Last Chance Animal List

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Please see below for this week's Last Chance Animals list. As a reminder, all official requests need to be submitted by 6 a.m. next Wednesday. Below are the descriptions of the animals included on the LCA list. All the animals' observation and medical notes have also been included in an attachment for your convenience.

ALL inquiries and requests regarding animals on the LCA list MUST be communicated to Animal Services through the Rescue.Coordinator@ocfl.net email address within the timeframe indicated. Failure to do so may result in a delay and failure of your message to reach the appropriate individuals at Animal Services.

Communication must be from the rescue's registered contacts.

Animal Services will not liaise with unauthorized personnel on behalf of the rescue.

Please understand we will not be able to offer extensions for any of these pets and the deadline to receive placement is firm.

To help offset the cost of care, Orange County Animal Services is offering rescue partners a $100 incentive per dog for accepting any of the dogs listed below.

The shelter is still experiencing construction activities related to the development of the new animal shelter. Please note these activities do not impact our pet placement processes, and adoptions, rescue pulls and reclaims will continue as usual.

A606292 Poe –

- Impounded 9/27/26
  - Stray
- HW (-)
- Available for rescue placement only
- Poe has two documented bites on record to citizens who were attempting to catch her while she was running loose prior to coming to the shelter
  - Both bite injuries were minor
- Poe has shown an extensive lack of socialization and fear reactivity resulting in an outward willingness to bite, she is unable to safely remain in this environment long-term
- Additional medical and observation notes are attached

A606800 Nutmeg –

- Impounded 10/5/26
  - Stray
- HW (-)
- Available for rescue placement only
- Nutmeg appears to be very insecure and reactive with new people and cannot safely remain in this environment long-term

- Additional medical and observation notes are attached

Last Chance Animals

*Poe (A606292)

Sex: Spayed Female
Age: 4Y
Colors: White & Brown
Kennel: WDI06

Last Weight: 8.70
Microchip #: 991001911662460
Last Rabies Vacc: 10/13/2026
HW Status: HW-

Bite History:

Bite Date	Bite No.	Activity No.	Victim's Age	Bite Severity	Bite Circumstance
09/27/26	B26-056542	A26-768152	23	2 DUNBAR	PROVOKED
09/27/26	B26-056544	A26-768152	43	2 DUNBAR	PROVOKED

Intake History:

09/27/26 STRAY FIELD

Outcome History:

Current Impound

Behavior Observation Report

10/12/2026 **Name and ID: *Poe (A606292)**

Observed By: EG
Eval Type: ABC
Eval Location: SHELTER

Recommendations:
RESCUE ONLY

Interaction: LUNGES / SNAPS

ABC 180 attempted to pull A606292 for a reassessment. A606292 was very combative behind the kennel door. Once the door was opened, A606292 rushed forward attempting to bite 180. 180 used a kurunda bed to block and entered the kennel. A606292 became so stressed that he immediately made his toes and mouth bleed attempting to climb the walls and bite the kurunda bed. 180 did not continue attempting to pull at that time, so as not to exacerbate self-injury. A606292 is entirely unable to be handled.
Recommendation: Rescue Only. Discuss.

10/7/2026 **Name and ID: *Poe (A606292)**

Observed By: SLP
Eval Type: ABC
Eval Location:

Recommendations:
RESCUE ONLY

ABC 175 went to assess A606292. In kennel, A606292 presented with fearful body language and retreated to the back. 175 opened kennel and attempted to gently coax A606292 over. A606292 did not budge. 175 then went to leash A606292, who then began hard staring, growling, showing teeth, and snapping. A606292 went from fearful/avoidant to outwardly combative, lunging and charging. 175 utilized kuranda bed to protect body while attempting to leash A606292. A606292 charged past the kuranda bed and went after 175's legs. 175 was able to manuever the bed and stop A606292. Eventually, 175 was able to get a lasso onto A606292. Once out of the kennel, A606292 continued to swivel and dart towards 175 and away from 175. In yard, A606292 remained avoidant. 175 sat down with A606292 and waited to see if A606292 would warm up. After about 5 minutes, A606292 did not approach or want handling. 175 used cat scratcher to attempt to handle A606292. A606292 would swivel and snap at it. A606292 was very heightened and giving clear signals of not wanting to be touched/handled. 175 opted to place A606292 back. When removing leash, A606292 attempted to bite so 175 utilized cat scratcher for leash removal. Recommendation: Rescue Only.

9/27/2026 **Name and ID: *Poe (A606292)**

Observed By: CPL
Eval Type: FIELD
Eval Location: FIELD

Recommendations:
ADVANCED HANDLER STAFF ASSISTANCE ONLY

Field: LUNGES / SNAPS

JUMPS ON LEASH AND FEARFUL AT FIRST CONTACT. ONLY CALM WHEN SECURED ONTO TRUCK AND AWAY FROM DOG. USED TOWEL TO LIFT DOG ON SCENE. BITES AT SCANNER.

ERRATIC IN SHELTER, BITES POLE AND STICKS. UNABLE TO REMOVE LEASH IN KENNEL.

