear feet(1 box)

Repository: Center for Sacramento History

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Abstract: The Sacramento County Animal Control Office records documenting the monthly activities of the office between 1972 and 1979.

Languages: Languages represented in the collection: English

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Acquisition Information

Received from George Schreiner, Director of Sacramento County Animal Control in August 1979 by the Sacramento Museum & History Department (Center for Sacramento History).

Biography / Administrative History

Sacramento County was chartered by the California State Legislature on Feb. 18, 1850 as one of ten chartered counties. Its role was to carry out three major state programs: public assistance, public protection, and road construction and maintenance. The Charter of 1933 gave the county "home-rule" status, granting it a greater role in planning, municipal service, and coordinating functions of urbanized areas.

The county is governed by a five-member Board of Supervisors, elected from districts of equal population for four years. Duties and responsibilities include: to enact regulatory ordinances and resolutions, to determine county policies, to approve all formal contracts and agreements, to adopt an annual budget, to set tax rates, to approve personnel salaries, to approve all zoning matters, and to appoint various county officials. The Board relies on an appointed County Executive to administer the county.

Scope and Content of Collection

The collection consists of one series containing Monthly Activity Reports. The statistical reports list types of animals received by the animal control center, numbers of each type of animal; and numbers sold, redeemed, or disposed of.

Indexing Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.

Series 1. Sacramento County Animal Control Office 1972-1979

Box 1, Folder 1	Monthly Activity Reports January 1972-October 1972
Box 1, Folder 2	Monthly Activity Reports November 1972 - April 1973 June 1973 - November 1973
Box 1, Folder 3	Monthly Activity Reports December 1973 - March 1975
Box 1, Folder 4	Monthly Activity Reports April 1975 - September 1975 November 1975 - January 1976 March 1976 - May 1976
Box 1, Folder 5	Monthly Activity Reports June 1976 and July 1977 - May 1978
Box 1, Folder 6	Monthly Activity Reports June 1978 - June 1979