HAVE YOU LOST A DOG?

HERE ARE SOME STEPS YOU CAN TAKE:

1. Immediately call your town’s animal control officer and the animal control officer in adjoining towns.

2. Go to CTHumane.org/lostandfound to post a lost pet on our website. You can also visit our Facebook page and post a lost pet there.

3. Contact local veterinarians in your town and give them your contact information. Sometimes when people find wandering dogs they will bring them to the closest veterinary hospital.

4. Dogs often follow their normal walking routes. They are more likely to run on a cleared path than through a wooded area. Use these guidelines to help decide where best to look.

5. Make posters large and colorful. Post them at each intersection in the area where the dog is lost.

6. If you see your dog, do not chase them, as they may be disoriented from being lost. Sit down and call the dog softly to you. You might also consider opening a car door if your dog likes car rides.

7. Bring treats with you when you search.

8. Consider hiring a missing animal recovery/response team.

FOR MORE TIPS, TRICKS AND TAILS, PLEASE VISIT: www.cthumane.org.