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HAWS TO RECEIVE TRANSPORT OF HURRICANE-DISPLACED SHELTER PETS

Life-saving transport supporting communities in crisis to arrive in Waukesha Saturday

WAUKESHA – September 13, 2024. [HAWS](#), the Humane Animal Welfare Society of Waukesha County, and our partners will welcome a life-saving transport of shelter pets that have been affected by Hurricane Francine on Saturday, September 14th. In the aftermath of the hurricane, [Greater Good Charities](#) is flying dozens of adoptables from Louisiana to both Pennsylvania and Wisconsin to find new homes

As always, the pets on this flight were already housed in shelters and available for adoption prior to the hurricane's landfall. No owned animals are part of this transport; local shelters are cleared via these transports to make room for emergency housing of the influx of owned pets, giving them the ability to reunite pets with their owners after the storm.

Details for this life-saving flight are as follows:

- ETA Saturday, September 14th between 2:00-2:30pm. Track at www.flightaware.com using tail number AMF7157.
- Pets will be unloaded at Stein Aviation, 2651 Aviation Drive, Waukesha's Crites Field.
- Approximately 85 pets will be on the flight, shared between PA and WI.

This flight is part of the **Greater Good Charities Good Flights** program. All shelter pets transported on the flight will be done so in compliance with USDA interstate regulations. Local partner shelters receiving pets are HAWS, Elmbrook Humane Society, Humane Society of Jefferson County and Southern Wisconsin Humane Society. The shelters hope to have these pets ready for adoption within the next week, after they have been evaluated and receive any additional medical care as needed.

MEDIA NOTE: Media are encouraged to join shelter staff/volunteers on the tarmac at Crites Field to welcome the flight; **day-of contact** is HAWS' Johanna Schmanski.

Greater Good Charities is a 501(c)(3) global nonprofit organization that works to help people, pets, and the planet by mobilizing in response to need and amplifying the good. Greater Good Charities, with a Four-Star rating on Charity Navigator and a Platinum Seal on GuideStar, has invested more than \$750 million in impact, including cash grants, in-kind supplies, and programmatic support to charitable partners in 121 countries since 2007. To learn more about how Greater Good Charities is amplifying the good across the globe, please visit greatergood.org or follow Facebook, Instagram, X, YouTube, and TikTok.

A non-profit organization established in 1965, the Humane Animal Welfare Society assists over 10,000 animals and welcomes more than 35,000 human visitors each year. HAWS is an open admission, no-kill shelter dedicated to strengthening the relationship between animals and humans through adoptions and education, making a more compassionate community possible. HAWS is located at 701 Northview Road in Waukesha, Wisconsin.

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