



2022 Year-to-date Statistics
Adoptions in 2022: 2,122
Animals Served by Community Pet Resources Programs: 8,871

Puppy Love at Taft

We now can house puppies at our Taft Campus!

If there is one thing we can't get enough of, it's puppies! Our Taft Hill Campus now has the capacity to house not only adult dogs, but puppies! Generally, puppies are too young to stay in a shelter environment as they are more susceptible to illness and disease. Our incredible team of Animal Care Technicians work diligently to ensure our pups are well taken care of while they wait for the next chapter of their journey. We now have an isolation area where these pups can safely wait for adoption, while still receiving impeccable care and love.



Our first puppies at Taft, Zeke, Zechariah, and Zanita!

The puppies at Taft get to stay in runs in a room separated from the adult dogs to reduce stress and disease. During play group, puppies have an outdoor area specifically for them, which has its own pool, shade, and fun toys! We have curated a special team of volunteers that are trained to

work with the puppies to provide care, playtime, and socialization. We are able to house puppies between the ages of eight weeks to eight months. Pups who are older than eight months get housed with our adult dog population while pups under eight weeks stay in one of our dedicated foster homes.



Our outdoor area specifically for puppies.

Having puppies at our shelter has expanded our ability to help more animals due to having a shortage of puppy foster homes. The pups onsite help all of animals by bringing new potential adopters to our facility, creating more exposure for our older residents. Having adoptable puppies onsite also challenges the myth that puppies must be purchased from a pet store. It helps encourage people to adopt who might not have otherwise considered rescuing from a shelter.

[I want to foster!](#)

[I want to support Puppies at Taft!](#)

Special Volunteer Opportunity

Volunteer Opportunities:

- **Transfer and Intake Assistant:** We are looking for a Transfer and Intake Assistant Volunteer to help welcome new animals and get them ready to go to their foster homes! This volunteer will help with intake exams and will also help clean and prepare crates and vehicles for new transports. We need help for 8+ hours a week, Wednesdays and Fridays 10a-2p. If you are interested in this opportunity, email volunteer@savinganimalstoday.org

Help our local partner Larimer Humane Society better understand the needs of our community by completing this short [survey](#). By participating,

you could be randomly selected to win either 2 tickets to their annual fundraiser Top Cat and Tails, a \$100 Amazon Gift Card, or up to \$300 towards an adoption fee for one animal.



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[Take the Survey](#)

Upcoming Events

August 28 - Open Streets: The City of Fort Collins will be having their annual **Open Streets** on Sunday from 10a-3p. Enjoy 1-2 miles of car-free, family-friendly streets to highlight FOCO's walkable and bikeable routes. Meet local business and organizations that support community well-being.

August 28 - 2022 Calendar Contest Deadline: Submit your best pet photos for a chance to see your beloved fur friend as one of our featured pets of the month! You can also add your photo or message to a special date for an additional donation. [Enter your photos today!](#)

August 30 - Locust Cider Bingo: Join us in Old Town Tuesday evening from 6p-8p at **Locust Cider** for a few rounds of **Bingo!** Buy a pint, get a card, and win prizes to benefit the Alliance.

August 31 - Last Day for Run Fur Fun: Spooktacular Early Bird Registration- are you ready for a fun fall race with your favorite canine companion? Join us on October 29 for the spookiest race of the year! Special features include a costume contest for people, pets, and teams and post-race treats from Snooze and New Belgium! [Register for the race today](#) to take advantage of the early bird discount!

Sept 1-30 - Saving Pets Challenge: Save the date for our annual month-long crowdfunding competition! Keep an eye out for details on how you can help Animal Friends Alliance compete against shelters across to country for top prizes up to \$50,000 for our animals in need!

September 11 - Puppy Yoga: We will be at Genesis Health Club on Sunday from 2p-4p for **yoga with puppies!** Get your Savasana on while enjoying cuddly pups. You can register by sending an email [here](#).

September 17 - Adoptapalooza: We hope to see you all at **Cosmic Dog** for their 3rd annual Adoptapalooza! We will be in attendance with several adoptable dogs and cats from 11a-3p. Join the fun to help reduce the homeless pet population.

September 18 - Yappy Hour: Join us at **The Elizabeth Hotel** from 2p-4p for an afternoon of drinks and fun! Enjoy your day with a special cocktail and meet a few of our adoptable dogs.

[See our calendar for more upcoming events!](#)

Adoption Feature

Help Armani Find a Loving Home!



Armani is an absolute joy to be around. She's a beautiful seven year old Pitbull who has so much love to give. She's been with the Alliance for quite some time, but has been lucky enough to have a break from the shelter in one of our amazing foster homes.

Armani is very gentle with people and walks well on a leash. Since she truly enjoys being the center of attention, she would do best in a home without other dogs. Armani has had quite the transformation since arriving here with

us. Armani needed assistance getting her weight to a healthy level. She's done fantastic in her foster home and has even lost a few pounds. She's been with us since March and is so ready for the next chapter of her journey.

