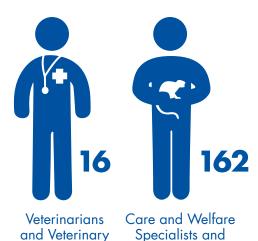
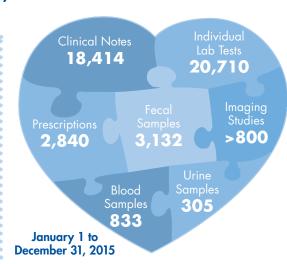


## **OVER 175 ANIMAL SPECIALISTS CARING 24/7, 365 DAYS A YEAR**



**Technicians** 

Animal care at Brookfield Zoo never stops. Animal care staff include veterinarians, veterinary technicians, veterinary residents, nutrition staff, curators, associate curators, animal care specialists, researchers, and a registrar.



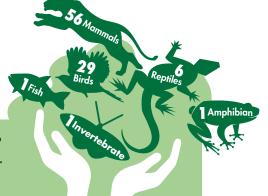
**Species Survival Plan coordinators** at the Chicago Zoological Society

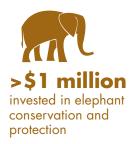
Studbook Keepers (who maintain records of individual animals in holding institutions)

Researchers

94 Species represented by **Species Survival Plans** 

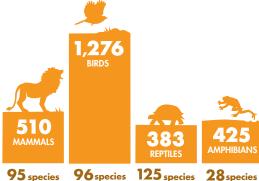








## **CARING FOR 5,364 ANIMALS**



Species total: 536 As of December 31, 2015 91 species 101 species

# WE ARE EMPOWERING

### **MOTIVATING FUTURE CONSERVATIONISTS IN 2015**

>300,000
CHILDREN (BIRTH TO 10)
AND THEIR FAMILIES

participated in early childhood programs at HAMILL FAMILY PLAY ZOO 3,051 schools >209,000 students

were reached through outreach and educational programming for students and teachers throughout Chicagoland 4,500
INDIVIDUALS
WITH DISABILITIES
connected with wildlife
and nature



CLASSES
were provided college and career readiness training totaling >18,000 hours

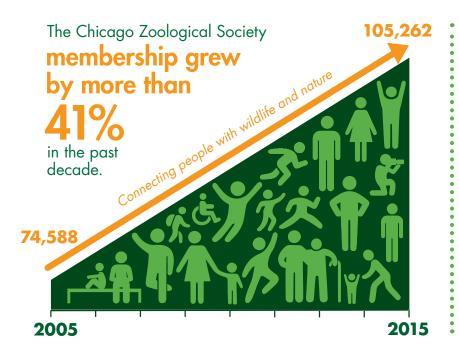
255
HIGH SCHOOL
STUDENTS
from 110 high schools engaged in science, technology, engineering, and math

>1,500

RESIDENTS

learned about local conservation during community outreach programs in Marcona, Peru

# WE ARE CONTECTED



IN 2015, BROOKFIELD ZOO ENGAGED **2.2 MILLION GUESTS** 



SINCE OPENING IN 1934, BROOKFIELD ZOO HAS WELCOMED 150 MILLION VISITORS



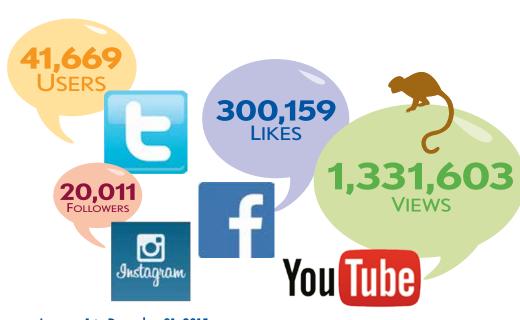
For the fifth year in a row, Brookfield Zoo was Illinois' most popular paid outdoor cultural attraction (of those that monitor yearly attendance).



# >\$15 million

in contracts were awarded to Minority and Women Business Enterprise (MWBE) companies since 2013.





January 1 to December 31, 2015