



COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

ANIMAL CARE AND CONTROL

Update on
Enforcement Related
to Illegal Breeding in
the Antelope Valley

[ANIMALCARE.LACOUNTY.GOV](https://animalcare.lacounty.gov)



ILLEGAL AND BACKYARD BREEDING ENFORCEMENT

DACC reported back to the Board in January 2025 with a plan to address illegal breeding with public education, enforcement, outreach events and special programs.

- Reports of illegal breeding are now received via tipline, website, or our communications center.
 - Phone: Report Illegal Breeding to (661) 261-0111
 - DACC Website:
<https://animalcare.lacounty.gov/stop-illegal-breeding>
 - Email:
Stopillegalbreeding@animalcare.lacounty.gov
 - QR code access on DACC brochures and public displays for linking people directly to resources



OCTOBER 2023 - NOVEMBER 2024

- 55 violation orders were issued to those in violation of meeting general requirements, as required by Los Angeles County Code Title 10.
- 75 citations were issued to those in violation of mandatory spay/neuter, breeding without a permit, or general requirements for keeping animals.
- 10 individuals were warned when enforcement was non-applicable.
- 14 individuals were found not to be in violation after investigating.
- 25 dogs were impounded, mostly from owners who were incapable of providing care for their animals that were unintentionally breeding.



DECEMBER 2024 - APRIL 2025

- 8 violation orders were issued to those in violation of meeting general requirements, as required by Los Angeles County Code Title 10.
- 10 citations were issued to those in violation of mandatory spay/neuter, breeding without a permit, or general requirements for keeping animals.
- 3 individuals were warned when enforcement was non-applicable.
- 5 individuals were found not to be in violation after investigating.
- 0 dogs were impounded



ENFORCEMENT 2023 - 2025

1. 500+ TIPS OF BREEDING REPORTED TO DACC SINCE IMPLEMENTATION IN OCTOBER 2023
2. 310+ INVESTIGATIONS INITIATED
3. 63 ORDERS + 85 CITATIONS ISSUED
4. MULTIPLE REFERRALS FOR PUBLIC PROGRAMS, VETERINARY SERVICES AND INTERVENTIONS THAT PREVENTED INNUMERABLE LITTERS.



REPORTS OF ILLEGAL BREEDING

MOST TIPS COME IN THROUGH OUR DIRECT EMAIL AND WEBSITE

The tips include photos of advertisements in the communities and on social media. Here are some of the photos we've received.



