

**RESOLUTION NO. 146 - 2023**  
**OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE**  
**YAVAPAI-APACHE NATION**

**A Resolution Authorizing the Nation to Submit a Grant Application to the Arizona Companion Animal Spay and Neuter Committee to Assist the Nation in Implementing a Spay and Neuter Program for the Nation's Communities**

**WHEREAS:** The Yavapai-Apache Tribal Council ("Council") is authorized to represent the Yavapai-Apache Nation ("Nation") and act on all matters that concern the health and welfare of the Nation, and to make decisions not inconsistent with or contrary to the Constitution of the Yavapai-Apache Nation ("Constitution") as provided under Article V(a) of the Constitution; and

**WHEREAS:** The Council is authorized to negotiate and enter into agreements with federal, state, and local governments and to accept grant funds as provided under Article V (b) and (s), respectively, of the Constitution; and

**WHEREAS:** The Council is authorized to manage all tribal economic affairs and to appropriate and regulate the use of the Nation's funds as provided under Article V (i) and (k), respectively, of the Constitution; and

**WHEREAS:** The Nation's Contracts and Grants Manager recommends that the Nation apply for grant funding as follows:

- (1) Funding Agency: Arizona Companion Animal Spay and Neuter Committee
- (2) Amount of funding application: \$10,000
- (3) Term of grant: 1 year
- (4) Matching funds and source: None
- (5) Nation's Department or Program administering the grant: YAPD - Animal Control
- (6) Purpose and use of grant funds: Funds will be used for hosting Spay & Neuter Clinics during the program year.
- (7) Budget attached or not required: Attached

**WHEREAS:** The Tribal Council finds it in the Nation's best interest to authorize the above-described grant application.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Yavapai-Apache Tribal Council, in Council assembled, at which a quorum is present, hereby authorizes the Nation to apply for grant funding to the above-named funding agency in the amount and for the term described above.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Nation agrees that it will comply with all program guidelines and regulations applicable to the above referenced grant program and the certifications required in the grant application; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Council authorizes the Nation's Contracts and Grants Manager to take all actions necessary to complete the grant application and to submit all necessary information to the funding agency in furtherance of the grant application and authorizes the Nation to receive and expend the grant funds in accordance with the grant requirements and the Nation's Budget Code and Financial Policies.

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** that the Chairwoman, and Vice Chairman, or either of them, are hereby authorized to take such further action as deemed necessary to carry out the intent and purposes of this Resolution.


### **CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by an affirmative vote of the Tribal Council, with a quorum in attendance, presented for approval on August 31 2023, by a vote of 8 in favor, 0 opposed and 0 abstaining, pursuant to the authority contained under the Constitution of the Yavapai-Apache Nation as cited above.



Tanya Lewis, Chairwoman

**ATTEST:**

  
Karla Reimer, Council Secretary

Approved as to form:

  
Office of the Attorney General

# EXHIBIT A

Yavapai-Apache Nation

Grant Application – AZ Companion Animal Spay and Neuter  
Committee

Narrative and Budget – Spay and Neuter Program

August 31, 2023



## 2023/2024 Application Cover Sheet Checklist

Organization: YAVAPAI-APACHE ANIMAL CONTROL

County of Project: YAVAPAI

Amount Request (to be expended by August 15, 2024): \$ 10000.00

Surgeries to be completed (based on this request): \_\_\_\_\_

Project Request (one per application):

- ☒ Public Pets (Domesticated) Spay/Neuter Program
- ☐ Free Roaming Cat (Feral Cat) Spay/Neuter Program
- ☐ Sheltered Pets Spay/Neuter Program (please check one)
  - ☐ Government/Tribal
  - ☐ Nonprofit animal welfare organization – With shelter
  - ☐ Nonprofit animal welfare organization – Foster based

Enclosures: Please Check Box if Included

- ☐ Completed Application – Sec. I - V
- ☐ Signed letter from the executive or Board Member in charge of the organization's project.
- ☐ Letter from the executive guaranteeing the funds will be used ONLY for the purpose requested.
- ☐ Statement with project coordinator name, phone number and email address to be published to the website.
- ☐ Signed letter by the executive confirming that all veterinarians are licensed in the State of Arizona.
- ☐ Statement verifying that all cats will be ear tipped (TNR ONLY).
- ☐ Copy of organization's 501(c)(3) determination letter, if nonprofit.
- ☐ Profit and loss (P&L) statement for non-profits OR animal care and control's section of budget.
- ☐ Included is one original packet of everything and three copies; four packets total, per project request. **Each grant request must be applied for individually.**

