



FOUND A CAT?

HERE'S WHAT TO DO

**START
HERE**

**Is the adult
cat healthy?**

NO →

CALL DHS

(608) 637-6955
or a veterinarian if they need
immediate care

YES ↓

Is the cat eartipped?

An eartipped cat has the tip of one ear
snipped off, so there is no tip or point. This cat is
a "community cat" that has been spayed/neutered.

YES →

STOP

Cat is a "community cat"
Leave it be

NO ↓

**Have you seen the cat
wandering your neighborhood
for a long time?**

NO →

Cat could have been recently
acquired by someone in the
neighborhood, or an indoor cat
that accidentally got out.

YES ↓

STOP

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Leave it be

**If the cat comes and goes,
it most likely belongs to someone.
Do NOT feed the cat or it may not go home**



If the cat does not leave your property
and seems lost, take to shelter or
veterinarian and scan for a microchip.
Ask neighbors, put up flyer's in
neighborhood, check/post on social
media. Refer to our website for more
resources to reunite the cat with it's owner.

Talk to neighbors to see if anyone knows, or is feeding the cat.
If possible, have the cat spayed or neutered. If you are feeding the
cat and can no longer care for the cat, then rehome the cat, or see
if there is someone in the neighborhood who can take over care.

If you do not want cats in your yard, make sure there is not a source
of food or shelter for the cat. Refer to our website for more resources.



Visit driftlesshumanesociety.com for more cat care resources.