Interested in Armani? You can complete an adoption questionnaire by visiting our [website](#) or send any questions you may have about her to adopt@savinganimalstoday.org. If you're not in a place to adopt a new friend, you can also [donate](#) to support her care and ensure we can keep helping dogs in need like her!

[Adopt Armani](#)

[Donate to help animals like Armani](#)

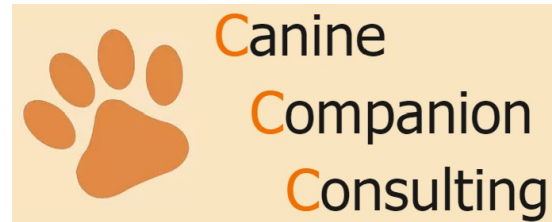
Supporter Recognition

Thank you to our 2022 Gala for Animals Presenting
Sponsors



BizPAW Spotlight

We would love to introduce you to our new BizPAW (Business Partners in Animal Welfare), NoCo Unleashed, Paint Pals, Fresh Flow Aquatics , and Canine Companion Consulting. These incredible organizations have committed to monthly monetary donations to help the Alliance to serve more animals today and in the future!



If your business, or a business you patronize, would like to support our mission - and receive special recognition in our e-newsletter and elsewhere - learn more about this important program on [our website](#).

[Become a BizPAW!](#)

Animal Advocate Club Membership



NEW MEMBERS

See your name listed here - Join our [Animal Advocate Club!](#)

Gifts in Honor and Memory

- In honor of Hudson's journey home, by Alane Urban.
- In honor of Kubo (aka Cody), by Patricia Fay.
- In honor of Jay and Victor's Wedding, by Nina Garbino.

- In honor of **Flash Zimmerman**, by Anna Beucler.
- In honor of **Julya Vega**, by Annabelle Clark.
- In honor of **Megan Streetman**, by Patrick Lynch.
- In memory and honor of **all our beloved four-legged rescues** by Karen Horn.
- In honor of **Leo, Nick & P'Nut**, by Catherine Feely.
- In honor of My fur baby, **Moby Dobes**, by Traci Stickler.
- In honor of our loving rescues, **Rain, Riley & Bella**, by Carol Franco-Rowe.
- In memory of my sister Lynne's dogs, **Jingles, Hillary and Duster** and **My sister Kathi's dog Kiva**. They gave my love to everyone, by Edythe Lyon.
- In memory of **Pumpkin, Sammy, Zeppy, Malaika and Oxley**, by Mark Lutton.
- In memory of **Hal Dunn**, by Linda Brucker.
- In memory of **Bridget**, by Julie Piepho.
- In memory of **Jacqueline Johnson**, by Rachel Salgado.
- In memory of **Baby and Ggrrr**, by Kerry Dougherty.
- In memory of **Bubby Gremmer**, by Jack Gremmer.
- In memory of **Gus Gus, Sidekick and the incomparable Betty White**, by Lindsey Seastone.
- In memory of **Melvina Johnston**, by Larry Johnston.
- In memory of my **4-legged furry treasures**, Kathy Malinowski.
- In memory of **Patricia and Ralph Redman**, by Judith Redman.
- In memory of **Rocco, Amos and Hank**, by Keri Genevese.
- On behalf of the **out-of-this-world friends and family of Aimée & Josh**, by Aimee Leverette.
- On behalf of **Lexi Dozier**, by Alexandra Evans.
- In honor of **Chris & Darrin's birthday's**, by Mary Waller.
- In honor of **Eryn Leather's birthday**, by Mary Thompson.
- In honor of **Cait Baker's birthday**, by Colleen McGehee, Jennifer Walker, Lisa C Dobel and Kathy Dalton.
- In honor of **Holden and Ashley Hansen's marriage**, by Amy Brown.
- In honor of **Kathy Dalton's birthday**, by Sue Ehrfurth.
- In honor of **Kyle Craft's birthday**, by Tami Craft.
- In honor of **Matthew Speer's BPT birthday**, by Ashley Mueller.
- In honor of **Megan Streetman's birthday**, by Kelly Little, Matthew Speer, Kris Cafaro, Kathy Dalton, Tiffany Tynes, Savannah Stoll, Chaz Richardson, Paula Lewis, Colleen McGehee, Amanda Schroeder, Jordan Waterbear, Mariah McCulley, Lisa C Dobel, Lauren Abrahamsen & Sarah Swanty.
- In honor of **Shannon Long's birthday**, by Connie Hjar.
- In memory of **Carol Landy**, by Susan Broeker.
- In memory of **Lucy Rohbacker**, by Carole Thorsrud

Make a gift in honor or memory

August Coupons



\$5 OFF
any size bag of
Breeder's Choice
pet food

One coupon per household per visit,
cannot be combined with other PPFS
coupons. Exp: 9/30/22 Code: Alli2022AUG

Pre-schedule your
donation for
Colorado Gives Day
beginning November 1st!

Meet our Adoptable Dogs

Meet our Adoptable Cats



Animal Friends Alliance
Mulberry Campus: 2321 E. Mulberry St., Unit 1, Fort Collins, CO 80524
Taft Hill Campus: 2200 N. Taft Hill Rd., Fort Collins, CO 80524