For administrative use only: Score \_\_\_\_\_

# Arizona Companion Animal Spay and Neuter Committee

## Application for Funding – 2023/2024 Grant Year

### Section I. Contact Information

Name of Organization: YAVAPAI-APACHE ANIMAL CONTROL  
Address: 2372 W KINSEY ST, CAMP VERDE, AZ 86322  
County: YAVAPAI Email address: AANTHONY@YAN-TRIBE.ORG  
Phone: 928-274-6783 Fax: 928-567-7594

Project Leader Information: (This information will be listed on our website.)

Name: ALLISON ANHTONY Phone: 928-274-6783  
Title: ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER Fax: 928-567-7594  
Email address: AANTHONY@YAN-TRIBE.ORG

### Section II. Community Information

*Feel free to use a separate piece of paper for this but properly label each section.*

- A. City/County/Region you serve \_\_\_\_\_
- B. Describe the community you serve, including geographical and socioeconomic details, including other s/n resources available to your target population. (200 word limit)
- C. Estimated number of homeless animals in your community that enter government animal control agencies or other animal welfare organizations, in your area, per year: 50

### Section III. General Organization Information

A. Check all information that accurately describes your organization:

- ☒ Government Agency  
☐ Private, nonprofit organization with 501(c)(3) status no government contract  
☐ Private, nonprofit organization with 501(c)(3) status, with government contract  
☐ None of the above (Please explain) \_\_\_\_\_

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## Section III. General Organization Information – Continued

B. Describe your organization. Please check all that apply:

- ☐ Open Admission Shelter (government/tribal)  
☐ Spay/Neuter (including TNR) organization only  
☐ Rescue only organization – with Shelter or Foster-based (circle one)  
☒ Other (Please Explain) ANIMAL CONTROL WITH NO ANIMAL SHELTER

C. What is your organization's mission?

D. Number of employees 1 and Volunteers 0

E. Is your organization available for onsite visits and inspections from the public and this committee? Please give your hours of operations.

Y ☒ N ☐ (Please explain Why) \_\_\_\_\_

F. Please provide operating budget for the current fiscal year: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(If you are a government agency, please only include your budget for animal control.)

G. Please provide annual statistics for your organization. Complete the following information below.

Please specify which performance statistic you are using. ☒ Last 12 months  
☐ Calendar year  
☐ Fiscal year: Dates \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Statistics	Dogs	Cats	Total
Animal Intake	18	1	19
Adoptions	0	0	0
Returned to Owner	4	1	5
Transferred Out (Rescue)	12	0	12

By submitting this application to AZCASNC you are allowing AZCASNC to include your data within state statistics to identify the number of homeless animals in Arizona.

What is your Live Release Rate? 100%

To calculate your live release rate please follow this formula: Total Adoptions + Total Transfers (this includes rescue or otherwise) + total returned to owners divided by your Total Outcomes. Please exclude owner/guardian requested euthanasia and dog/cats that died or were lost in shelter/care. Live Release rate is given in percentage form.

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*Section III - G. Please provide annual statistics for your organization. – continued*

Please use the same dates as indicated on page2 – Last 12 months, Calendar or Fiscal year.

Sterilizations	Dogs	Cats	Total
Public	15	6	21
Free-Roaming	0	1	1
Sheltered	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>22</b>

H. If recipient of 2022/2023 grant (distributed in Dec 22/Jan 23) – please provide results or N/A ☒

- ☐ Public – Grant amount received \$\_\_\_\_\_ Grant amount spent \$\_\_\_\_\_ Animals sterilized: Dogs\_\_\_\_\_ Cats\_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Free Roaming (Feral) Cats – Grant amount received \$\_\_\_\_\_ Grant amount spent \$\_\_\_\_\_ Cats sterilized: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Sheltered/Non-Profit – Grant amount received \$\_\_\_\_\_ Grant amount spent \$\_\_\_\_\_ Animals sterilized: Dogs\_\_\_\_\_ Cats\_\_\_\_\_

### **Section IV. Description of Project**

The project you are seeking funding for is: ☒ New ☐ Existing

#### **Target Animal Population and Funding Request Amount**

**You MUST have separate applications for each of the below projects you are applying for.**  
**Failure to do so will result in your application being disqualified.**

