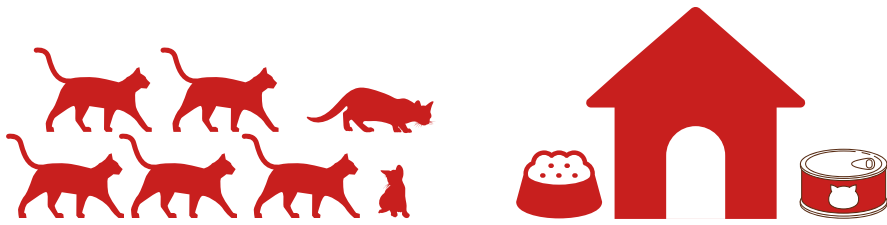


TRAP-NEUTER-RETURN

WHY "GETTING RID" OF THE CATS WON'T HELP (TRAP AND KILL METHOD)?



Because it will be a never-ending process and produces **the vacuum effect**. When community cats are permanently removed from the area, cats from surrounding areas will take advantage of the resources that brought the first group (shelter, food, water, etc.)

WHY DO WE NEED CATS IN THE NEIGHBOURHOOD?

Community cats are an important part of our neighbourhood, some of the things they help us with are:



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Rodent control - the oldest pesticide-free method. Would you prefer to have cats or rats?

Mental health - Studies have shown that taking care of cats benefits mental health & friendship in the neighbourhood.

SO, WHAT IS TNR?



TNR means that feral cats are humanely trapped and neutered by a vet. During their time at the vet, one of the cats' ears is also tipped, meaning the end is removed to denote that they have been neutered. They are also health checked and treated for parasites, and healthy cats are returned to the trap site.

WHY DO WE NEED TO DO TNR?



Ends population growth (no unwanted kittens)



Reduces shelters costs and admissions



Encourages a COMPASSIONATE community



Promotes public health as cats are treated for parasites



Reduces the undesirable behaviours of territory fighting and having all the health benefits that come with neutering

Are you interested on starting a TNR programme? Yes! You're an amazing person! Check out www.alicecatexpert.com/what-is-tnr-and-why/ for some resources to get you started.



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