



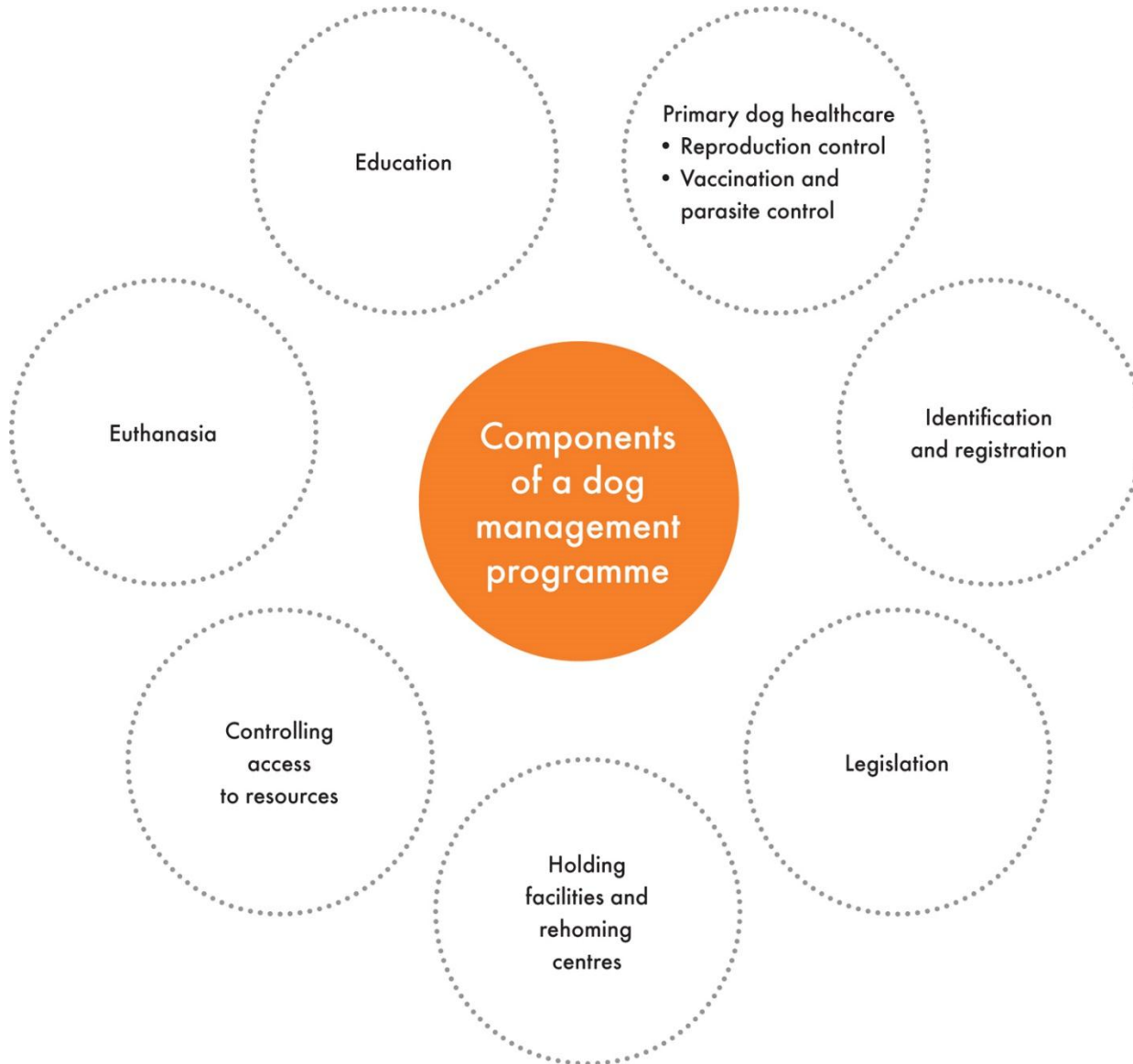
Dog Population Management for Romania

Positive Solutions for a Future European Approach

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What is DPM?



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World Animal Protection Engagement in Romania



- Positive co-operation with National and Local Vet. Authorities and municipalities
- Bringing together NGOs and Local Authorities – working towards a sustainable solution



Romania - Mixed Score Card



- Top Down Approach (National)



- Bottom Up Approach (National and Local)



- Political Challenges

- National Education programme



A European Problem or A European Opportunity?



Image: <http://www.cafepress.co.uk>

European Parliament Leadership



Work to date

- Intergroup leadership
- Agri Committee
- Support for Animal Health Law
- Questions to Commission

Next steps

- Further leadership – harnessing of existing platforms
- National DPM plan in Romania – best practice to share
- Raise awareness of issue and solutions within institutions
- How can we help you?