Lottie - Behavioral Euth.

Trenton Humane Law Enforcement and Animal Services

☐ RELATED CASE ☐ SEE CONTINUATION

INCIDENT REPORT

CASE NO. _____ STATE LAB ☐

CASE NO.							CAGE NO.
26-5-1-8885	☐ BITE CASE ☐ ABANDONED ☐ CONFISCATED	☒ STRAY ☐ DOA ☐ ELUDED	☐ STRUCK ☐ FOSTER ☐ AT VET	☐ RELEASE ☐ GOA ☐ POL. RAID	☐ CRUELTY ☐ EUTHANIZED ☐ WILDLIFE		

TIME:	LOCATION OF INCIDENT:	BITE CASE: ☐ Y ☐ N ☐ PEOPLE ☐ PET	COMPLAINTANT ☐ OWNER ☐ OFFICER ☐ VICTIM ☐ WITNESS
5:30pm	58 Hart Ave		

NAME:	SEX: ☐ M ☐ F RACE:	DOB	PHONE #

ADDRESS:	CITY	STATE	ZIP

☒ DOG ☐ PUPPY ☐ CAT ☐ KITTEN ☐ BAT ☐ OPOSSUM	☐ SQUIRREL ☐ BIRD ☐ SNAKE ☐ RACCOON ☐ DEER ☐ OTHER	SEX: ☐ M ☒ F AGE: 5+ (Yr/Mo) LBS. 70	FRAME SIZE: ☐ SMALL ☐ MEDIUM ☐ LARGE	COLLAR: ☐ Y ☐ N TAG # _____ YEAR: _____ JURISDICTION: _____	HOW WAS THE ANIMAL CAPTURED? ☐ CONTROL STICK ☐ LEAD ☐ DOA ☐ GOA ☐ NET ☐ ELUDED CAPTURE ☐ TRAP ☐ OTHER, EXPLAIN ☐ HAND ☐ CHEMICAL CAP

BREED: Pitbull COLOR: Tan/White	COAT: ☐ LONG ☐ SHORT ☐ CURLY ☐ WIRE	EARS: ☐ DROP ☐ PRICKED ☐ ROSE ☐ CROPPED	TAIL: ☐ LONG ☐ BUSHY ☐ SHORT ☐ DOCKED ☐ CURLY ☐ FEATHERED	UNUSUAL MARKINGS:

IMMUNIZATION	WORMED	RABIES VACCINATION	EUTHANIZED
DATE: 5/1/26	DATE: 5/1/26	DATE: _____	DATE: _____ TIME: _____
INITIALS: CR	INITIALS: CR	NUMBER: _____	CC: _____ INITIALS: _____
		VET: _____	

MEDICATIONS: _____ X _____ TYPE: _____ ☐ S ☐ M ☐ T ☐ W ☐ T ☐ F ☐ S

DETAILS OF INCIDENT, VET CARE & MEDICATIONS: ☐ SPAYED ☐ NEUTERED

Please see the attached report and documentation

RELEASE:

☐ In signing this form, I hereby relinquish all rights to my pet, giving full and complete ownership and custody of my pet to the City of Trenton. I further certify under oath, that I am the legal owner of the described animal.

☐ Under penalty of law, I certify that my pet has not bitten or scratched any person or other animal in the past fifteen days.

☐ I fully realize and understand that my pet may be put to sleep, and I authorize the City of Trenton or its representative to remove and dispose of its remains.

SIGNATURE X **DATE:**

ADOPTION:

☐ I have adopted the above described animal from the City of Trenton, Humane Law Enforcement and Animal Services.

SIGNATURE X **DATE:**

OWNER'S NAME	SEX: ☐ M ☐ F RACE:	DOB	SS #

ADDRESS:	CITY	STATE	ZIP	PHONE #

REDEMPTION:

☐ I have redeemed the above described animal which was impounded by the City of Trenton, Humane Law Enforcement and Animal Services. I further swear and affirm that I am the legal owner of said animal.

SIGNATURE X **DATE:**

SUMMONS ISSUED: ☐ Y ☐ N	SUMMONS #	COURT DATE:

OFFICER: Reyes #3743	DATE: 5/1/26	TIME COMPLETED:
SUPERVISOR:	QUARANTINED: ☐ Y ☐ N	DATE:

5/1/2026
Location: 58 Hart Ave
Time: 5:30
End of call: 7:00pm

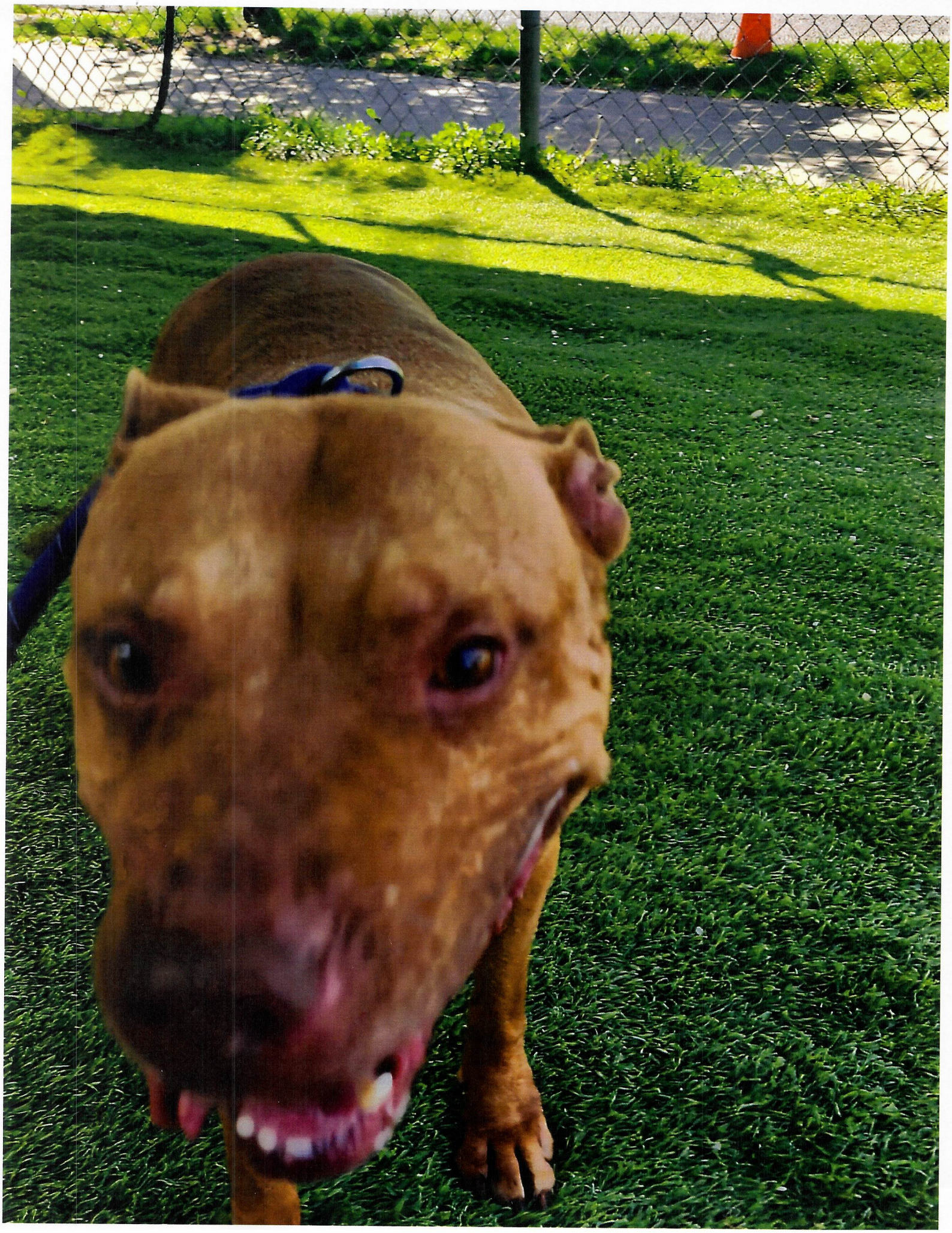
On the above date and time, I Ofc. Reyes was contacted by Officer J. Coffield concerning dogs found in a vacant property. Upon arrival Officer J. Coffield was already on scene and was informed that the previous residents had passed away and dogs were left in the house with water and food. Please see TPD report #26-004475. Two dog cages were found filled with dog feces and residue of vomiting. Dogs appeared to be in good health. Dogs were brought to TAS, and during intake they were scanned for microchip, no chip was found. A vet appointment has been made for a medical evaluation for one of the dogs. Please all attached photos.





