

ISAR'S INTERNATIONAL HOMELESS ANIMALS' DAY IMPACT STATEMENT

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For more than 20 years ISAR has been organizing and facilitating INTERNATIONAL HOMELESS ANIMALS' DAY (IHAD). Over the years, uncountable individuals and organizations have participated in spreading the spay/neuter message throughout the United States and, in recent years, to other countries around the world. For example, in 2013 dedicated animal protection groups and concerned individuals in Belgium, Belize, Bermuda, Bolivia, Canada, Colombia, Ecuador, Fiji, France, Honduras, Hungary, India, Kuwait, Malaysia, Mexico, Nicaragua, Pakistan, Panama, Philippines, Singapore, South Africa, Switzerland, Tanzania, Thailand, and Venezuela joined forces with ISAR in the United States to shed light on the pet overpopulation epidemic.

Following each year's observances we have sought and received feedback about how successful they were—and we continue to want that information, including photos when possible.

Now we are asking something more: **We want to know the *impact* on your communities that International Homeless Animals' Day may have had.** It is well and good for International Homeless Animals' Day to be observed throughout the world, but the *impact* of those observances needs to be known—both as recognition of the organizers of those events, and as a spur to convince others that positive results for animals can be achieved by observance of International Homeless Animals' Day.

(To view impact statements from previous International Homeless Animals' Day events, please see ISAR's blogs [Impact of ISAR's International Homeless Animals' Day](#) and [International Homeless Animals' Day Impact: Florida, Mexico, Panama](#)).

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