Friends of
Chicago Animal
Care and
Control

Chicago Animal Care and Control (CACC) is the municipal shelter for the city of Chicago. It is an openadmission shelter, meaning that any animal brought there must be taken in; therefore, all of the city strays and cruelty confiscates come here. In just the first half of 2023, over 2,500 dogs and over 1,500 cats were brought into CACC.

CACC relies on volunteers to give vital exercise and attention to the 200+ dogs in the facility at any given time. Through Friends of Animal Care and Control, Confide has been actively volunteering with dog walking and helping with adoption events in order to help these animals find a home. The shelter relies on rescue partners (like PAWS) to help find households willing to open their doors to an animal in need for either rescue or adoption.

Municipal shelters across the country are at critical capacity as overbreeding and surrenders/abandonments continue to rise. They can use all the help they can get. Donations of bags food,

treats, toys, or blankets are always welcome. Nearly all shelters are looking for foster homes for animals of all kinds. If you are an animal lover with space in your heart and home to foster or adopt an animal, a shelter or rescue group in your community needs your help!

To learn more, please visit <u>www.fcacc.org</u>.