Case Number: 26-004475

Officer J. Coffield
Trenton Police Department
(609) 989-3905



INOCULATION FORM

26-5-1-8885

Trenton Humane Law Enforcement and Animal Services
72 Escher Street, Trenton, NJ 08608
(609) 989-3254

5, 1, 26

Lottie

Dear New Pet Owner:

The personnel at the Bureau of Animal Control have inoculated your Puppy/Dog for the following:

- ✓ **A. Distemper**
- ✓ **B. Adenovirus Type 2**
- ✓ **C. Parainfluenza**
- ✓ **D. Leptospira Bacterin**
- ✓ **E. Parvovirus**
- ✓ **F. Coronavirus**
- ✓ **G. Bordetella**



WORMED: ____/____/____ 5/1/26 ____/____/____

The City of Trenton offers the above shots and worming free of charge.

The members of the Bureau of Animal Control would like to thank you for choosing our facility to adopt your new best friend. We wish you both many happy and healthy years together.

We recommend that you take your newly adopted pet to a veterinarian of your choice within the next five (5) days to assure its good health.

SIGNATURE

PLEASE HELP CONTROL THE POPULATION OF UNWANTED ANIMALS BY HAVING YOUR PET SPAYED OR NEUTERED.

INOCULATION FORM

26-5-1-8885

Trenton Humane Law Enforcement and Animal Services
72 Escher Street, Trenton, NJ 08608
(609) 989-3254

5, 1, 26

Lottie

Dear New Pet Owner:

The personnel at the Bureau of Animal Control have inoculated your Puppy/Dog for the following:

- ✓ A. Distemper
- ✓ B. Adenovirus Type 2
- ✓ C. Parainfluenza
- ✓ D. Leptospira Bacterin
- ✓ E. Parvovirus
- ✓ F. Coronavirus
- ✓ G. Bordetella



WORMED: ___/___/___ 5, 1, 26 ___/___/___

The City of Trenton offers the above shots and worming free of charge.

The members of the Bureau of Animal Control would like to thank you for choosing our facility to adopt your new best friend. We wish you both many happy and healthy years together.

We recommend that you take your newly adopted pet to a veterinarian of your choice within the next five (5) days to assure its good health.

SIGNATURE

PLEASE HELP CONTROL THE POPULATION OF UNWANTED ANIMALS BY HAVING YOUR PET SPAYED OR NEUTERED.

INVOICE

The Bridge Clinic - Bensalem
1 Declaration Drive Unit D
Bensalem PA 19020
Tel: 215-639-3333
Email: info@thebridgeclinic.org

Quality, Nonprofit Veterinary Care

Client:
City of Trenton Animal Shelter City of Trenton Animal Shelter
72 Escher Street
Trenton NJ 08609

Patient ID: 69441
Invoice Date: 13-May 2026
Invoice Number: 362300
Patient: Lottie City of Trenton Animal Shelter

58 lb/ Pit Bull/Spayed Female/ Tan and white/

Age:5.0
Chip ID: 941000032433662

Product / Service	Quantity	Price (Exc)	Trans Surcharge %	Amount
Dog Spay Female (40-70lbs)	1.00	225.00	2.5%	230.63
Mass Removal - A	1.00	335.00	2.5%	343.38
LAB 4Dx PLUS (7244)	1.00	45.58	2.5%	0.00
Carprofen 100mg tablet	5.00	30.00	2.5%	0.00
Microchip	1.00	24.00	2.5%	0.00
Telazol/TTD	0.60	0.00	2.5%	0.00
Buprenorphine 0.5mg/ml (injected at clinic)	1.20	0.00	2.5%	0.00
Nail Trim – Dog	1.00	20.00	2.5%	0.00
Ear Cleaning	1.00	18.00	2.5%	0.00
			Subtotal	697.58
			Transaction Surcharge	14.01
			TOTAL	574.01
			AMOUNT DUE	**574.01**

Quality, Nonprofit Veterinary Care

Microchip Information

Your pet's microchip is with 24Petwatch. There are no other charges that you will incur after purchase of the chip for registration purposes. ***To make sure your animals microchip is registered correctly please visit mypethealth.com/start and verify that your information and your pet's information is correct. The microchip # for your pet can be found on the paperwork from The Bridge Clinic. Please make sure all information in 24Petwatch for you and your pet is correct. If you move or information changes on your pet, please make sure you update or change the information with 24Petwatch. Thank you!***

Procedure:

Routine canine OHE - TTD to induce, etube placed, iso to maintain. Aseptic ventral prep. Midline laparotomy. Ovaries exteriorized and pedicles ligated with 2-0 PDS in modified miller's knots. Broad ligament digitally broken down. Uterine body ligated with 2-0 PDS in a modified miller's knot. Body wall closed with 2-0 PDS in a simple continuous pattern. Skin closed in an intradermal pattern using 2-0 PDS with dead space tacked down at the cranial and caudal aspects of the incision.

Two SQ masses were clipped, prepped and draped. Small skin incision over masses. SQ dissection bluntly. some blood vessels ligated with 2-0 PDS in modified millers. Both masses were cystic in appearance. SQ closed using 2-0 PDS in simple continuous. Skin edges closed using 2-0 PDS in intradermal pattern.

Tissue glue and green tattoo applied. Buprenorphine SQ post op, and NSAID (see invoice for label) TGH. Recovery unremarkable.

