



# DESPERATE HOUSECAT STUBBY A848359



**STUBBY** has had a rough life on the streets! He's a former community cat who was brought to AAC with a rectal prolapse. This has been repaired, and now he's ready for the indoor life. Because he is shy and timid with new people, **STUBBY** qualifies as a **CACTUS CAT** (<http://austintexas.gov/page/cactus-cats>). Staff and volunteers are working with him, and he is making great progress. **STUBBY** has gained trust in humans, and now enjoys being petted. He may initially hiss, but then he will lean into your hand, stretch out, make biscuits and purr. **STUBBY** finds comfort in other cats, and will be happiest in a quiet home with at least one cat buddy to hang out with.

- ◆ 3 years old, brown tabby/white, neutered
- ◆ INTAKE: 3/11/2022
- ◆ Enjoys being petted; Will purr and make biscuits
- ◆ Shy with new people and new surroundings
- ◆ Gaining confidence
- ◆ Great with other cats; Unknown with dogs; No young children

*The adoption fee is WAIVED for **STUBBY** and ALL Desperate Housecats!  
To adopt **STUBBY**, visit [www.austintexas.gov/department/adopt-pet](http://www.austintexas.gov/department/adopt-pet)  
For information about **DESPERATE HOUSECATS**, visit [www.desperatehousecats.info](http://www.desperatehousecats.info)*