REPORTS OF ILLEGAL BREEDING

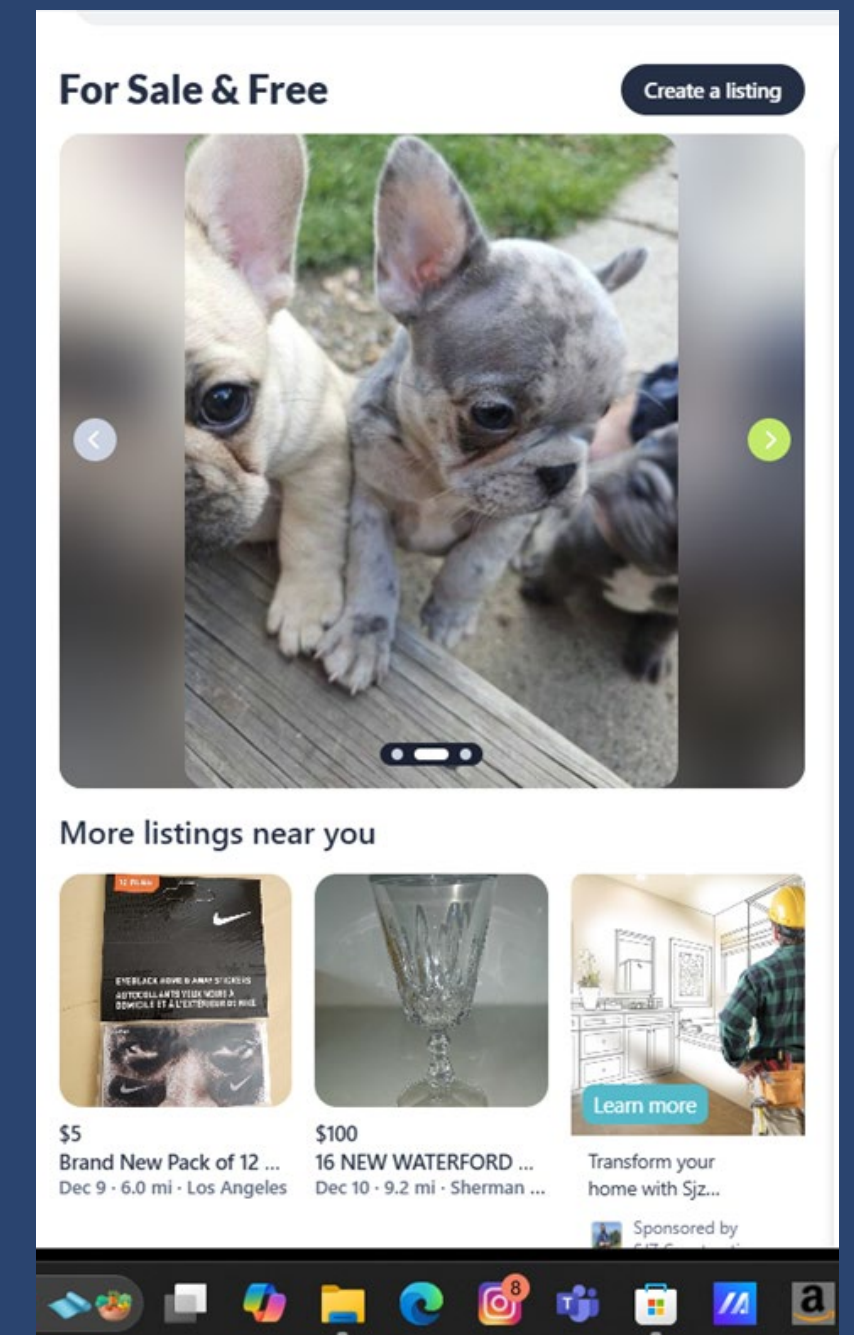
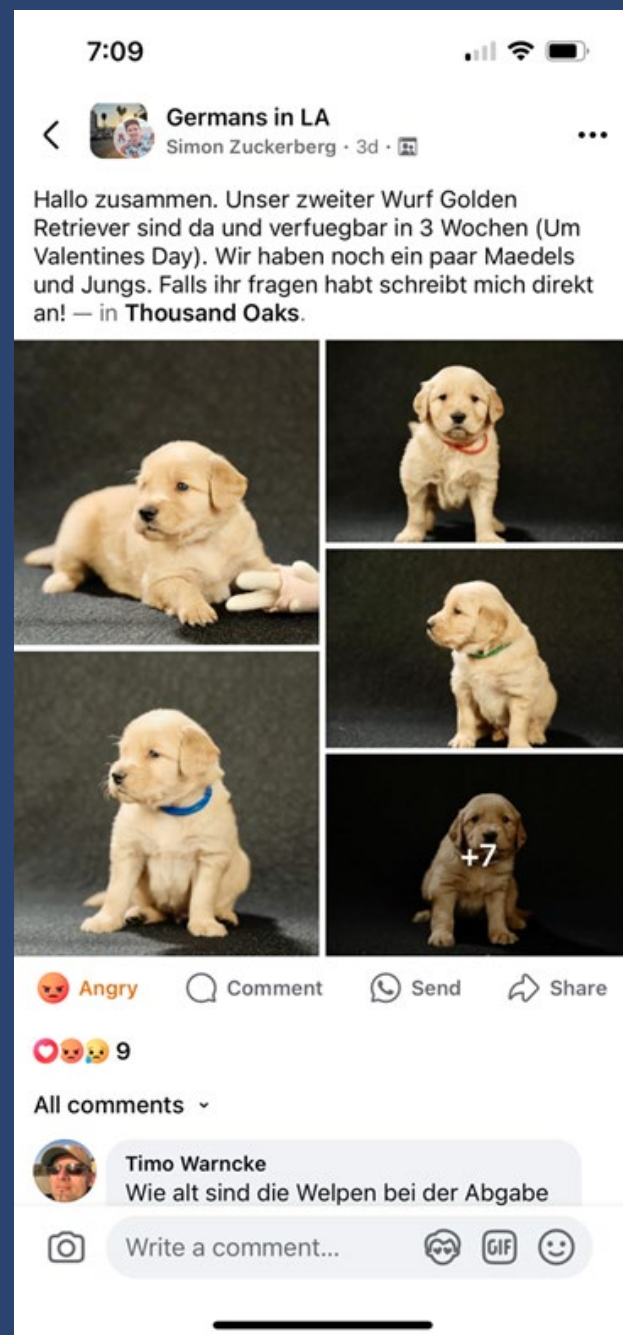
ADVERTISEMENT ON BULLETIN BOARDS, COMMUNITY MAILBOXES AND TREE TRUNKS ARE REGULARLY REPORTED TO US