Test results (if any) -

Anesthetic Recovery:

Your pet underwent general anesthesia today as part of their procedure. They may be tired, sedate, and unstable on their feet for the next 12-24 hours. Please limit their activity, no running, jumping or playing for 7-10 days. Do not allow them to lick their incision site, an e-collar may be provided if you have an issue. Please offer only a small amount of canned food tonight, and allow them to recover in a quiet, calm and safe place. Some animals (especially dogs) will vocalize and act agitated during this period. This is considered a normal variant in some animals and does not necessarily indicate a problem. (Remember they do not understand why they feel uncoordinated or irregular, which can be stressful). Please attempt to keep them calm and feeling cared for as that can help reduce their anxiety. Additionally, some animals may feel nauseous following anesthesia and may vomit a small amount or have a reduced appetite. This is also normal and should resolve within 24-48 hours. If you are at all concerned about your pet, beyond these normal post anesthetic issues, please contact us or an emergency veterinarian for guidance. Thank you.

VISIT THE BRIDGE CLINIC'S *ONLINE PHARMACY*!

My VetStore Online

Thousands of products available

From prescriptions, to flea and tick preventative, Rx food, and much more!

thebridge.myvetstoreonline.pharmacy

Lottie 's

microchip information

24Petwatch®



941000032433662

Keep your info up to date

mypethealth.com/start

24Petwatch®

Free to register, plus every microchip registered comes with standard lost pet services included

®24Petwatch, 24Petwatch & Design, and related words and logos and registered trademarks and the property of Pethealth Services (USA) Inc.

1 888 433-9987

LOTTIE CITY OF TRENTON ANIMAL SHELTER

PET OWNER: **CITY OF TRENTON ANIMAL SHELTER**
SPECIES: Canine
BREED:
GENDER: Male Neutered
AGE: 5 Years
PATIENT ID: 69441

THE BRIDGE CLINIC
1 DECLARATION DR
BENSALEM, PA 19020
215-639-3333
ACCOUNT #: 31929
ATTENDING VET: Alexandra McGrath

LAB ID: 2116570881
ORDER ID: 322307709
COLLECTION DATE: **5/13/26**
DATE OF RECEIPT: **5/14/26**
DATE OF RESULT: **5/14/26**

IDEXX Services: **Lab 4Dx® Plus Test—Canine (Non-export)**

Serology

5/14/26 (Order Received)
5/14/26 1:58 PM (Last Updated)

TEST		RESULT
Heartworm Antigen	a	Negative
Ehrlichia spp.	b	Negative
Lyme (Borrelia burgdorferi)		Negative
Anaplasma spp.		Negative

a This test is not suitable for export. If testing is required for export, please select test codes marked "export".

View your results in VetConnect PLUS for patient-specific interpretations that incorporate clinical signs. Further information on the diagnosis and management of tick/vector-borne diseases can be found at idexx.com/4DxGuide.

b This test is not suitable for export. If testing is required for export, please select test codes marked "export".

© 2025 IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. All rights reserved. US D1072841 S.

Yardville Animal Hospital
401 Route 156
Yardville, NJ 08620
United States
(609) 585-6599

GENERATED: 5/5/2026 11:54 AM

Client Information

Trenton Animal Control (TAS) - Trenton Animal Control
72 Escher Street
Trenton, NJ 08608
(609) 989-3254

Patient Information

Name	Lottie	Species	Canine	Weight	66.80001 LBS
Sex	Female	Breed	STAFFORDSHIRE TERRIER MIX	Microchip	NONE
Status	Active	DOB	5/4/2021		
Id	24364	Age	5 years		
Color	Brown	Tag	NONE		

Weight History

Date	Weight
5/4/2026	66.80001 LBS

Reminders

Description	Due Date
Total Body Function	5/4/2027
Accuplex	5/4/2027
Ova and Parasite/Giardia (ELISA)	5/4/2027
Rabies 3 year	5/4/2027

Medical Chart from 5/4/2021 - 5/4/2026

Service on 5/4/2026

5/4/2026 12:40 PM **Exam** SOAP format Miriam P.Samet , D.V.M.

Weight 66.80001 LBS (30.3003 KG)

Subjective

pt presents for rescued from apartment
alone for a month, prev. owner died
irritated eyes
hives all over
alopecia
lump on L flank
2 in. large Mammary Lump - 2nd gland on L

temp. 102.5

large mammary lump, 2 large growths one on left flank, one on 2nd mg of left
hives, alopecia, dermatitis and flaking
eyelid margins are pinker than normal but eyes appear wnl, no discharge
heart murmur
blood in stool on rectal-frank

Objective

heart murmur

Assessment

skin issues
blood in stool

Plan

PE, RV 1 yr, TBF, 4dx, fecal, Cefpo 200mg 1.5 SID, Metro 500mg 1 BID

5/4/2026 12:40 PM **Inventory Item** Cefpodoxime 200mg 21 tablet Miriam P.Samet , D.V.M.

Rx #: 29102, Name: Cefpodoxime 200mg, Start Date: 5/4/2026
Refill: 0, Expiration: 10/31/2027
Give 1.5 tablets by mouth every 24 hours (once daily) until completely finished. Give with a full meal. May cause GI upset. Please let us know if you notice any GI upset symptoms such as vomiting, diarrhea, or not wanting to eat.

5/4/2026 12:44 PM **Inventory Item** Metronidazole 500mg 14 tablet Miriam P.Samet , D.V.M.

Rx #: 29103, Name: Metronidazole 500mg, Start Date: 5/4/2026
Refill: 0, Expiration: 11/30/2027
Give 1 tablet by mouth every 12 hours (twice daily) until completely finished. Give with a full meal. May cause GI upset. Please let us know if you notice any GI upset symptoms such as vomiting, diarrhea, or not wanting to eat.

Requested On: 5/5/2026 2:22:00 AM

Accession Id: NYEA02372598

Test	Value	Range	Units	Status	Comments
13101 - T4					
T4	1.9	0.8 - 3.5	UG/DL		

Requested On: 5/5/2026 2:22:00 AM

Accession Id: NYEA02372598

Test	Value	Range	Units	Status	Comments
Diagnosis of canine hypothyroidism: for dogs with consistent clinical signs and without non-thyroidal illness, a low-to-low normal T4 concentration (e.g., <1.0 ug/dL) could support hypothyroidism. Assessment of free T4 by ED, TSH and possibly thyroglobulin autoantibodies (TGAA) can aid in the diagnosis. Canine hypothyroidism and synthetic T4 titration: Sample at 4 to 6 hours after dosing and aim for T4 concentrations in the mid to just above the upper end of the reference interval. Dose reduction should be considered when T4 concentration is greater than approximately 6.0 ug/dL. Always interpret results alongside the patient's clinical signs and response to treatment.					
13117 - Complete Blood Count					
HCT	53	36 - 60	%		
Platelet Estimate	Adequate				
Neutrophils	81	60 - 77	%	**HIGH**	
Bands	0	0 - 3	%		
Lymphocytes	12	12 - 30	%		
Monocytes	6	3 - 10	%		
Eosinophils	1	2 - 10	%	**LOW**	
Basophils	0	0 - 1	%		
Absolute Neutrophils	14742	2060 - 10600	/UL	**HIGH**	
Absolute Lymphocytes	2184	690 - 4500	/UL		
Absolute Monocytes	1092	0 - 840	/UL	**HIGH**	
Absolute Eosinophils	182	0 - 1200	/UL		
Absolute Basophils	0	0 - 150	/UL		
WBC	18.2	4.0 - 15.5	1000/UL	**HIGH**	
Platelet Count	368	170 - 400	X1000/UL		
RBC	8.0	4.8 - 9.3	1000000/UL		
MCV	66	58 - 79	FL		
HGB	18.9	12.1 - 20.3	G/DL		
MCHC	36	30 - 38	G/DL		
MCH	23.7	19 - 28	PG		
13315 - SuperChem					
Total Protein	7.0	5.0 - 7.4	g/dL		
Albumin	3.5	2.7 - 4.4	g/dL		
Globulin	3.5	1.6 - 3.6	g/dL		
A/G Ratio	1.0	0.8 - 2.0			