Target Animal Population Type	Grant Request Amount	Total No. of animals to be served by grant
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public (domesticated) Spay/Neuter Program	\$ 10,000.00	50
<input type="checkbox"/> Free Roaming Cat (Feral Cat) TNR Program	\$	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sheltered Pets Spay/Neuter Program <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Government/Tribal</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Nonprofit Animal Welfare Organization <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> With shelter</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Foster based</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	\$	

Average Cost per Surgery - For This Project	Dog	Cat
Male	\$ 173	\$ 85
Female	\$ 206	\$ 121

## **Home Pet Spay and Neuter Grant**

The Yavapai-Apache Nation has an over population of pets in the community. Animal Control would host one or two spay and neuter clinics a year through Midwestern University, but since the pandemic of Covid-19 the clinics were stopped. Through the 3 years there has been a large influx of animals, mostly consisting of dogs. Our Animal Control also does not have a contract with any animal shelter so resources are limited for Members for spay and neuter programs and surrendering animals. With this, pet owners are now overwhelmed with pets from accidental litters and most residences have over 8 dogs per household.

Animal Control assisted one resident who had 20 puppies at their house due to two female dogs having litters at the same time. While helping the dog owner, they had told Animal Control that in the past 2 years they have had over 70 puppies from their dogs. Animal Control has helped pet owners individually (animals not impounded) and has removed and placed over 50 dogs and puppies in 2023 into rescues, shelters, and fosters for adoption and rehoming. Animal Control has been working with rescues state wide to rehome pets mostly consisting of puppies and having mother dogs spayed. We have estimated of over 175 puppies have been born in the last year alone in the communities of the Yavapai-Apache Nation. Residents are overwhelmed with dogs and with little to no resources it is just becoming a never ending cycle of litters. With a long term spay and neuter program year around, we can have more animals altered and start chipping away at the overpopulation. We plan to keep this program going as long as we have funding to help promote animal welfare and reduce the pet population.

This program will also be open to cat owners. There is also a large feral cat population. We are trying to not add to the feral cat population by having pet cats altered and preventing accidental litters. We do not have any animal codes pertaining to cats (other than an animal bite) so being able to offer this service would help with the large amount of cats and having options for cat owners as well.

The program will be ran as a voucher program. To be eligible the dog or cat will either need to have a current rabies vaccination or be vaccinated for rabies at the time of surgery. Dogs will also need to be licensed through animal control to be able to receive a voucher (cats are not required to be licensed). Animal control will keep records of everyone who receives a voucher. Since the veterinarians can only take so many additional surgeries a week there will be a limit of how many vouchers will be distributed weekly. When the pet owner has received a voucher they will make an appointment with the veterinarians that are in conjunction with the program. At the time of the veterinarian appointment the owner will turn in the voucher to the veterinarian office and the vouchers and invoices will be picked up weekly by the Animal Control Officer. Invoices will be then turned into the finance department for proper payment. We will start with one voucher per household to evenly distribute the program to all residents. If we still have funds we will then open it back up to people who have already received one voucher if they need to alter another pet. As of now we have partnered with Anasazi Animal Clinic and Montezuma Veterinary Services in Camp Verde Az for the surgeries.



After care for the surgeries will be explained in detail by the Veterinarian that performed the surgeries. Through this program the animal has seen a local veterinarian. We hope to promote animal welfare through veterinarian services by helping owners establish connections with the veterinarian that has seen the animal.

We are requesting the full \$10,000. With \$10,000 we have estimated that we can alter approximately 50 animals. This would jump start the program and get more animals altered to help start making an impact on the overpopulation of pets. The more animals that are altered will greatly help relieve the pet owners stress by knowing there will not be any accidental litters. We have also received additional funds of \$3,000 for help with rabies vaccinations and additional funds for surgeries (Pending Council approval).

The Yavapai-Apache Nation is making spay and neuter a priority along with animal welfare. Animal Control plans to promote spaying and neutering by being active in local events, especially youth events. We plan on using our social media to promote the spay and neuter program alongside promoting the Arizona Pet Friendly License Plate logo. We will explain that the program would mostly be funded through this grant and promote the purchasing of the Arizona pet friendly License Plate. The logo will also be posted on the vouchers that the pet owners receive. We plan to put out flyers to the community alongside emails about the program with the logo.