



NEWS RELEASE

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THE HUMANE SOCIETY OF NORTH TEXAS (HSNT) RECEIVED A \$4,000 GRANT FROM PETSMART CHARITIES® TO HELP MORE HOMELESS PETS FIND HOMES IN THE FORT WORTH METROPLEX

All Pets Will Be \$20 to Adopt at HSNT PetSmart Locations During PetSmart Charities

National Adoption Week–March 6th-12th, 2023!

FORT WORTH, TEXAS – MARCH 1st, 2023 – The Humane Society of North Texas (HSNT) received a \$4,000 grant to assist with pet adoptions during <u>PetSmart Charities</u> National Adoption Week, particularly focusing on special needs pets who may have a harder time finding a home. HSNT will offer \$20 adoptions Monday, March 6th- Sunday March 12th at the following HSNT PetSmart Cat Adoption Center locations:

- PetSmart Ridgmar
- PetSmart Montgomery Plaza
- PetSmart Bryant Irvin
- PetSmart Lake Worth

With the help of this grant, HSNT will also have adoption trailers with many \$10 adoptable pets at the Montgomery Plaza PetSmart® location from 11 am–4 pm and the Roanoke PetSmart® and Lake Worth PetSmart® locations from 10 am–3 pm, Friday–Sunday, March 10th–12th. The grant funding will be used for sheltering and supplies to help more homeless pets in North Texas find their forever homes.

"The Humane Society of North Texas is incredibly thankful for funding from PetSmart Charities so we can provide the best care and medical treatment to pets in need, particularly senior pets who historically have a harder time being placed in a new home," said Destiny Vandeput, Director of Communications for HSNT. "PetSmart Charities National Adoption Week plays a huge role in the success of placing pets of all ages with forever families and we look forward to seeing all the new families created this week."

"National Adoption Week is an ideal opportunity to give a pet in need what they need most – people to love," said Heidi Fulcher, Sr. Adoptions Grant Manager at PetSmart Charities. "Pets with special needs, such as those recovering from injuries or living with limb differences, trauma recovery or physical limitations make wonderful additions to families. These resilient pets have a lot to teach us about the joy and value of caregiving."

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 or Facebook. To learn more about HSNT, visit hsnt.org, Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, LinkedIn and TikTok. Pets and People, Saving Each Other™

About PetSmart Charities®

PetSmart Charities, Inc. is committed to making the world a better place for pets and all who love them. Through its in-store adoption program in all PetSmart® stores across the U.S. and Puerto Rico, PetSmart® Charities helps nearly 600,000 pets connect with loving families each year. PetSmart Charities also provides grant funding to support organizations that advocate and care for the well-being of all pets and their families. Our grants and efforts connect pets with loving homes through adoption, improve access to affordable veterinary care and support families in times of crisis with access to food, shelter and emergency relief. Each year, millions of generous supporters help pets in need by donating to PetSmart Charities directly at PetSmartCharities.org, while shopping at PetSmart.com, and by using the PIN pads at checkout registers inside PetSmart stores. In turn, PetSmart Charities efficiently uses more than 90 cents of every dollar donated to fulfill its role as the leading funder of animal welfare in North America, granting more than \$475 million since its inception in 1994. Independent from PetSmart Inc., PetSmart Charities is a 501(c)(3) organization that has received the Four-Star Rating from Charity Navigator for the past 17 years in a row – placing it among the top one percent of rated charities. To learn more visit www.petsmartcharities.org.

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