

Dear Humane Society Friend,

June 2020

Unprecedented time of our lives

Please stay safe as we are in this most unprecedented time as Covid19 has affected our very existence. Some of us will be okay and some of us will struggle through physical, emotional and economic recovery but we are in this together and we will get through this together.

The loss of normalcy and the uncertainties have also affected the relationship with our pets. The need for our pet's companionship has grown stronger although the opposite does occur out of fear of spreading the virus. Covid19 spreads from person-to-person and can spread from people to animals. Our pets actually could get sick from us so please wash your hands.

The Humane Society is readapting with most of our difficulties coming from economic losses. We applied for and received the small business government loan that will help pay employees for the next few months. The Humane Society's main source of operational income has been the Rescue Resale Shop in Westwood Square and because of the Covid19 pandemic the shop has followed the guidelines and has been temporarily closed to the public.

We are fortunate to have enough donated dog and cat food and we have dedicated employees to care for the animals but we also need to pay the \$800 mortgage, the \$1200 utilities and communication services, insurance, upkeep expenses, Rescue Resale Shop's rent and utilities and the medical expenses which sometimes average \$2,000 a month.

Our thoughts are with you, your family and with your pets and we thank you for caring and for being our friend.

Sincerely, President: Brenda Volmer, Vice President: John Long, Secretary: Ann Zobrosky, Treasurer: Jayne Stuckey, Teresa Willmann, Kathleen Carlson, Sarah Ertel, Judy Perez, Mary Branson, Ann Simmons, Cindy Scott, Christy Bernardin and Dan Kaufman

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My donation in all ways will help abused and neglected animals \$_____ Thank you for Caring

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WE ARE SO THANKFUL

The Humane Society has been fortunate and grateful beyond words to some very giving people and although they wish to remain anonymous we want to acknowledge their generosity and compassion for the gift of a 2019 cargo van that was desperately needed for a multitude of purposes to safely transport animals, move supplies and transfer equipment and items to the resale shop. **We sincerely thank you for this incredible gift.**

We also want to give a special recognition and appreciation to our employees and volunteers as they have gone beyond their normal duties to keep the animals safe and regarded during these troubled times. **Thank you so very much.**

A special thank you to the Rescue Resale Shop's volunteers who have kept the shop ready for reopening and advertised and sold items online. **You are so appreciated.**