Requested On: 5/5/2026 2:22:00 AM

Accession Id: NYEA02372598

Test	Value	Range	Units	Status	Comments
AST (SGOT)	137	15 - 66	IU/L	**HIGH**	
ALT (SGPT)	97	12 - 118	IU/L		
Alk Phosphatase	74	5 - 131	IU/L		
GGTP	3	1 - 12	IU/L		
SDMA	9.1		UG/dL		
BUN/Creatinine Ratio	30	4 - 27		**HIGH**	
NA/K RATIO	32	27 - 38			
Triglycerides	61	29 - 291	mg/dL		
Amylase	433	290 - 1125	IU/L		
PrecisionPSL	137	24 - 140	U/L		Pancreatitis is unlikely, but a normal PrecisionPSL result does not completely exclude pancreatitis as a cause for gastrointestinal signs.
CPK	2043	59 - 895	IU/L	**HIGH**	
Magnesium	2.2	1.5 - 2.5	mEq/L.		
Sodium	146	139 - 154	MEQ/L		
Potassium	4.6	3.6 - 5.5	MEQ/L		
Chloride	106	102 - 120	MEQ/L		
Total Bilirubin	0.2	0.1 - 0.3	MG/DL		
Urea Nitrogen	24	6 - 31	MG/DL		
Creatinine	0.8	0.5 - 1.6	MG/DL		
Phosphorus	3.7	2.5 - 6.0	MG/DL		
Glucose	38	70 - 138	MG/DL	**LOW**	
Calcium	10.1	8.9 - 11.4	MG/DL		
Cholesterol	261	92 - 324	MG/DL		
13204 - Ova and Parasite with Giardia					
Ova and Parasite	NONE SEEN				
Giardia(ELISA)	NEGATIVE				
11630 - Accuplex					
Heartworm	No Antigen Detected				Heartworm antigen was not detected in this sample. Antigen tests detect adult, female worms. Detectable antigenemia develops approximately 5-9 months, post infection. Please see: American Heartworm Society Guidelines.
Borrelia burgdorferi	Negative				C6 antibodies are NOT detected. Seroconversion occurs 4 to 6 weeks after exposure. Clinical signs of Lyme, should they occur, develop later (2-5 months or more).

Requested On: 5/5/2026 2:22:00 AM

Accession Id: NYEA02372598

Test	Value	Range	Units	Status	Comments
Ehrlichia spp.	Negative				
Ehrlichia spp. antibodies are NOT detected. Seroconversion occurs 2 to 4 weeks after exposure. If acute ehrlichiosis is suspected (e.g., lethargy, inappetence, anorexia, weight loss, fever, epistaxis, petechiation, lymphadenopathy, splenomegaly, thrombocytopenia), CBC and PCR testing (U.S. test code T960 / Canada test code CT960) should be considered. ***Test update: Accuplex now detects antibodies to additional Ehrlichia species to include E. canis, E. ewingii, and E. chaffeensis.***					
Anaplasma phagocytophilum	Negative				
Anaplasma spp. antibodies are NOT detected. Seroconversion occurs 2 to 4 weeks after exposure. If acute anaplasmosis is suspected (e.g., lethargy, fever, stiffness, lameness, lymphadenopathy, splenomegaly, neurological signs (less common)), CBC and PCR testing (U.S. test code T960 / Canada test code CT960) should be considered. Please see: CAPC Guidelines Ehrlichia spp. and Anaplasma spp. ***Test update: Accuplex now detects antibodies to A. phagocytophilum and A. platys.***					

5/4/2026 1:05 PM	**Procedure**	Rabies Canine, 1yr	Miriam P.Samet , D.V.M.

RABIES VACCINATION CERTIFICATE

NASPHV FORM 51 (revised 2007)

RABIES TAG # *

MICROCHIP #

Owner's Name & Address Print Clearly

LAST: Animal Control (TAS) | FIRST: Trenton | M.I.:

TELEPHONE #: (609) 989-3254

NO.: 72 | STREET: Escher Street | CITY: Trenton | STATE: NJ | ZIP: 08608

SPECIES: Dog [X] Cat [ ] Ferret [ ] Other: [ ] (specify)

AGE: 5 Months [ ] Years [X]

SEX: [ ] Male [X] Female [ ] Neutered

SIZE: Under 20 lbs. [ ] 20 - 50 lbs. [ ] Over 50 lbs. [X]

PREDOMINANT BREED: STAFFORDSHIRE TERRIER MIX

PREDOMINANT COLORS/MARKINGS: Brown

ANIMAL NAME: Lottie

Animal Control License [X] 1 Yr [ ] 3 Yr [ ] Other 0 months

DATE VACCINATED

05/04/26

Month / Day / Year

Product Name: Rabies Canine, 1yr

Manufacturer: (First 3 letters) N o b

[X] 1 Yr USDA Licensed Vaccine
[ ] 3 Yr USDA Licensed Vaccine
[ ] 4 Yr USDA Licensed Vaccine

NEXT VACCINATION DUE BY:

05/04/27

Month / Day / Year

[ ] Initial dose [X] Booster dose

810882

Vaccine Serial (lot) Number

Veterinarian's Name: Miriam P.Samet , D.V.M.

License Number: VIO4534

Veterinarian's Signature

Address: Yardville Animal Hospital
401 Route 156
Yardville, NJ 08620
(609) 585-6599

26-5-1-8886

Medical Treatment Sheet

Animal Name Lottie Case # _____ **Species** Canine **Date Started** 5/20/26

Prescribing Veterinarian DR Samet

Medication Doxycycline Dose 100mg 3 TAB Frequency 12 HR Duration Finish

Date	5/20/26	5/21/26	5/22/26	5/23/26	5/24/26	5/25/26	5/26/26
AM	KS	KS	KS	MC	MC	KS	KS
Noon							
PM	KS	KS	KS	MC	MC	KS	MC

Medication _____ Dose _____ Frequency _____ Duration _____

Date	5/27/26	5/28/26	5/29/26	5/30/26	5/31/26	6/1/26	6/2/26
AM	KS	MC	MC	DP	DP	KS	MC
Noon							
PM	MC	KS	MC	DP	DP		MC

Medication _____ Dose _____ Frequency _____ Duration _____

Complete

Date	6/3/26						
AM	KS						
Noon							
PM							

26-5-1-8886

Medical Treatment Sheet

Animal Name Lottie **Species** CANINE **Date Started** 5/13/26

Prescribing Veterinarian The Bridge Clinic

Medication CARPROFEN Dose 100mg Frequency 1/2 TAB 12 HR Duration _____

Complete

Date	5/13/26	5/14/26	5/15/26	5/16/26	5/17/26	5/18/26	
AM		ICS	ME	ICS	DP		
Noon							
PM	KS	KS		KS	ME		