While we may not always be able to identify those responses immediately, data is being collected, and future connections will be more easily identifiable.



REPORTS OF ILLEGAL BREEDING

SOCIAL MEDIA AND APPS WHERE ADVERTISEMENTS, SERVICES, AND COMMUNITY FORUMS NETWORK



DANGERS OF ILLEGAL BREEDING

MULTIPLE HUMAN FATALITIES HERE AND ACROSS THE NATION ARE ON THE RISE BECAUSE OF IRRESPONSIBLE BREEDERS. THIS MAY POSE PUBLIC SAFETY CONCERNS NOT CARED FOR RESPONSIBLY.

LITTER DUE JULY 18TH

Lancaster Co
CATANZARO
Cane Corso

Litter Announcement
8 Males 3 Females

SIRE
AKC GRANDCHAMPION SOY DEL CORSO CLUB
PennHIP: right DI=0.30 left DI=0.31
Eduardo 6617545253
EDUARDO A PADILLA, CATANZAROCANECORSO@GMAIL.COM, TEL: 6617545253

DAM
D ORO ITALIANO ATHENA

manda 6617523086

Cane Corso Puppies
[CATANZARO CANE CORSO >](#)

Breed: Cane Corso

Date of Birth: 07/20/2024 (6 weeks old)

Available Date: 09/20/2024

AKC/ICCF BLOODLINE

AKC/ICCF

SIRE OF THE LITTER

SMOKE AKC/ICCF

LUNCH TIME!

Cane Corso Pups for Sale Parents have AKC/ICCF Certificate Fore more information: Call or text 818-470-1022 661-674-8850	Cane Corso Pups for Sale Parents have AKC/ICCF Certificate Fore more information: Call or text 818-470-1022 661-674-8850	Cane Corso Pups for Sale Parents have AKC/ICCF Certificate Fore more information: Call or text 818-470-1022 661-674-8850	Cane Corso Pups for Sale Parents have AKC/ICCF Certificate Fore more information: Call or text 818-470-1022 661-674-8850	Cane Corso Pups for Sale Parents have AKC/ICCF Certificate Fore more information: Call or text 818-470-1022 661-674-8850
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AKC your puppy search partner
Marketplace

MENU

< BACK TO FIND A PUPPY

Cane Corso Puppies
[CATANZARO CANE CORSO >](#)

DACC AND ANTELOPE VALLEY OUTREACH

- ANTELOPE VALLEY SWAP MEET ENFORCEMENT AND OUTREACH CONTINUES.
- DACC DISSEMINATES EDUCATIONAL AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS BROCHURES AT THE SWAP MEET, OUTREACH EVENTS, ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICERS IN THE FIELD



BACKYARD BREEDING: DON'T SUPPORT, REPORT IT



LOS ANGELES COUNTY
ANIMAL CARE | *redefining*
& CONTROL | CARE



THANK YOU



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Public Safety
Division Manager



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Director



Danny Ubario
Chief Deputy Director