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PRESS RELEASE

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ASPCA AND SUBARU GRANT FUELS SPOKANIMAL EFFORTS TO AID ANIMALS
Community invited to adoption event and shelter supply drive

Spokane, WA - September 28, 2023 – Local shelter pets at SpokAnimal are feeling the love from the ASPCA and Subaru thanks to a recent grant aimed at helping pets during October’s Subaru Loves Pets initiative. The funding will help SpokAnimal prep a variety of shelter pets for a special October 14 adoption event hosted at Subaru of Spokane, located at 423 W 3rd Avenue, from 10am to 2pm. As an extra bonus, the downtown dealership will also be hosting a month-long “Stuff the Subaru with Pet Supplies” drive. A wish list of supplies can be picked up from the dealership.

“In addition to the grant, Subaru of Spokane is donating \$100 for the first 31 pets adopted from our shelter in October, so we hope people will plan on joining us for the adoption event. This extra support from the dealership is important because it helps us cover the cost of care for other shelter pets in need,” stated SpokAnimal executive director, Dori Peck. “We’re also inviting the public to celebrate National Make A Dog’s Day on October 22 too. That’s a day created by Subaru to encourage all dog-lovers to do something special for their dog and we’ll be ensuring our shelter dogs get a special treat to celebrate.”

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About SpokAnimal

SpokAnimal is Eastern Washington’s largest humane society for pet adoptions and we found homes for 4,031 animals in 2022. Our low-income vet clinic provides care to both shelter and public-owned animals, with spay/neuter services, microchips, vaccines, dentals and more. Community services include a pet food bank, Guardian Angel emergency boarding, and Home to Home rehoming/foster network. Those interested in supporting our nonprofit’s work can contribute online at www.spokanimal.org.

About Subaru

For 15 years, Subaru of America has partnered with the ASPCA for the annual Subaru Share the Love Event, dedicating the month of October for the Subaru Loves Pets initiative. Subaru of America and its retailers, including Subaru of Spokane, have donated over \$51 million to national and local animal organizations.