Medication Cefpodoxime Dose _____ Frequency 1.5 Every 24 Duration _____

Complete

Date	5/18/26	5/19/26					
AM	MC	MC					
Noon							
PM							

Medication _____ Dose _____ Frequency _____ Duration _____

Date							
AM							
Noon							
PM							

26-5-1-8886

Medical Treatment Sheet

Animal Name Lottie **Species** Dog **Date Started** 5/4/26

Prescribing Veterinarian Dr Samet

Medication Cefpodoxime Dose _____ Frequency 1.5 tabs ~~Every 24~~ Duration _____

Date	5/4/26	5/5/26	5/6/26	5/7/26	5/8/26	5/9/26	5/10/26
AM		KS	KS	KS	MC	MM	DP
Noon							
PM	MC				DP		

Medication metronidazole Dose _____ Frequency 1 tab ~~Every 12~~ Duration _____

Complete

Date	5/4/26	5/5/26	5/6/26	5/7/26	5/8/26	5/9/26	5/10/26	5/11/26
AM		KS	KS	KS	MC	MM	DP	KS
Noon								
PM	MC	KS	KS	KS	DP			

Medication Cefpodoxime Dose _____ Frequency 1.5 Every 24 Duration _____

Date	5/11/26	5/12/26	5/13/26	5/14/26	5/15/26	5/16/26	5/17/26
AM	MC	MC	VET	KS	MC	KS	DP
Noon							
PM							

Outlook

Lottie Behavioral Assessment 5/7/26

From Collin Roche <courageouscanines@gmail.com>
Date Fri 5/8/2026 8:55 AM
To Nicole Marie Dawson <ndawson@trentonnj.org>; Glenda Grant-Roberts <GGrant-Roberts@trentonnj.org>; Diego Minacapelli <cminacapelli@trentonnj.org>; Alfredo Montoya <JMontoya@trentonnj.org>; Mariano Cruz <MCruz@trentonnj.org>; Edith Munoz <EMunoz@trentonnj.org>; Carlos Reyes <CReyes@trentonnj.org>; Erik Anderson <EAnderson@trentonnj.org>; Luis Pedemonte <lpedemonte@trentonnj.org>

Lottie Behavioral Assessment Summary

Fear, Anxiety, & Stress (FAS) Level in Kennel

- This item rates the dog's apparent stress level in their kennel on a scale from 0-5, with 0 being minimally stressed and 5 being excessively stressed

FAS Score: Level 0

Body Condition Score

- This item rates the dog's body condition on a scale from 1-9, with 1-3 being underweight, 4-5 being ideal, and 6-9 being overweight
- Underweight dogs may be more prone to resource guarding

Body Condition Score: 6 Points

SAFER Assessment

- Dogs scoring "1s" and "2s" on their assessment are less likely to bite under ordinary living situations when handled in a mildly stressful or moderately awkward manner.
- Dogs that score "3s" may be safe and inhibit their bite, but they could be made safer by putting them on a behavior modification program.
- Dogs that score "4s" may have serious fear or intolerance issues and should either receive behavior modification training and then be reassessed, or only be adopted out to experienced adopters ready to manage the dog's issues.
- Dogs that score "5s" - especially on any of the first four assessment items - have the highest probability to be a serious danger to staff, volunteers and visitors to the facility.

Score Per SAFER Item

1. **Look Test: 1 Point**
2. **Sensitivity Test: 2 Points**
3. **Tag Play Test: 1 Point**
4. **Squeeze Test: 1 Point**
    a. **Squeeze Test #2 or Alternate: 1 Point**
5. **Food Behavior Test: 1 Point**

6. **Toy Behavior Test: 1 Point**
    a. **Rawhide Behavior Test: 1 Point**
7. **Dog Social Test: 2 Points**

Color Code:

Blue dogs are generally sociable and friendly with people and other dogs, but may mouth people lightly, jump on people intensely, pull hard on leash and/or grab it playfully

Assessment Summary:

Lottie did relatively well on all test items. She can pull relatively hard on leash, and may jump high and mouth with moderate pressure when excited in a way that may overwhelm small children. Lottie appeared friendly with people, and possibly tolerant of other dogs, but she was generally uninterested in greeting or interacting with them. Lottie may otherwise be a good candidate for adoption.**[/]**

Full Assessment Report & Media:

https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/x35ea2xntwzzksbuw1jwy/ACBKyD7KU7rbbQ_fbPmTb9g?rlkey=7psmug2ypt0gw0asvw7oluj0r&st=banejpxv&dl=0

--

Collin Roche

Courageous Canines.us

CPDT-KA Certified Professional Dog Trainer, Knowledge Assessed

FEAR FREE CERTIFIED Professional

Outlook

Fw: Dog that been acting up

From Raekwon Sykes <RSykes@trentonnj.org>
Date Thu 10/22/2026 2:28 PM
To Darrcel DelCastillo <ddelcastillo@trentonnj.org>; Carlos Reyes <CReyes@trentonnj.org>

From: Raekwon Sykes
Sent: Thursday, October 22, 2026 2:25 PM
To: Darrcel DelCastillo <ddelcastillo@trentonnj.org>
Subject: Dog that been acting up

1. Bond- For the last couple weeks bond has been trying to bite us, in the morning when we let him go outside to clean his kennel.
2. Athen-Apple Jack was moved near Athen, and Athen was jumping and barking at Apple Jack. Which is unusual because he is usually scared and a quiet dog.
3. Lottie- Lottie got out the cage and attacked, Yoda and Bond. She is dog aggressive to all dogs,

Woodbourne Veterinary Hospital
7501 New Falls Road,Levittown, PA 19055
Phone: (215) 547-9100 (215) 240 7177
E mail:- WoodbourneVetHospital@gmail.com

10/29/2026
12:27 PM
Invoice: 167966

Acc. No: 6474
Phone: (609) 989-3254

Trenton Humane Law Enforcement
72 Escher Street
Trenton, NJ 08608

Patient: Lottie
Species: Canine
Breed: Pit Bull
Color:

DOB:
Age: 0 yr 0 mo
Sex:
Tag:
Weight: 54.00 lb

Client: Trenton Humane Law Enforcement

Lottie
Species: Canine Breed: Pit Bull Weight: 54.00 lb

Provider	Service/Item	Date	Qty	Price	Amount
Vet Tech	Euthanesia Only (Body o takes home)	10/29/2026	1.00	$200.00	$200.00
Vet Tech	Sedation For The Procedure.	10/29/2026	1.00	$125.00	$125.00

Tax	$0.00
Discount	$0.00
Net Invoice	$325.00
Previous Balance	$4,905.00
Payment	$0.00
Net Balance Due	$5,230.00

