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Pasco County Animal Services has introduced a “Dog Watch Program” which is utilized to enhance the community’s awareness of responsible pet ownership. The program is complete with dog watch signs, literature and Animal Services’ Education Coordinator as a guest speaker. The program is presented at the community association’s meetings. Employees explain county ordinances, state statutes, and Animal Control policies and procedures. The literature packet includes affidavits and instruction, County ordinance booklets and cards, and pamphlets on animal-related interests. It is an effective outreach program that educates the community. Pasco County Animal Services offers the community the necessary tools to help them solve their nuisance problems and address public health and safety issues for domestic pets.