2024 IMPACT REPORT

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

It's been just 3 years since we started NH Pet Aid and I'm delighted to report that we are really hitting our stride! This past year we were honored to be the recipients of several high-profile community fundraising events, and more pet owners in financial need were finding us when facing an unexpected veterinary emergency. Many of these were life-threatening situations for the pet and required an immediate response. Thankfully, we were able to respond quickly, saving many pet's lives. While our 8 volunteer board members continue to manage all aspects of the organization without any staff or office, we certainly couldn't do this work without you, our donors. It is our privilege to help pets and their families during a frightening medical emergency, and we are only able to do this because of your generous support.

With gratitude, Patty

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SNAPSHOT

171

Inquiries from pet owners seeking help to pay for veterinary emergencies

119

Pet owners submitted completed applications

105

Pet owners qualified for grants up to \$500 for their cat or dog 28

Communities in Rockingham and Strafford counties served

2024 OVERVIEW

FINANCIALS

NH Pet Aid had an extraordinary fundraising year after unexpectedly being selected by **Lonza**, **Revo Casino** and **Fabulous Find** to receive proceeds from their charitable activities. The funds from these special events give us the opportunity to consider future growth and to help even more pets in need.

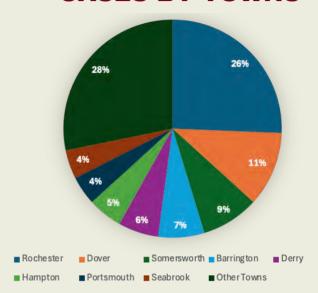
DONATIONS RAISED...... \$165,319
GRANTS PAID OUT....... \$45,325
OVERHEAD EXPENSES.. \$4,494*
ROLLOVER TO 2025..... \$115,500

GRANT PROGRAM

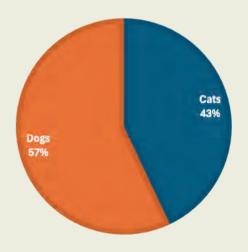
NH Pet Aid accepts applications for grants of up to \$500 from pet owners in financial need residing in Rockingham and Strafford counties. We fund cases for cats and dogs that are urgent in nature and where there is a favorable outlook for the pet's recovery. We do not fund routine care such as annual wellness visits, spaying or neutering, or immunizations.

Our goal is to help pet owners with the greatest financial need, therefore applicants must be on some form of federal, state, or local assistance program. Grants are paid directly to the veterinarian.

CASES BY TOWNS



DOG & CAT CASES



*The NH Pet Aid Board of Directors covers overhead expenses so that all donations from the community go toward our grant program.

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COMMON DIAGNOSES

Tumors
Respiratory distress
Fractures/orthopedic issues
Gastrointestinal issues

Eye disease
Seizures
Uterine infections
Severe dental disease

Severe skin/ear infections Trauma/wounds Accidental poisoning Foreign object ingestion

WE COULDN'T HAVE DONE IT WITHOUT YOU

GIFTS JANUARY 1 - DECEMBER 31, 2024

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Charitable
Fund/Schwab
Winokur-Scholz Charitable
Fund/Fidelity

GIFTS IN-KIND

Airfield Cafe The Black Dog Tavern **Broadview Animal Hospital** Dogland Drum Center **Emery Farm** Priscilla French Rebecca Gould The Flower Kiosk Golf & Ski Warehouse Hex Hair Boutique Jimmy's on Congress Lenharth Systems Lowes of Seabrook The Loyal Path Mac & Coppers Pet Supply Outlet Maine Pet Supply McKinnons Meal Prep Chef, NH Ocean Properties Paddy's American Grill Port City Coffee Roasters Portsmouth Hospitality Ristorante Massimo Revive Auto Dealing Runners Alley Janet Schaefer Mitchell Shuldman Strawbery Banke Museum Take Five Dog Care Wentworth Greenhouses White Heron Tea & Coffee The Works Bakery Cafe World Wide Chocolate

BUSINESS DONORS

(Gifts of \$500+)













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THANK YOU!

Our goal is to keep cats and dogs from being euthanized, surrendered to shelters or suffering when their loving owners are unable to afford unexpected, urgent veterinary care.

^{*}New Hampshire Charitable Foundation

NH Pet Aid was honored to receive the following tribute gifts in 2024

Gifts in Honor of:

Casey by Theresa Fisher
Deborah Discher by The Brittingham Family
Dianna Schulte by Deborah Schulte
Diane Schaefer by Peter Bowman
Janet Schaefer by Diane Schaefer
Marion Crombie by Linda Freese
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Patty Cohen by Anita Scholz
Roscoe by Amir Rosenthal
Star and Sailor by Helen Brewster
Wendy Munroe by Jean Williams
Zak my rescue by Margaret Lyford

Gifts in Memory of:

Franklin by Helen Taft Lucas by Diane Schaefer Oliver by Ann Martiin Pippi by Kristin & Aron Jeffrey Ricky McGuire by Debra Tesoro Ziva by Nathaniel Williams



Thank you notes



"We can't tell you how appreciative we are for the gift of life you made possible for Big Paws!! He's able to breathe and live a long life of happiness and love because of you!"

"This news [of the grant] brought tears to my eyes. Please know that I am incredibly grateful to you and everyone inclved in NH Pet Aid for helping me cover Jasper's treatment and surgery."





"Oh my goodness, thank you so much! I promise once I'm in a better place financially I will pay it forward so that you can help other kitties like my Baby."



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