

Companion Animal Clinic Foundation  
&  
The Spay Neuter Veterinary Clinic of the  
Sandhills

- Companion Animal Clinic Foundation (CACF) supports affordable spay/neuter.
- CACF owns and operates the Spay Neuter Veterinary Clinic of the Sandhills.
- The Spay Neuter Veterinary Clinic of the Sandhills provides spay and neuter for animal welfare groups and individuals that do not have a private veterinarian.

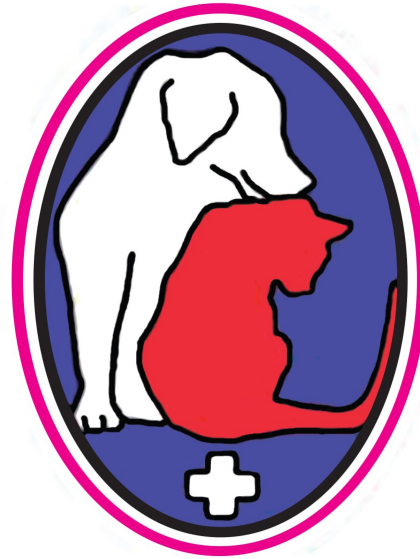
Please consider volunteering or donating to CACF and the SNVC!

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[www.companionanimalclinic.org](http://www.companionanimalclinic.org)

Email: [info@companionanimalclinic.org](mailto:info@companionanimalclinic.org)  
to learn how you can help!

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To Pet Overpopulation!"*

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## The Need for Affordable Spay Neuter

The mission of the Companion Animal Clinic of the Sandhills Foundation (CACF) is: "... to provide affordable spay/neuter services for companion animal groups in a fifteen county area to address pet overpopulation."

Animal control intake numbers escalate on average by 13% yearly. As a consequence, a constant increase in the number of euthanized adoptable dogs and cats result. The more rural and less affluent counties exhibit larger intake at animal control facilities and experience significantly higher euthanasia rates. In the fifteen county region of CAC, five of the counties fall into the lowest percentile in the State in their respective populations living at or below the poverty level. Statistics support that affordable spay/neuter helps in reducing companion animal overpopulation and saves communities valuable tax dollars. In our operating area, counties spend from two to three times the cost of a spay/neuter to euthanize a companion animal because there are simply not enough adoption options to address the increasingly large numbers of animals born each year. With the recent Covid-19 pandemic the need for low-cost spay/neuter has exploded.

**The solution is prevention. Please help!**



### History

To address the problem of near geometric growth in companion animals euthanized, the founders of CACF met and worked with local veterinary practitioners and veterinary academic experts and practitioners from the College of Veterinary Medicine at N.C. State University to assess and to determine the needs for an affordable spay/neuter veterinary operation in this area. After research, operational planning and financial analysis, CACF was granted 501c3 status in 2005 to achieve its' mission. Under the direction of Dr. Kelli Ferris of the College of Veterinary Medicine at N.C. State University, the operational needs for such a facility became a reality. CACF opened full operations at the SNVC in 2008 under the ownership of Dr. Joe Currie. In 2021 CACF assumed ownership of the SNVC. As the need for surgery increased so did revenue demand to replace equipment and expand service. From 2008-2021 improvements and enhancements include: mortgage payoff; replacement and repair of equipment ; the addition of a surgery suite; office, prep room and other building improvements; and most recently changes to the facility to make it Covid-19 compliant.

**WE NEED YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE TO FULFILL OUR MISSION.** Please consider a pledge or gift to this most important community service. You may also purchase a page to feature your pet in the CACF coffee table book Companions!

Email: [info@companionanimalclinic.org](mailto:info@companionanimalclinic.org) for more information on how you can participate.

Reservations for spay/neuter services can be done online at: [www.spayurpet.org](http://www.spayurpet.org)

**Over 80,000**  
*spay or neuter surgeries*  
*provided since opening!*



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