

Feral cats are being fixed and vaccinated in your neighborhood

All feral cats are **returned** to your neighborhood after being fixed for **FREE** at Humane Society Silicon Valley (HSSV).

How does TNR help the cats and neighborhood?

Santa Clara County has over 200,000 outdoor feral or stray cats roaming the streets.

Trap-neuter-return (TNR) is the only way to **stop population growth**, and **prevent diseases, fighting, breeding**, and **suffering**. Unspayed female cats can give birth up to **FOUR** times per year. She and her offspring can become 50 or more cats in a year!

Why spay/neuter and vaccinate?

- **Unvaccinated and unfixed cats** are exposed to and spread feline diseases such as panleukopenia, calicivirus, herpes, feline immunodeficiency virus, and leukemia.
- **Unfixed females** suffer from repeated pregnancies, breast & ovarian cancers, and have high risk of inflammation of the uterus (pyometra).
- **Unfixed males** fight and get severe wounds; they spray & stink.



Fixed feral cats have an ear tip

Are our pets getting trapped?

Pets, friendly cats, cats with collars, and microchipped cats are **NOT** trapped.

How can I help?

Please text or call 408-384-8694 if you...

- Care for or **feed feral or stray cats**
- **See kittens** or hear meowing
- Have **pets** that need spay/neuter
- Want to **help trap** (our favorite!)



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Thank you for doing your part to save lives!