



Tri-County Humane Society

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“The fox said to the little prince: Men have forgotten this truth, but you must not forget it. You remain responsible, forever, for what you have tamed.”

Antoine de saint-Exup, *The Little Prince*



Dear friend,

As a friend of animals, you know the difference between talk and action when it comes to helping animals. The Tri-County Humane Society (TCHS) annually offers over 4,600 animals the opportunity for compassionate care and a second chance for a new home.

**** You help. ****

Your donation today will help TCHS prepare for the MANY animals we expect to come through our doors next year. Because of you, TCHS achieved our 2011 goal of spaying and neutering all animals prior to adoption! This is the part that makes me want to grab my pom-poms!

I'd like to ask you to renew your support by making a gift today. To make a gift online, please visit www.tricountyhumanesociety.org.

**** You care. ****

Your support of TCHS's goal to provide additional care to an increasing number of animals in need is heartwarming. Next year TCHS needs to maintain this year's accomplishments and take it another step further with work to decrease the animals' length of stay prior to adoption and reduce the stress they experience while they wait. It may prove to be one of TCHS's most challenging years yet! It's another huge endeavor, but one I am excited to undertake. And one I know will be made possible through your generous donations and continued loyalty.

**** You lead. ****

You help speak for those who do not have a voice. As a TCHS cheerleader, you take the lead by stimulating community collaboration and conversation about the good work that you've seen happen at the shelter. Or about the amazing pet you yourself have adopted – or were adopted by!

I realize this time of year your mailbox is bombarded with requests for donations. Always remember, your donations to local charities are by far your best investment. While I won't be sending you a calendar or return labels, take comfort knowing your gift will touch the lives of many animals and go directly to help them. TCHS continuously looks for the means to care for them all and hope you will continue to support our efforts with a special tax-deductible year-end donation for the animals. Happy endings for 2012 start in 2011!

With my warmest regards and best wishes for your health and happiness in 2012,

Vicki

Vicki Davis, CAWA (Certified Animal Welfare Administrator)
TCHS Executive Director

P.S. Happy endings take hard work and resources. In whatever way you are able to help, in the way that fits your schedule, budget, and concern for animals, be assured that every dollar is wisely used in the best interest of the animals. Thank you for your financial and moral support.

(See other side for information on a memorable way to donate or give a year end gift.)

Sponsor a kennel or give a year end gift.

The Kennel Sponsorship Program provides a great opportunity for families, communities, group organizations and companies to make sure our homeless animals have the best care and stay at the shelter.



Annual Kennel Sponsorship Program

Sponsorships provide the shelter, handling, kennel needs, and basic medical and vaccine expenses and kennel needs of our animals. Donations will directly benefit the animals.

A personalized plaque will display your generosity for an entire year. It will not only show your generosity, but will also encourage others to consider their own sponsorships. It's a great way to publicly recognize your commitment to helping homeless animals in the community.

Please note: If you work for a company that matches your gift, you can double the amount of your contribution or use it to help you reach a sponsorship level. For example, your gift of \$250 combined with your company match of \$250 can bring you to the \$500 sponsorship level.

If you have any questions about the Kennel Sponsorship Program, feel free to call us at (320) 252-0896.

Annual Kennel Sponsorship:

Animal preferences are not guaranteed, but we will do our best to accommodate your request.

Small plaque 1" x 4" \$300
CAT DOG NO PREFERENCE
(circle choice)

Large plaque 3" x 3.25" \$500
DOG

Kennel Sign Inscription:

Sponsors can be anonymous or listed as an individual, family, friend, company or organization, given as gift, or in the name of a pet. Please allow 30 days for sign inscription. Please **print** name and message for your inscription below.

1st line: *This kennel is sponsored by* _____ or *This kennel is in memory of* _____ or *This kennel is in honor of* _____
(circle choice)

2nd line: Name or Company _____
(font is **Eras Bold**)

If you would like your business logo on the plaque, email it to: tchs@cloudnet.com in a .pdf or .eps format.

3rd line: _____
(circle choice of font: Myriad or *Rage Italic*)

4th line (large only): _____
(circle choice of font: Myriad or *Rage Italic*)

Optional images: (circle choice) bone  dog paw  cat paw 

Year End Gift:

I would like to make a year end gift of \$ _____ In honor of _____ In memory of _____

Payment and Authorization:

Charge my: Visa / MasterCard / Discover \$ _____

CC#: _____ Exp. Date: ____/____/____ CSC# (back of card) _____

Name (as it appears on card): _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: ____ Zip code: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Acknowledgement not necessary.

Please send me information on: Volunteering Monthly Giving Program Including TCHS in my will.