We thank you for choosing us. We appreciate your business. Please leave us apositive review on Facebook or Google

EUTHANASIA RECOMMENDATION FOR DOGS WITH DEMONSTRATED AGGRESSION

Trenton Animal Shelter
72 Escher Street
Trenton, NJ 08609
609-989-3254

Canine Euthanasia Recommendation Form for Dogs with Demonstrated Aggression

Animal ID:	26-5-1-8886
Name:	Lottie
Age:	2 YEARS +
Intake Date:	5/1/26
Intake Type:	S

ACTIONS TAKEN	DATE	NOTES
Medical Evaluation		
Staff team notified		
Plea to rescue partners		
Owner contacted		
Plea to volunteers		
Volunteers notified		
Incident reports		
Behavior Evaluation	10/20/26	Displayed aggression causing injuries to another Dog
Other		

REASON FOR EUTHANASIA (Check all that apply) This dog:

- ○ Bit a volunteer, staff member, or member of the public while in the custody the shelter while in (circle one) the shelter, a foster home, or a public outing.
- ○ Bit owner, a family member, or a member of the public while in the custody of owner.
- ○ Approached and bit a person while roaming stray.
- ✓ Display unpredictable aggression towards a person or animal.
- ○ Killed or injured another animal in(circle one)the shelter, its own home, a foster home, or while roaming stray.
- ○ Has been designated by a court of law as a dangerous or vicious dog
- ○ Other _____

EUTHANASIA FORM

TRENTON ANIMAL SHELTER EUTHANASIA FORM

Animal Name: Lottie ID # 25-5-1-8886

[X] Dog [] Cat [ ] Other Breed: Pitbull Age: 2yr Weight: 54

Reason/Asilomar Condition: (*refer to list of conditions*) Dog type aggression by attacking other Dogs.

Euthanasia:

Location/address where euthanasia was performed: Woodbourne Vet Hospital 7501 New Falls Rd. Levittown, PA 19055

Name of the person who performed the euthanasia procedure and date performed:

Kanu Patel (name) _____ (signature) 10/29/26 (date)

Name of the person who witnessed and stayed with the animal during the euthanasia procedure and date performed:

Amanda Previte (name) _____ (signature) 10/29/26 (date)

Disposal: Friends Forever

Remains brought to: Pet Crematory 1879 Pennington Rd Ewing, NJ (Crematory name/address)

Shelter staff transporting: _____ (name) _____ (date)

ATTACHED DOCUMENTATION

- All notes on the animal in the file (medical and behavioral)
- Notes detailing the incident(s) which led to the decision to euthanize the animal
- Notes detailing any rehabilitative efforts made(training, behavior modification plan, behavioral foster placement)
- Notes from staff, volunteer, or community advocates
- **Notes regarding any groups or individuals who declined on the animal with reason for decline**
- Any e-mail communication about the animal

Veterinarian: miriam Samet

Signature: _____ **Date:** 10/22/26

Shelter Manager: Darrell Del Castillo

Signature: _____ **Date:** 10/22/26

Health Officer: GRoberts (Glenda Grant Roberts)

Signature: GRoberts HO **Date:** 10/28/26

Director of Health: C. DIEGO MINARELLI

Signature: _____ **Date:** 10/29/26

Shelter Behavioral Assessment Counselor: Collin Roche CPDT-KA

Signature: _____ **Date:** 10/27/26

Administration Notes/Comments: _____

_____

_____

_____ **Date:** _____

Canine Euthanasia Recommendation Memo

Animal Case #: 26-5-1-8886
Animal Name: Lottie
Age: Approximately 2 years
Microchip: N/A
Intake Date: October 1, 2026
Recommendation Date: October 22, 2026
This memo serves as probable cause to recommend humane euthanasia.

Behavior Evaluation:

On **10/01/26** Lottie was assessed and classified as a "Blue" dog which indicate dogs are generally sociable and friendly with people and other dogs, but may mouth people lightly, jump on people intensely, pull hard on leash and/or grab it playfully.

On **10/21/26** Lottie was reassessed and classified as a "Red" dog which indicate dogs may have a known history or high risk of biting and/or aggression towards people and/or dogs, special health issues, quarantine requirements and/or legal restrictions.

Color Code Classification:
RED- Dogs may have a known history or high risk of biting and/or aggression towards people and/or dogs, special health issues, quarantine requirements and/or legal restrictions

Assessment Summary:
Judging by the photographic and video evidence I was provide, it appears that while damage was relatively mitigated by the chain link fencing, Lottie delivered multiple level 3 bites to the dogs that fought back with her.

Management has advised that they are actively checking and replacing all defective kennel clips in order to prevent a similar situation from occurring again. Staff should be advised to

check this sort of equipment daily as it is used and to immediately replace defective clips on an ongoing basis.

Unfortunately, this incident demonstrates that Lottie lacks bite inhibition when pushed over her stress threshold, and she likely poses an ongoing safety risk to other dogs. Sadly, humane euthanasia may be the most immediate means to alleviate any risk she may pose.

Outlook

Annex report Saturday morning

From Darrcel DelCastillo <ddelcastillo@trentonnj.org>
Date Sat 10/17/2026 10:22 AM
To Glenda Grant-Roberts <GGrant-Roberts@trentonnj.org>; Diego Minacapelli <cminacapelli@trentonnj.org>; Luis Pedemonte <lpedemonte@trentonnj.org>; Khadijah McQueen <kmcqueen@trentonnj.org>; Alfredo Montoya <JMontoya@trentonnj.org>; Erik Anderson <EAnderson@trentonnj.org>; Carlos Reyes <CReyes@trentonnj.org>

3 attachments (16 MB)
4539.heic; 4535.heic; 4536.mp4;

Good morning,

I will be submitting a formal incident report when in the office but felt this was needing an immediate notification.

This morning I received a call from attendant Sykes that Lottie broke out and tried to attack multiple dogs through fencing. Latch needs replacement.
Lottie and the 2 dogs who were dog aggressive enough to engage in the fighting all had bite wounds.
Staff immediately notified me and sent attached Pics.
They were all immediately sent to Mansfield vet office and Dr Boden stated they all look superficial but I ok the sedation to all 3 so she could get a closer look.
Lottie will be moved to a different location in building.
Notified Vet of record, Engineer for repair, Health officer and now Health dept.

Darcy Del Castillo
Trenton shelter manager
72 Escher st.

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone
Get Outlook for Android



CITY OF TRENTON

W. REED GUSCIORA
MAYOR OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, NEW JERSEY
CARLOS DIEGO MINACAPELLI
DIRECTOR OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

INCIDENT REPORT

DATE:	TIME:	CENTER / LOCATION:
10/17/2026	8:12 am	Annex

TYPE OF INCIDENT:

Dog release and dog attacking others

INDIVIDUALs INVOLVED

NAME:	
Darrcel Del Castillo	Lottie-Dog Bond-Dog Yoda-Dog Abner Manatar Raekwan Sykes

DESCRIPTION:

This morning 10/17/2026 I received a call from attendant Sykes at the annex. Lottie broke out due to missing latch and attacked multiple dogs through fencing of each dogs gates. I sent dogs across to Mansfield vet hospital. All were sedated to get full exam. All wounds are superficial and no sutures needed, due to barrier of fencing was minimal injuries. Antibiotics and clean up done and sent back to annex. Latch needs replacement.
Lottie and the 2 dogs who were dog aggressive enough to engage in the fighting all had bite wounds.
There was a trail of Lotties blood on multiple other kennel doors where she was trying to engage more dogs to fight.
.

