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### **Top stories: Fewer animals die at Arizona shelters; raw food for cats?**

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#### Fewer Animals Die at Arizona Shelters

New shelter programs, increased awareness and a network of rescue groups are allowing hundreds of animals in Pima County, Ariz., a second chance, the Associated Press reports.

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#### Raw Food for Pets?

Despite warnings by veterinarians, growing numbers of cat owners are serving uncooked, homemade fare, the San Francisco Chronicle reports.

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#### Questions Arise About Jaguar's Euthanization

A jaguar captured from the wild and euthanized may not have had chronic kidney failure after all, according to the University of Arizona's Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory, the Associated Press reports.

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