

SPCA PET RESCUE & ADOPTION CENTER

Joining Hands Saving Lives



Dear Friend,

We'd like to offer you an opportunity to promote your company or product, have a great time with your family, friends and colleagues, and support an ongoing valuable asset in our community.

SPCA of Southwest Michigan is pleased to announce our 5th Annual 5K Doggie Dash scheduled for Saturday, September 24, 2016 at beautiful Spring Valley Park! This outdoor event brings together hundreds of families and individuals of all ages with their dogs, for a 5K Fun Run, and lots of activities, food, music and prizes. Enthusiastic community support continues to grow, and this year our goal is to raise \$30,000 for our no-kill animal rescue and adoption center.

We would be proud to have you as an event sponsor. Tax-deductible sponsorship opportunities are available for your company's name and logo to be included in all print advertising and social media. You can also take pride knowing you've contributed to a worthy cause.

Since 2002, our dedicated volunteers, local veterinarians and generous donors have supported the rescue of over 13,000 abandoned and neglected pets, providing veterinary care and a nurturing environment for their healthy recovery, and adoption into caring families. Before each pet is offered for adoption, it's spayed or neutered, chipped, given up-to-date immunizations, and lots of TLC. When given a second chance, these remarkable dogs and cats offer love and companionship, enriching the lives of their new families.

In addition to our rescue efforts, we continue to expand our partnerships with local agencies and other non-profit organizations to meet community needs, and reduce animal over population and high euthanasia rates in Kalamazoo County. We partner with Loaves and Fishes to provide food to pets of families in need. We provide shelters for animals housed outdoors during the winter, and work with the YWCA Domestic Abuse Program to provide shelter for pets of women fleeing violent domestic situations. We also teach healthy pet care to scouts and school groups, and our volunteers, with enthusiastic rescue dogs in tow, regularly brighten the day for patients at Springs at the Fountains Nursing Facility.

We ask your support as a sponsor, and encourage your family, friends and colleagues to join us on Saturday, September 24th to help celebrate the 2016 SPCA Doggie Dash! Whether you run for awards, walk for pleasure, or just come out to cheer on the participants, it's a joyful event for all our two and four legged friends. **It's true....having so much fun can do so much good!**

Warm regards,

Katie Timber
Executive Director