

## Wichita Pit Bull Dogs in 2008

- 55% of all dogs deemed dangerous were pit bulls (41 pit bull dogs deemed dangerous).
- 34% of attacks and bites involved pit bull dogs (246 pit bull attacks/bites).
- 28% of dogs found running at large were pit bulls (1,279 pit bulls found running loose).
- 25% of dogs impounded were pit bulls dogs (1,575 pit bulls impounded).
- 37% of all dogs euthanized were pit bull dogs (1,255 pit bulls euthanized).
- 23% of dog complaints involved pit bull dogs (2,523 complaints involved pit bull dogs).
- Only 16% per cent pit bull dogs redeemed (252 pit bulls redeemed).

WPD Dog Encounters 2004-2008					
	2004 Actual	2005 Actual	2006 Actual	2007 Actual	2008 Actual
Total animal shooting incidents	46	48	30	55	43
Number of dogs encountered	50	40	23	53	22
Number of pit bull dogs encountered	33	32	17	46	21

In 2008 there were 22 police encounters with dogs, 21 (95%) of which were pit bulls.

### Pit bulls Dogs Encountered by WPD 2004 - 2008:

The percentage of aggressive dogs encountered by WPD that were pit bull dogs has increased four consecutive years (from 66% in 2004 to 95% in 2008).

- In 2004 66% of all dogs encountered by PD were pit bull dogs.
- In 2005 80% of all dogs encountered by PD were pit bull dogs.
- In 2006 74% of all dogs encountered by PD were pit bull dogs.
- In 2007 87% of all dogs encountered by PD were pit bull dogs.
- In 2008 95% of all dogs encountered by PD were pit bull dogs.