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SENIOR DOGS AT THE HUMANE SOCIETY OF NORTH TEXAS FETCH GRANT

The Humane Society of North Texas Receives \$11,000 Grant from The Grey Muzzle Organization

AUGUST 29, 2023 | FORT WORTH, TEXAS – Old dogs have something to wag about this summer as The Grey Muzzle Organization announces the recipients of its annual grants, and the dogs at the Humane Society of North Texas (HSNT) are among the winners, receiving an \$11,000 grant.

HSNT is one of 90 animal welfare groups chosen from 370 applicants to receive a grant to help local senior dogs. The winning groups received \$848,000 in grants to help save or improve the lives of at-risk old dogs in their communities.

“This grant will help us give senior dogs like 10-year-old Edgar the veterinary and dental care he needs,” said Destiny Vandeput, Director of Communications at HSNT. “No one is more grateful or loving than a senior dog, and we’re looking forward to helping more senior dogs get the second chance they all deserve.”

Over the past 15 years, the national nonprofit Grey Muzzle Organization has provided more than \$4.6 million in grants to support its vision of “a world where no old dog dies alone and afraid.”

“Thanks to the generosity of our donors, we’re delighted to help deserving organizations like the Humane Society of North Texas make a difference in the lives of dogs and people in their communities,” Grey Muzzle’s Executive Director Lisa Lunghofer said. “Many senior dogs in North Texas are enjoying their golden years in loving homes thanks to the wonderful work of HSNT.”

Since 1905, the Humane Society of North Texas (HSNT) has worked to eliminate animal cruelty, promote humane values and end animal homelessness in North Texas. As an independent nonprofit organization, HSNT relies on the generosity of the public to help ensure there is a safe place for abused, injured, and homeless animals in the community. To make a lifesaving donation, please visit hsnt.org/donate or Facebook. To learn more about HSNT, visit hsnt.org, Facebook, [Twitter](#), [TikTok](#) and [Instagram](#). Pets and People, Saving Each Other™

The national nonprofit [The Grey Muzzle Organization](https://www.greymuzzle.org) improves the lives of at-risk senior dogs by providing funding and resources to animal shelters, rescue organizations, sanctuaries, and other nonprofit groups nationwide. For details, please visit www.greymuzzle.org

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Edgar is one of many wonderful senior dogs HSNT rescued from cruelty in 2023. Edgar was found covered in fleas and missing all but one tooth. He had a ruptured tumor on his hip with maggots in the open wound. Edgar also has a heart murmur, is blind, and almost entirely deaf. HSNT's veterinary team has removed Edgar's tumor, his hip has healed nicely, and he is getting healthier every day. More importantly, he found a forever family with our Director of Cruelty Investigations.