WITNESSES:
Raekwan Sykes and Abner Manter, Dr Bodin.

ACTION TAKEN:

They were all immediately sent to Mansfield vet office and Dr Boden stated they all look superficial, but I ok the sedation to all 3 so she could get a closer look.
Received report from Dr Boden no sutures needed on any dog.
Lottie will be moved to a different location in building. Will have reassessed for adoptability
Notified Vet of record, Engineer for repair, Health officer and now Health dept.

SUBMITTED BY:	DATE: 10/18/26
Darrcel Del Castillo	EMPLOYEE SIGNATURE:

Outlook

Incident Report

From Raekwon Sykes <RSykes@trentonnj.org>
Date Sat 10/17/2026 10:34 AM
To Darrcel DelCastillo <ddelcastillo@trentonnj.org>

Good morning Ms.Darrcel,

This morning Me and Abner was giving out dog food to the dogs, when we got to the dog Yoda. I had notice a little blood spot on the top of his head and question Abner about it, Abner ran outside to check what cause this and found Lottie outside her cage(from the outside kennel) fighting through the cage with Bond. We tried to stop Lottie from continuing fighting with Bond, but she continue going at Bond until Abner got her under control and before was barking at Colorful, but she didn't fight back with Lottie and also was barking and fighting with Yoda and that's the reason why Yoda had the Blood spot(A minor scratch on the side of his face) . When we neutralized the Dog from fighting, I had call Darrcell to inform her about the situation, she stated to take pictures to assess the situation and after that she gave us instruction to take the dogs to Mansfield Vet.

The Three dogs that was in this incident and was taken to Mansfield vet was:
Lottie
Bond
Yoda

Courageous Canines Shelter Dog Bite Assessment

Email *

courageouscanines@gmail.com

Dog's Name *

Lottie

Date Entered Shelter

MM DD YYYY

05 / 01 / 2026

Sex

- ○ Female Intact
- ○ Male Intact
- ◉ Female Spayed
- ○ Male Neutered
- ○ Unknown

Age

· Estimate if Unknown

8+

Coat Coloration/Pattern

Red

Coat Type

- (●) Short Haired
- ( ) Medium Haired
- ( ) Long Haired
- ( ) Wire Haired
- ( ) Curly Haired
- ( ) Hairless

Dog's Breed

• Best guess if unknown

Large Mixed Breed

Bite Assessor *

Collin Roche

Date of Assessment

MM DD YYYY

10 / 01 / 2026

Any Known History

• Use this space for any information known about the dog's pre-shelter life/behavior, as well as their behavior since arriving in the shelter.

Lottie was reportedly found abandoned along with Gigi and Percy when their former owners passed away. It was suspected that they lived in the vacant home for about one month before being discovered by police.

Staff report she can be reactive when walking past other dogs in the kennel area. The shelter veterinarian reported that she became very aggressive upon rectal examination, but they were able to slow her down with high value treats in order to finish.

I previously assessed Lottie on 5/7/26 and rated her Blue, summarizing her results as:

"Lottie did relatively well on all test items. She can pull relatively hard on leash, and may jump high and mouth with moderate pressure when excited in a way that may overwhelm small children. Lottie appeared friendly with people, and possibly tolerant of other dogs, but she was generally uninterested in greeting or interacting with them. Lottie may otherwise be a good candidate for adoption."

I reassessed Lottie on 10/1/26 and rated her Blue, summarizing her results as:

"Lottie had similar results to her prior assessment. She would benefit from basic training as she can jump very high and hard on people when excited, and she would likely overwhelm small children and frail adults with her current behavior.

Lottie otherwise appeared friendly with people, but not necessarily tolerant of other dogs. While she was not especially reactive or aggressive with them, she repeatedly moved to exit any attempted interactions with them, and she should likely not be placed with other dogs at this time. Lottie otherwise appeared to be a good candidate for adoption."

Dog FAS and Frustration Scale for Shelters

Signs of FAS and frustration can be caused by medical issues. Behavioral concerns should be brought to the attention of the appropriate medical staff.

Fear Free SHELTERS

HIGH FAS

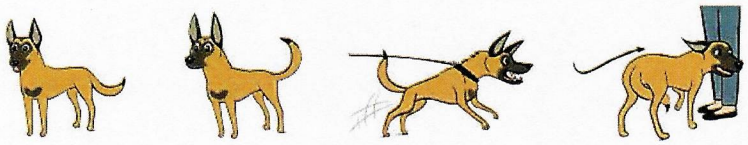
- Severe signs of stress indicate emotional suffering
- Urgent action is required
- Immediate environmental management is imperative along with increased daily enrichment
- Medication and behavior modification should be strongly considered (imperative if signs persist)
- If behavior continues to deteriorate, alternatives to shelter housing are required



May display active signs: aggression and reactivity; repetitive barking, jumping/pacing/spinning; wall rebounding, tail chasing, fence biting/licking; excessive panting, escape behavior, destructive behavior, or jumpy mouthy interactions. May display passive signs: constant hiding, feigning sleep, not moving, avoiding social interactions, decreased play or exploratory behavior, poor appetite or refusal to eat.

MODERATE FAS

- Moderate signs of stress
- Environmental management is imperative along with increased daily enrichment
- Behavior modification and medications and/or complementary/alternative therapies



May be hesitant but not actively avoiding social interactions with people, occasional hiding, occasional barking and jumping, occasional frustration related behaviors. May display a slight decrease in appetite.

LOW FAS

- Relaxed or mild signs of stress
- Prevent increase through environmental management, enrichment and daily routine



Normal behavior patterns including friendly behavior with people, eating, grooming, resting, playing, exercising, and sleeping. Relaxed body language. Good appetite. Appropriate social interactions.

S-HO-001-EN-2407

fearfreeshelters.com

Fear, Anxiety & Stress Score (FAS):

• Rate the dog's FAS level from 0-5 while observing them in their kennel and interacting through the door, 0 being minimal and 5 being very high

0	1	2	3	4	5
○	○	○	○	○	○

Specific FAS or Kennel Observations

Kennel behavior not observed on this assessment

Date of Bite Incident

MM DD YYYY

10 / 18 / 2026

Location Where Bite Incident Occurred

TAS Annex

Bite Incident Details *

- Use this space for any information known about the incident in question, including witness and/or victim accounts if possible.
- Collect photographic evidence of the wounds if possible, or visually assess them. Attach all photos to final report.

Lottie reportedly managed to open her kennel door due to a broken/defective clip on the latch. As a result, she attempted to attack multiple other dogs through the chain link of their kennel doors. Two other dogs fought back with her and all three received multiple bite wounds as a result.

