

# Attention: Salt Lake City Residents

## Do You *Love* or *Loathe* Cats?

Either way, the Salt Lake City Feral Fix has something for you.

Exclusively for Salt Lake City residents, we are offering you a program that will mean fewer cats, fewer cat nuisances, and fewer of your tax dollars spent dealing with cat overpopulation!

**INTRODUCING** the Salt Lake City Feral Fix Project, a project designed to reduce the number of cats in your city by promoting Trap, Neuter, Return (TNR). TNR is a population management plan where healthy feral cats are trapped with humane box traps, sterilized, vaccinated, and then returned to their habitat and provided with long-term care.\*

### WHY Trap, Neuter, Return (TNR)?

- Thousands of un-owned, stray, free-roaming feral cats are euthanized in Salt Lake City each year. Many of these cats are afraid of humans and therefore not adoptable.
- Evidence shows that traditional trap and remove methods **do not work**. New cats quickly breed to replace the missing cats, perpetuating a never-ending and costly cycle of breeding and euthanizing.
- TNR works – it stops the breeding long term.
- Many people oppose killing as a means of population control, especially when humane and effective alternatives exist.
- TNR increases public health and safety protection, since all TNR'd cats are vaccinated against rabies.
- TNR also focuses on solving feral cat related problems.

### HOW?

Private non-profit animal welfare organizations No More Homeless Pets in Utah, and Community Animal Welfare Society (CAWS) are partnering to offer the following service to Salt Lake City residents:

- **Humane cat traps** are available for loan and trapping workshops are offered to make trapping **easy and safe**. We can even help you trap!\*\*
- **Feral** (un-owned, free-roaming) cats can be spayed/neutered and vaccinated against rabies for **only** \$10. In some cases, the \$10 fee can be waived making this service **free** for those who qualify.\*\*
- **Mediation** between neighbors to solve cat problems.\*\*
- **For more information**, call the Salt Lake Feral Fix at 652-9338. You can leave a message 24 hours a day, 7 days a week and your call will be returned. Salt Lake City Feral Cat related calls **only** please.\*\*\*  
For information on discount spay/neuter programs for pet cats and dogs, please call the No More Homeless Pets in Utah Spay/Neuter Hotline 1-866-PETSFIX (1-866-738-7349).

### DO NOT LIKE CATS IN YOUR YARD?

Information and resources are available on how to humanely keep cats **out!!** We can help solve almost any problem!!\*\*

In order to legally maintain feral cats in Salt Lake City, a person must obtain a \$5 annual registration through Salt Lake County Animal Services, located at 511 West 3900 South in Salt Lake City. For more information on registration requirements, call 269-7499.

*\*(Alley Cat Allies – [www.alleycat.org](http://www.alleycat.org))*

*\*\*Certain Restrictions may apply*

*\*\*\*Every feral cat is the result of someone allowing his or her unfixed cat to roam. If you have an unfixed pet, check out [www.utahpets.org](http://www.utahpets.org) or call 1-866-PETSFIX for terrific discount spay/neuter programs for pets.*

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