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Leaving a Legacy for Animals

Thank you for your consideration in making a meaningful impact on the animals and people served by the Wisconsin Humane Society (WHS).

Founded in 1879, WHS has been saving the lives of animals in need for more than 140 years. WHS is an independent, 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization and operates animal shelters in Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Racine, Kenosha, Door and Brown Counties, as well as a spay/neuter clinic in West Allis.

MISSION:
Our mission is to make a difference for animals and the people who love them.

LEGAL NAME & ADDRESS:
Wisconsin Humane Society
4500 West Wisconsin Ave.
Milwaukee, WI 53208

FEDERAL TAX ID NUMBER:
39-0810533

What will your legacy be?

Your estate or planned gift helps WHS ensure companions have a warm bed, adequate food to eat, compassionate veterinary and behavioral care, and a family who loves them. Estate gifts of every size make a life-changing impact on animals and the people who care for them. Find more about WHS's efforts on the back of this sheet.

You can customize your gift so it makes the impact that means the most to you!

Gifts can be:

- Revocable or irrevocable
- Designated to our most urgent needs or restricted toward a specific campus or program
- Recognized publicly or made anonymously

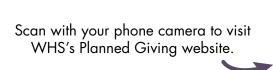With thoughtful planning, you can create win-win solutions for you and animals!

Those who include WHS in their estate plans are also welcomed into the **Buster's Legacy Society**. The group is composed of compassionate individuals who made the incredible choice to leave a legacy for animals. Members receive a commemorative pin, invites to exclusive events and behind-the-scenes tours of facilities, a specialty discount code for WHS's Animal Antics stores, and more.

When working with your legal or financial advisor, know that WHS's team of Philanthropic Advisors are here for you and available to confidentially assist you in accomplishing your legacy goals. Personal Philanthropic Advisors are available in each of our communities. Contact WHS today to find the best option for you!

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Scan with your phone camera to visit WHS's Planned Giving website.

Did you know?

Supporters help WHS annually serve more than 40,000 animals, including 5,000 wild animals. WHS receives no general government funding and operates thanks to the generosity of animal lovers like you!

As an independent nonprofit, WHS is not part of any national umbrella organization. As the largest shelter in the state of Wisconsin, WHS offers the following specialized services:

- **An adoption program** that matches 13,000+ animals with new families each year; we do not euthanize animals to make space in our shelters, and animals in our adoption program have as long as it takes to find a new home

- **Stray/lost animal and law enforcement holding services** for municipalities in Door, Brown, Ozaukee, Racine, and Kenosha Counties, which reunite thousands of pets with their families each year

- **Intake support and services for surrendered animals** from Door, Brown, Ozaukee, Milwaukee, Racine, and Kenosha Counties

- **Affordable vaccines, microchips, and spay/neuter services** open to the public

- **Pet food pantries** that provide pet food, treats, and cat litter, etc. to bridge gaps in accessing these important resources

- **Community outreach programs** that connect families with resources for their pets

- **A foster program** for animals who need extra support or a break from the shelter

- **Dog training classes** for dogs and puppies, as well as online pet support tips for behavior concerns

- **Youth programs** to engage and inspire the next generation of animal lovers

- **Retail merchandise** at our Animal Antics stores at each campus, and online

- **The Wildlife Rehabilitation Center**, which provides rescue, rehabilitation, and release for roughly 5,000 wild animals annually at our Milwaukee Campus.

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Milwaukee, WI 53208

Ozaukee Campus
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Saukville, WI 53080

Racine Campus
8900 16th St.
Mount Pleasant, WI 53177

Door County Campus
3475 Park Dr.
Sturgeon Bay, WI 54235

Green Bay Campus
1830 Radisson St.
Green Bay, WI 54302

Kenosha Campus
7811 60th Ave.
Kenosha, WI 53142