



Town of Chester Police Department

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TO: Supervisor Brandon Holdridge
FROM: Chief Daniel Doellinger *DM*
DATE: May 6, 2026
RE: Monthly Report for Animal Control for April 2026

During the month of April 2026, the Town of Chester Police Department responded to 9 animal complaints and investigated 2 motor vehicle crashes involving a deer. A breakdown of the complaints for the month is included below:

6 of the calls for service were for loose, lost or found dogs
2 of the calls for service were for injured or deceased deer
1 of the calls for service was for an injured hawk

Warwick Valley Humane Society

The monthly report for April from the Warwick Valley Humane Society is attached.

Community Commitment

**WARWICK VALLEY HUMANE SOCIETY
MONTHLY REPORT TO THE TOWN OF CHESTER
MONTH OF APRIL, 2026**

All totals include calls from the Town of Chester, Village of Chester, Village of Sugar Loaf, and Orange County 911 Center for calls located within the geographic area of the Town of Chester.

Number of calls received:	10	1 Police, 9 other
Number of times ACO dispatched to calls:	0	
Number of dogs impounded by ACO:	0	
Number of dogs impounded by police:	<u>0</u>	
Number of dogs returned to owner:	<u>0</u>	
Number of after hour call-outs:	0	
Amount of impoundment fees collected:	\$ 0.00	
Amount of license fees collected:	\$ 0.00	
Amount of impoundment fees paid to Town:	\$ 0.00	
Amount of license fees paid to Town:	\$ 0.00	
Number of hours of enumeration:	4 <u>hrs.</u>	
Number of bite reports received:	<u>0</u>	
Number of appearance tickets issued:	2	per Town Clerk
Number of unlicensed dogs:	11	Notices to Comply per Town Clerk Delinquent License list
Status of unlicensed dogs:	-	Court summonses and Notices to Comply per Town Clerk
Number of Chester cats admitted to shelter:	0	

Notes: 4/15 – WVHS notified about chronic loose dog from Birch Drive; - owner surrendered

OTHER:

SNR certificates sold in April: 1

NOTE: SNR certificates are available by appointment only

* Indicates after hours

Note: Shelter is open by appointment only Monday, Tuesday, Thursday through Sunday, 12-4pm for pre-approved adoptions, return to owners and SNR certificates, visitors and volunteers. *The shelter is now closed on Wednesdays. Animal Control will remain available 24/7.*