Dunbar Dog Bite Scale

- This scale is an assessment of the severity of biting problems based on an objective evaluation of wound pathology.
- **This scale is applied when dogs bite people.**

- ◯ [Level 1] Obnoxious or aggressive behavior, but no skin-contact by teeth.
- ◯ [Level 2] Skin-contact by teeth, but no skin-puncture. However, may be skin nicks (less than one tenth of an inch deep) and slight bleeding caused by forward or lateral movement of teeth against skin, but no vertical punctures.
- ◯ [Level 3] One to four punctures from a single bite with no puncture deeper than half the length of the dog's canine teeth. May be lacerations in a single direction, caused by victim pulling hand away, owner pulling dog away, or gravity (little dog jumps, bites and drops to floor). No tears or slashes. Victim not shaken side to side.
- ◯ [Level 3.5] Multiple Level 3 bites in a single incident.
- ◯ [Level 4] Two to four punctures from a single bite with at least one puncture deeper than half the length of the dog's canine teeth, typically including additional contact/punctures from teeth other than the canines. May also have deep bruising around the wound (dog held on for [#] seconds and bore down) or lacerations in both directions (dog held on and shook its head from side to side), tears and/or slashing wounds..
- ◯ [Level 5] Multiple bites at Level 4 or above in a single incident, or a multiple-attack incident with at least one Level 4 bite in each. A concerted, repeated attack causing severe injury.
- ◯ [Level 6] Victim is deceased. This includes if the victim dies after the incident as a direct result of the wounds or infection.

Dunbar Dog Bite Scale Prognosis

- ◯ [Levels 1 & 2] These comprise well over 99% of dog incidents. The dog is certainly not dangerous, and is more likely to be fearful, rambunctious, or out of control. Wonderful prognosis if the problem can be quickly addressed with training and desensitization exercises with food, and ones designed to build bite inhibition.
- ◯ [Levels 3 & 3.5] Prognosis is poor without owner compliance re: management, handling and training protocols. However, treatment is both time-consuming, potentially dangerous, and is not recommended in a shelter setting.
- ◯ [Level 4] The dog has insufficient bite inhibition and is very dangerous. Prognosis is poor because of the difficulty and danger of trying to teach bite inhibition to an adult hard-biting dog.
- ◯ [Levels 5 & 6] The dog is extremely dangerous and mutilates their victims. They are simply not safe around people. Euthanasia is generally recommended in these cases, both for public safety, and because a dog's quality of life is so poor if they have to live out the rest of their lives in solitary confinement.

Cara Shannon Dog-to-Dog Bite Hierarchy

- This scale is an assessment of the severity of biting problems based on an objective evaluation of wound pathology.
- In the event of a bite incident where the injury inflicted and the style of the bite are in conflict (in other words, where the style of bite indicates one level of bite but the injury inflicted indicates another level), the injury should trump the style of bite involved in all cases - except in a case where the dog shakes its head while biting. In the case of shaking of the head, the style trumps the injury, and the bite is automatically raised to a Level Four bite even if the injuries involved are not those described in a Level Four bite.
- **This scale is applied to dog-dog and dog-animal bite incidents.**

- ○ [Level 0] There is air snapping, but no contact to the fur or skin (fur should be dry - if fur is wet, contact was made and the bite was not a Level Zero).
- ○ [Level 1] A bite and release with contact to the fur, superficial scratches or removal of fur, where estimates would indicate that no more than 5% of the dog's canine teeth entered the other dog's body - or - a bite where a dog grips another dog's body and does not release, but does not inflict external or internal damage.
- ○ [Level 2] A bite and release where estimates would indicate that 5 to 15% of the dog's canine teeth entered the other dog's body.
- ◉ [Level 3] There are lacerations or punctures where estimates would indicate 15-30% of the dog's canine teeth entered the other dog's body. There may be tearing of the skin from the underlying musculature or subcutaneous pockets.
- ○ [Level 4] There are deep lacerations where estimates would indicate that 30-50% of the dog's canine teeth entered other dog's body - or - there are no external wounds of any significance, but exploratory surgery reveals lacerations, tearing, or puncture wounds to the underlying musculature of the dog - or - there was a report or evidence of shaking of the head. There are no crushing injuries or serious internal injuries.
- ○ [Level 5] A bite with holding pressure and possibly shaking of the head - external injuries may or may not be present, but serious internal injuries are present. Internal injuries may be found through exploratory surgery or indicated by shock or vomiting, skin bulging up when breathing, or displacement of the ribs.
- ○ [Level 6] The victim dies - bites may be single or multiple, but more frequently multiple.

Cara Shannon Bite Hierarchy Prognosis

- ○ [Level 0] Progonosis is good, especially if multiple similar incidents are recorded over time without an escalation of bite style or injury. The dog may benefit from socialization exercises with other dogs, but may have underlying intolerances that motivate their behavior.
- ○ [Levels 1 & 2] Prognosis is fair to good, provided that you have owner compliance and/or the ability to carefully manage, handle and implement training protocols. However, treatment is may be time-consuming and can still be risky. Muzzle training is recommended to decrease the risks of resocialization.
- ◉ [Levels 3 & 4] The dog has insufficient bite inhibition and is very dangerous toward other dogs and/or animals. Prognosis is poor because of the difficulty and danger of trying to teach bite inhibition to an adult hard-biting dog, and because absolute owner-compliance is rare. Only work with the dog in exceptional circumstances, with the understanding that they may not be safe around other dogs and/or animals in many situations without intensive management with muzzles, leashes, crates, etc.
- ○ [Levels 5 & 6] The dog is extremely dangerous towards other dogs and/or animals, lacks bite inhibition, and mutilates and/or kills their victims. They are a danger to other dogs and/or animals, and may pose a danger to them even with careful management, in the event that any of those management methods fail (e.g. a leash tearing on a walk, failure of the collar or harness, failure of the muzzle, forgetting to lock a door, etc.). Euthanasia is generally recommended in these cases, as attempted re-socialization with other dogs and/or animals would be extremely risky, difficult, and require tight control and management of many factors in the environment.

Bite Assessment Summary

Judging by the photographic and video evidence I was provide, it appears that while damage was relatively mitigated by the chain link fencing, Lottie delivered multiple level 3 bites to the dogs that fought back with her. Her prognosis as per the Shannon Bite Scale:

"The dog has insufficient bite inhibition and is very dangerous toward other dogs and/or animals. Prognosis is poor because of the difficulty and danger of trying to teach bite inhibition to an adult hard-biting dog, and because absolute owner-compliance is rare. Only work with the dog in exceptional circumstances, with the understanding that they may not be safe around other dogs and/or animals in many situations without intensive management with muzzles, leashes, crates, etc."

Management has advised that they are actively checking and replacing all defective kennel clips in order to prevent a similar situation from occurring again. Staff should be advised to check this sort of equipment daily as it is used and to immediately replace defective clips on an ongoing basis.

Unfortunately, this incident demonstrates that Lottie lacks bite inhibition when pushed over her stress threshold, and she likely poses an ongoing safety risk to other dogs. Sadly, humane euthanasia may be the most immediate means to alleviate any risk she may pose.

This content is neither created nor endorsed by Google.

Google Forms