



**CAT CARE**  
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**Cat Care Durango**  
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a 501c(3) non profit organization  
PACFA Certified

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Monday-Saturday  
8:30am-4:30pm

More about us: [here](https://www.catcaredurango.org)  
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## CAT-TASTIC MONTHLY NEWS



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### MISSION STATEMENT:

To protect the welfare and dignity of all cats in every stage of their life through trap, neuter/spay, return programs, proper medical care-both physically and mentally, and adoptions, foster, and sanctuary programs for our wild and peaceful feline friends.

### A MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR...



**PADGIE KIMMICK WITH JASON**

With the Cat Care Sanctuary open and successfully running, I look forward to resuming my TNR (Trap-Neuter/Spay-Release) program out on location in the Four Corners area. After one of the most exploding kitten seasons in history, I realize the gigantic need to work on the feral cat colonies in order to reduce their amount of growth and also, hopefully, lower the kitten population. I personally had over 150 kittens in foster care this summer

### HEADING OUT OF TOWN?



### BOARDING AVAILABLE!

Our sanctuary is set up with a private room reserved just for "guest" cats coming in while their owners enjoy a little time away!

As shown in the photo, each cat will enjoy a double-decker, securely enclosed haven with plenty of room to exercise, play

through my Cat Care program. When trapping the large colonies, we pull the dominant cats out on the first trapping and then return the next day for those who remained in the colonies. All cats are vaccinated, spayed/neutered through our partnership with the local DSNIP program, ear clipped, held 48 hours and then returned. With control on reproduction in the cat colonies, these cats will thrive in their environment, keep down the rodent/reptile population, maintain their colony size, and it will also help reduce roaming to other locations. A male cat will travel up to 20 miles to impregnate a female. The numbers over the past years have shown this method to be a proven success. I have personally recorded my 45,000 TNR's over the last 20 years which has made a contribution to the reduced kitten population in La Plata County in past years. We have created the Michelle Brawley Memorial TNR Fund if you are interested in specifically donating to the TNR aspect of our organization. Your consideration is greatly appreciated. Please stop in to visit our place when in Bodo Park. I look forward to meeting you soon! Thank you-  
Padgie Kimmick



**MICHELLE & THE RUNWAY CATS**  
Scarlet, Peanut & Curly

**MICHELLE BRAWLEY MEMORIAL  
TNR FUND DONATION**

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and also enjoy restful sleep. If you have more than one feline, we also have one larger enclosure available which is able to house two to three playmates from the same household!

If you are interested in reserving a spot at our place, please call Cat Care at 970-946-0768. Then, go to our website to print out and complete the application. Bring the completed application in to Cat Care, AFTER you have reserved your dates over the phone, along with your up-to-date vet records on your beloved feline(s). We look forward to hosting your cat at our place!

**BOARDING**

**Many Kittens Available  
For Adoption Now!**





## LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEER "CAT-BASSADORS"

Love cats but are unable to own one of your own?  
Come join us at the cattery....

**Volunteer Hours**  
**10:00-12:00 and 2:00-4:00**  
**Monday thru Saturday**

Become a Cat-Bassador and enjoy endless interaction with the feline residents by lounging and playing with all the resident Sanctuary cats and kittens.



**Adoptable Kittens &  
Cats**

## SUPPORT CAT CARE

All donations to our 501(c)(3) non-profit organization are tax deductible. 100% of the funds support the welfare and dignity of all cats in every stage of their life. We have many cats that will live out the rest of their days in peace and comfort at our sanctuary. Any amount is truly appreciated!

**DONATE  
NOW**





## SANCTUARY SPOTLIGHT

### MEET CHUBBY....(pronounced Chooby)

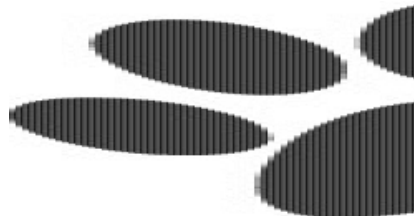
Chubby is a 7 year old male neutered domestic black and white shorthair who came to us very thin and sickly. He was surrendered by his owner who was unable to care for his health needs on a daily basis. His diabetes is currently under control and he is at a perfect weight! We are proud to announce that he went from taking 4 units of insulin twice a day to now only needing 1 unit of insulin once a day. He enjoys going on daily walks in his harness outside the sanctuary and will live out his days with the peace and tranquility he deserves.



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