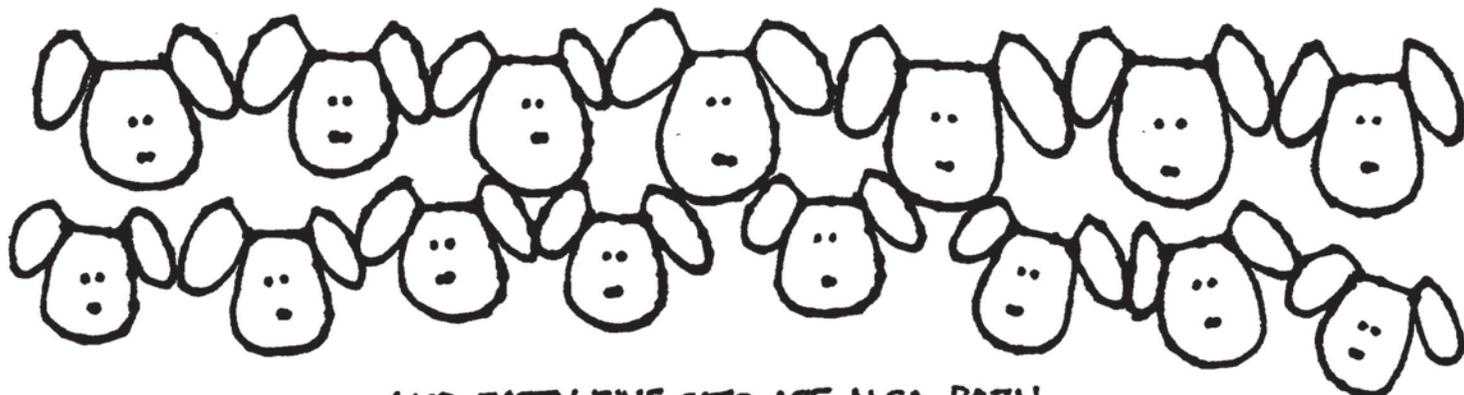


# 15 DOGS, 45 CATS, AND YOU

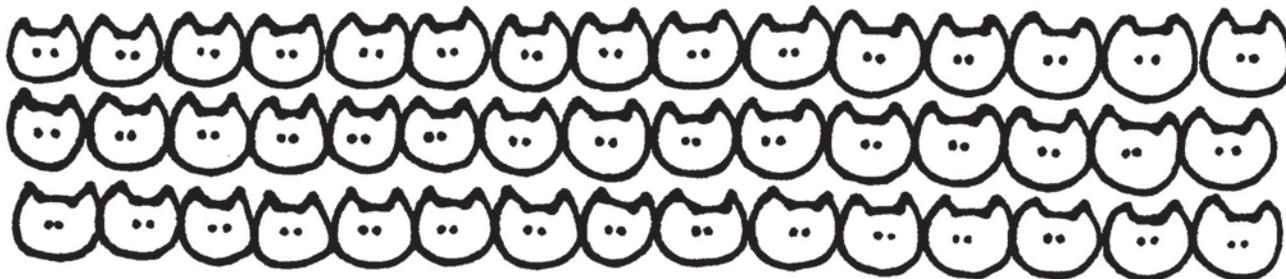
FOR EVERY PERSON THAT IS BORN,



FIFTEEN DOGS



AND FORTY-FIVE CATS ARE ALSO BORN.



PET OVERPOPULATION IS A **BIG PROBLEM**, AS THESE STATISTICS SHOW. IN ORDER TO KEEP UP WITH THE CURRENT FLOOD OF PUPPIES AND KITTENS, EVERY PERSON WOULD HAVE TO OWN TWO DOGS AND SIX CATS DURING THEIR ENTIRE LIFETIME (ASSUMING THAT PEOPLE LIVE FOR 75 YEARS, AND DOGS AND CATS FOR 10); A HOUSEHOLD OF FIVE WOULD HAVE TO HARBOR TEN DOGS AND THIRTY CATS! ADOPTION ALONE IS OBVIOUSLY NOT THE ANSWER; ALTERING IS.

**PLEASE SPAY OR NEUTER YOUR DOGS AND CATS.**



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