



The Humane Society of North Texas Adopts 82 Pets During BISSELL Pet Foundation's Fall National "Empty the Shelters"

19,415 pets adopted during the nation's largest funded adoption event

FORT WORTH, TEXAS – October 29th, 2023 — The Humane Society of North Texas announces 82 adoptions during its participation in BISSELL Pet Foundation's Fall National "Empty the Shelters" event. From October 1-15, a total of 19,415 pets were adopted from 345 shelters in 42 states.

"Empty the Shelters" is BISSELL Pet Foundation's largest initiative and continues to grow each year to provide critical relief to overcrowded shelters. Since the event's inception in 2016, nearly 210,000 pets have found loving homes through this lifesaving event. BISSELL Pet Foundation provides grants for each adoption - \$50 per dog and \$20 per cat - allowing shelters to reduce adoption fees to \$50 or less. Pets must be spayed/neutered, vaccinated and microchipped before being adopted out, an additional cost savings for the family, making the choice to adopt even more affordable.

"BISSELL Pet Foundation is thrilled to have helped thousands of pets find homes during a time when our nation's shelters are struggling to keep up with pet intakes," said Cathy Bissell, founder of BISSELL Pet Foundation. "Each adopter who brought home a pet during this event made a lifesaving difference."

Empty the Shelters was a great success for HSNT. There was community engagement across the Dallas-Fort-Worth metroplex, but most important of all, **82 HSNT pets found loving homes.**

"The Humane Society of North Texas is proud to partner with BISSELL Pet Foundation again this year during Empty the Shelters," said Destiny Vandeput, Director of Communications at HSNT. "They truly care about placing homeless pets in loving homes and we could not be more grateful for their generous support."

For more information on adopting or donating to "Empty the Shelters," visit www.bissellpetfoundation.org/empty-the-shelters as well as hsnt.org.

About BISSELL Pet Foundation:

BISSELL Pet Foundation is a charitable 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization with a mission to help reduce the number of animals in shelters through pet adoption, spay/neuter programs, microchipping, and crisis and disaster response. Founded in 2011 by Cathy Bissell, BPF is an extension of her long-standing love for animals and commitment to their welfare. BPF has since partnered with more than 5,800 shelters and rescues across the U.S. and Canada to help pets find loving homes. The foundation is supported by generous donors and BISSELL Homecare, Inc where every purchase saves pets. To learn more and make a donation, visit www.bissellpetfoundation.org.

About the Humane Society of North Texas

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. To learn more about HSNT, visit hsnt.org, [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), [TikTok](#), and [Instagram](#).

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