----------End of Behavior Notes ----------

*POE'S MEDICAL HISTORY

10/14/2026 **Name and ID: *POE (A606292)**

Treated by:

STRONGID-T

10/13/2026 **Name and ID: *POE (A606292)**

Treated by:

0.40 CONVENIA 1.00 TIMES/DAY FOR 1.00 DAYS
DHPP
ECOLLAR
0.05 ANTISEDAN 1.00 TIMES/DAY FOR 1.00 DAYS
0.20 CARPROFEN 50MG/ML 1.00 TIMES/DAY FOR 1.00 DAYS
0.30 KMB 1.00 TIMES/DAY FOR 1.00 DAYS

Treated by:

0.50 CARPROFEN 25MG 1.00 TIMES/DAY FOR 3.00 DAYS

Treated by:

HEARTTEST HW-

10/12/2026 **Name and ID: *POE (A606292)**

VET EXAM NORMAL 0.00LBS Treated by: LH

Pre-Surgical Examination: brief cage side exam due to temperament
Physical Exam: BAR
Sex: unable to view
Nose: No discharge
Eyes: No discharge
Heart/lungs: unable to view
Special notes: NEEDS WEIGHT + Ausculation after sedation *CAUTION TEMP*
Suitable for Surgery: YES

9/28/2026 **Name and ID: *POE (A606292)**

VET EXAM NORMAL 0.00LBS Treated by: LH

Vet exam note:
Reason for exam: BLOOD ON MOUTH FROM POLE. (vet exam request)

Findings: BAR, fearful, no eye or nasal discharge, no blood on dog or in cage, no muzzle swelling noted.
Possible mild self trauma to mouth from biting control pole.

Recommendations:
-no treatment needed at this time, monitor.

9/27/2026 **Name and ID: *POE (A606292)**

Treated by:

BORDETELLA N
DHPP
PROVECTA ADVANCED DOG
STRONGID-T

----------End of Medical Notes ----------

*Nutmeg (A606800)

Sex: Intact Female
Age: 9Y
Colors: Brown & Black
Kennel: WDI17

Last Weight: 68.00
Microchip #: SCAN(-)
Last Rabies Vacc:
HW Status: HW-

Intake History:

10/05/26 STRAY FIELD

Outcome History:

Current Impound

Behavior Observation Report

10/7/2026 **Name and ID: *Nutmeg (A606800)**

Observed By: EG
Eval Type: ABC
Eval Location: PLAY YARD

Recommendations:
RESCUE ONLY
STAFF ASSISTANCE ONLY

ABC 180 and 175 took A606800 out for a reassessment. A606800 was a bit stiff behind the kennel but once on leash, walked nicely to the yard. In the yard, handlers started with A606800 clipped to the fenceline but A606800 quickly warmed up to both handlers and sought social and affection. DER entered the yard and A606800 did not show reactivity towards her, and immediately allowed handling. TAK and JLZ and KED attempted to interact with A606800 and A606800 showed reactivity towards all three, growling and barking and not allowing approach.
Recommendation: Staff Assist, keep on rescue only for now due to selectivity with people.

10/6/2026 **Name and ID: *Nutmeg (A606800)**

Observed By: SLP
Eval Type: ABC
Eval Location:

Recommendations:
RESCUE ONLY

ABC 175 and 181 pulled A606800 for assessment. A606800 was laying down when handlers approached, but got up when handlers greeted A606800. A606800 was leery and stiff with leashing, so handlers went very slow and opted to double lead. A606800 pulled slightly when out of the kennel. In yard, handlers clipped A606800 to the fence and sat down. A606800 remained leery, but began to nudge 175's hands for petting. A606800 allowed full handing from 175 and took treats. A606800 then made their way to 181 and nudged them for pets as well. A606800 remained affectionate and seeking comfort in handlers. BDA came out to the yard and when he began to enter the yard, A606800 shifted into a reactive state. A606800 began growling with pursed lips, hard stare, and was rushing forward. 175 grabbed the leash and pulled A606800 away. BDA entered the yard and sat on the bench. A606800 rushed forward at him and continued growling with hard stare. BDA began handing A606800 treats, to which she took. After a moment, A606800 warmed up to BDA and nudged him for pets as well. Handlers unclipped A606800 from the fence and A606800 continued seeking social and comfort in all handlers in the yard, but remained reactive to select other people approaching the yard. No issues placing back into kennel. Recommendation: Boost to rescue and continue working with. A606800 is very insecure and will become reactive with new people, needing very slow approach and introduction.

10/5/2026 **Name and ID: *Nutmeg (A606800)**

Observed By: CWC
Eval Type: INTAKE
Eval Location: INTAKE

Recommendations:
STAFF ASSISTANCE ONLY

Intake: GROWLS

walked well on leash, no aggression observed, a bit stand off ish and fearful on carport. while on carport would not let officers approach and growled at every person, still very standoffish. do not feel comfortable placing in general... put on temp assessment and placed in iso at this time.

Observed By: JET
Eval Type: FIELD
Eval Location: FIELD

Recommendations:
ADVANCED HANDLER

Field: AVOIDS SOCIAL

DOG IS STITTISH, GROWLING, SHOWING TEETH IN FIELD

Observed By: BKB
Eval Type: INTAKE
Eval Location: INTAKE

Recommendations:
STAFF ASSISTANCE ONLY

Intake: GROWLS

She allowed me to muzzle her and we were able to give her vaccines. After all was done, her demeanor changed. She began to low growl at me when attempting to unclip the leash from the wall. I backed up slowly and she stalked me a bit.

----------End of Behavior Notes ----------

*NUTMEG'S MEDICAL HISTORY

10/5/2026 **Name and ID: *NUTMEG (A606800)**

Treated by:

PROVECTA ADVANCED DOG
BORDETELLA N
STRONGID-T
DHPP

Treated by:

HEARTTEST HW-

----------End of Medical Notes ----------