Questions	Summit	
Contact Name	Megan & Leslie	
Phone Number	(970) 668-3230	
Population	539,832	
Square Miles	608	
Animal Shleter	Summit County Animal Control and Shelter	
Owner	County	
Operator	County, Non-Profit	
Non-Profit	Provide Some Funds	
Opening	2000	
Square Footage	6,000	
Animals/Year	1,009	474 (Live Animals) + 535 (Cremation)
Capacity		
Dogs	45	
Cats	30	
Livestock	Possible	Emergency situations only - Fairgrounds
Exotics	Yes	Some Rabbits, Rats, Rodents
Annual Budget	$580,999	
Staff	7 FTE + 3 FTE + Volunteers	
Salary Source	County	
Volunteers	100 active	
Funding	County, Fundraisers, & Grants	
Specific Ordinances	Leash Laws & Licensing	Leash Laws=Town Specific, All dogs must be licensed
Animal Control Officer	3 Full Time Officers	
Extra Funds	No	

Questions	Grand	
Contact Name	Robin	
Phone Number	(970)887-2988	
Population	14,458	
Square Miles	1,870	
Animal Shleter	Grand County Animal Shelter	
Owner	Grand County Sherriff's Department	
Operator	Sherriff's Department	
Non-Profit	Grand County Pet Pals	
Opening	Over 10 years ago	
Square Footage	2,500	Approximately
Animals/Year	318	
Capacity		
Dogs	14	
Cats	15	
Livestock	No	Accepted one goat in the last 6 years, emergency only
Exotics	Sometimes	Don't advertise; May be involved in eviction situation
Annual Budget	$226,000	
Staff	3 FTE	All Animal Control Officers, Also magage animal shelter
Salary Source	Grand County Sherriff's Department	
Volunteers	3-4 (committed)	Approximatly 40 volunteers commit limited hours
Funding	Sherriff's Dept & Grand County Pet Pals	Pet pals handles medical costs & apply for grants
Specific Ordinances	Leash Laws	Only one town in the county requires leashes - must enforce
Animal Control Officer	3 Full Time Officers	Only employees at the animal shelter
Extra Funds	No	

Questions	La Plata	
Contact Name	Chris Nelson	
Phone Number	(970) 259-2847	
Population	51,917	
Square Miles	1,700	
Animal Shleter	La Plata County Humane Society	
Owner	Non-Profit with County Contributions	
Operator	Non-Profit	County runs the animal control officer budget/employment
Non-Profit	Primary Provider of Funds	
Opening	1997	Remolded twice since the opening of the shelter
Square Footage	5,000	
Animals/Year	3,000	
Capacity		
Dogs	55-60	
Cats	55-60 (Max 75 with kittens)	
Livestock	Possible	Emergency situations only - Fairgrounds
Exotics	Possible	No special space, but have accomodated
Annual Budget	$850,000	Does not include animal control officer salary - county
Staff	18-20 FTE + 4-5 PTE	
Salary Source	Non-profit (80%) + County/City (20%)	THRIFT SHOP - Very successful sources of funds
Volunteers	500 active	Must be members to become volunteers -$25 annual fee
Funding	Thrift Shop, Fundraisers, County, Services	Services=Spay/Nueter, Adoption Fees, Vaccine, Retail Items
Specific Ordinances	Impact Permit	Pay more to license a non-fixed animal
Animal Control Officer	Seven Officers	Six full time and One part time director
Extra Funds	No	

Questions		San Miguel
Contact Name	Dan Rider	Full time animal control officer for 10 years
Phone Number	(970)728-3818	
Population	7,359	
Square Miles	1,288	
Animal Shleter	Town of Telluride	Animal control office
Owner	No	Holding Facility, Attached to Waste Water Treatment Facility
Operator	Town of Telluride	
Non-Profit	Town of Telluride	Serves Telluride, San Miguel County, & Mountain Village
Opening	1989	
Square Footage	1,000	Has a kitchen
Animals/Year	40 Dogs	98 Dog Days=Avg dog in facility for 2.5 days
Capacity		
Dogs	10+	
Cats	None	Do not accept cats
Livestock	No	
Exotics	No	
Annual Budget	Funds Necessary	Full time animal control officer, Part time dog enforcement
Staff	PTE	Dan is the animal control officer most frequently present
Salary Source	Town of Telluride	San Miguel County and Mountain Village also provide some
Volunteers	None	
Funding	Government	
Specific Ordinances	Very Few	Last Amended 1982, Town of Telluride has specific ordinances
Animal Control Officer	No	Town of telluride has animal control officer - outsourced to
Extra Funds	No	

Questions	Garfield	
Contact Name	Leslie	
Phone Number	1-866-947-9173	
Population	56,270	
Square Miles	2,956	
Animal Shleter	Colorado Animal Rescue	
Owner	Non-Profit	Contract with Garfield County = $300,000
Operator	Non-Profit Organization	CARE
Non-Profit	Yes	Provide about 60% of the budget
Opening	2000	Board members managed animals in the homes prior to
Square Footage	6,000	
Animals/Year	800	Approximation based on website info
Capacity		
Dogs	40	isolation wing, holding area, section for “not yet adoptable"
Cats	60	May fit 80 kittens comfortably
Livestock	Yes	Largest they can accommodate is a goat
Exotics	Yes	Have designated space, try to move out quickly though
Annual Budget	$700,000	
Staff	12 FTE +2 PTE	
Salary Source	Non-Profit	County also provides $300,000 towards funding
Volunteers	150 active	
Funding	Non-Profit, Garfield County, Glenwood Springs	Contribution from Glenwood is minimal, apply for grants,
Specific Ordinances	Each city has own rules	Shelter sells county licenses for dogs
Animal Control Officer	2	Employed by the county
Extra Funds	No	

Questions	Routt	
Contact Name	Krista	
Phone Number	(970) 879-0621	
Population	23,239	
Square Miles	2,638	
Animal Shleter	Steamboat Springs/Routt County Animal Shelter	
Owner		
Operator		
Non-Profit		
Opening		
Square Footage		
Animals/Year		
Capacity		
Dogs		
Cats		
Livestock		
Exotics		
Annual Budget		
Staff		
Salary Source		
Volunteers		
Funding		
Specific Ordinances		
Animal Control Officer		
Extra Funds		

Questions	Chaffee	
Contact Name	Laurie	
Phone Number	(719) 395-2737	
Population	17,932	
Square Miles	1,015	
Animal Shleter	Ark Valley Humane Society	
Owner		
Operator		
Non-Profit		
Opening		
Square Footage		
Animals/Year		
Capacity		
Dogs		
Cats		
Livestock		
Exotics		
Annual Budget		
Staff		
Salary Source		
Volunteers		
Funding		
Specific Ordinances		
Animal Control Officer		
Extra Funds		