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Web Design Fundamentals

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**GitHub Link**

<https://shaunam1.github.io/WDFAnimalShelter/index.html>

**Initial Proposal**

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## 1. Proposed 4 Page Web Site Topic

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| I will create a website for an animal shelter.  The intended audience is animal lovers in the Leitrim/Donegal/Sligo area.  The website will aim to increase the number of animals finding new homes and decrease the number of animals in the shelter. It will help people to find their ideal pet.  The website will be easy to navigate and visually appealing. |

## 2. Proposed Design

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| The website logo will be an image of a dog and cat.    <https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Logo_Susy_Utzinger_Stiftung_f%C3%BCr_Tierschutz.jpg>  The website will have a navigation bar under the header with links to each page of the website.  The colour scheme will be white, grey, and light blue and orange.  I will get information from:  DSPCA website <https://www.dspca.ie/>  Leitrim Animal Welfare website <https://leitrimanimalwelfare.weebly.com/>  Animals in Need Donegal website <https://animalsinneeddonegal.com/> |

## 3. Proposed Design of each page content

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| **Home:** Recent updates, description of the charity, and images of the shelter facility.  **Animals for Rehoming:** pictures of each animal up for adoption and a description of the animals.  **Success Stories:** Pictures and stories of animals who were successfully rehomed by the shelter.  **Adoption Application:** those hoping to adopt an animal can fill out a form about themselves and the type of pet they want to be matched with the animal that best fits their lifestyle.  **Contact Us:** Information about how visitors to the website can get in contact with the shelter.  Font types:  Roboto, Open Sans  Sources:  <https://animalsinneeddonegal.com/>  <https://leitrimanimalwelfare.weebly.com/>  <https://animalsinneeddonegal.com/> |

## 4. Rough Proposed sketch of website home page -

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**Description of pages**

Index/Home: This is the home page of the shelter’s website. It displays recent news updates about the shelter. At the bottom of the page there is an Animal Sounds Library where you can click to listen to different animal sounds.

About Us: This page gives some information about the history of the shelter, what Sligo Animal Shelter does, introduces the team and shares the shelter’s biggest rescue mission to date.

Animals for Rehoming: This page shows all the animals that are available for rehoming and gives a brief description about each of them. This page also gives information about the adoption process. It also shows a list of all the types of animals the shelter takes care of.

Success Stories: This page shares some stories about animals that have been adopted from the shelter and the people who adopted them. At the bottom of the page there is a table showing statistics about the shelter from 2019-2024.

Adoption Application: This page has a form which users can fill out to begin the adoption process

Contact Us: This page has a map that shows the location of the shelter and gives information about the address, opening hours, contact information, and social media usernames.

**Sources of Information**

I came up with some of the text on the website such as the information about the pets and the steps in the adoption process on the Animals for Rehoming page.

Most of the text is from Wikipedia articles that relate to the subject of the page in question. For example, on the Index/Home page the information in the news articles come from Wikipedia articles about German Shepard dogs, kittens, and dog parks as that is what those articles relate to.

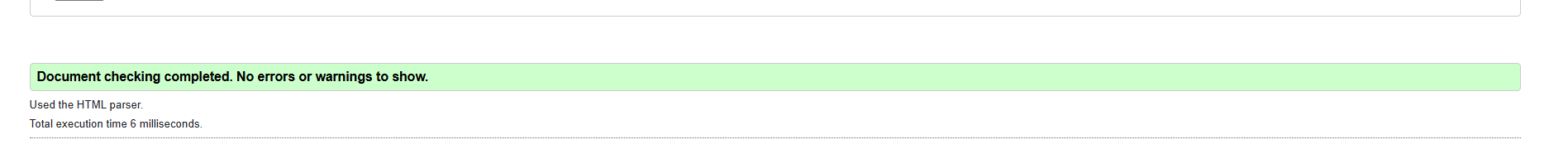
**W3C Validation Results**

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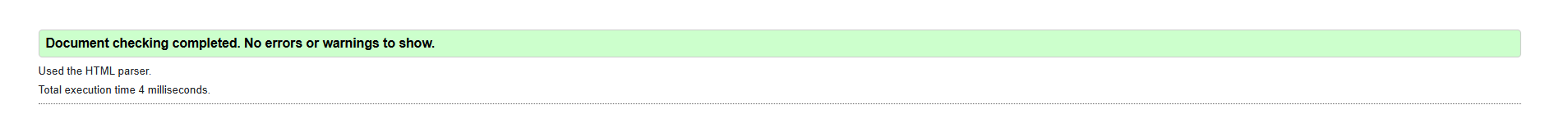
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