



Feral Cat Spay/Neuter Project Fact Sheet

- The Seattle based Feral Cat Spay/Neuter Project (FCSNP) is a high-quality, high-volume clinic offering free and low cost spay/neuter services.
- We are a nonprofit 501c3 organization. Donations are tax deductible as allowed by law.
- Our mission is to save the lives of homeless cats by providing access to high volume spay/neuter surgery in a safe and humane environment, collaborating with others and mentoring like-minded organizations to increase spay/neuter in their regions.
- FCSNP has altered over 45,000 cats since our inception in 1997.
- In 2007 we altered 9,506 cats.
- Free-roaming cats receive a basic health exam, spay or neuter surgery, rabies vaccine and an ear-tip to clearly identify them as being altered. This is done for FREE.
- We typically alter 40-50 cats per clinic four days per week.
- Individuals and organizations can sponsor a clinic and help homeless cats – clinic sponsorship costs \$850.
- Dr. Wilford, the President of FCSNP was selected by the Washington State Veterinary Medical Association as the 2004 recipient of the Distinguished Achievement Award for her work with the FCSNP.
- Julie White, the Executive Director was formerly employed as the Regional Manager for Best Friends Animal Society where she was responsible for consulting with non-profit organizations in 16 states on helping them set up programs to reduce euthanasia and increase adoptions. Prior to her work in animal welfare she was an Executive Director for 16 years with a Fortune 500 Company.
- FCSNP has received letters of commendation from national organizations such as Best Friends Animal Society and the ASPCA for their successful spay/neuter program
- Since 2004 FCSNP has done more surgeries annually than any other organization in Washington State.¹
- Funding for the FCSNP comes from private donations. We do not receive any government assistance.
- Over 80 cents of each dollar donated goes directly into program (spay/neuter).
- In 2006 PetSmart Charities awarded Feral Cat Spay/Neuter Project a grant to become national mentors in setting up spay/neuter clinics based on our model program
- For more information visit our website at www.feralcatproject.org or call Julie White – Executive Director (253) 859-2801

¹ WA State Federation of Animal Care and Control annual survey