## **Mission Statement**

Established in 1988, as a non-profit, our mission is to rescue dogs, cats, and other animals from shelters where they may be euthanized due to time limitations, illness, injuries or lack of socialization and training. We also take in owner surrenders when space is available. We are dedicated to educating the public about the pet overpopulations crisis, the importance of spaying/neutering and responsible pet ownership.

To be effective, our shelter concentrates our attention and resources on one segment of the animal problem: those in shelters and facing euthanasia. These animals need a second chance at life and it is our goal to provide that opportunity for as many of these pets as possible.

Helping us fulfill our mission are Pet Pal Veterinary Clinic and Pet Pal Thrift Store. The clinic provides affordable vet care to the public as well as providing care to our shelter animals, and proceeds from the clinic help fund the shelter. Proceeds from the Pet Pal Thrift Store also help fund the operation of the shelter. By supporting these businesses, you also support the mission of Pet Pal Animal Shelter.

## **Contact Us**

Pet Pal Animal Shelter 405 22nd St S St Petersburg FL 33712 Phone: 727-328-7738 estate@petpalanimalshelter.com

Our shelter, located in midtown St. Petersburg, Florida, has saved over 6,800 animals in need since we opened our doors in 2005. With your help we can continue our mission of saving animals.

A COPY OF THE OFFICIAL REGISTRATION AND FINANCIAL INFORMATION MAY BE OBTAINED FROM THE DIVISION OF CONSUMER SERVICES BY CALLING TOLL-FREE, WITHIN THE STATE, 1-800-HELPFLA, OR VIA THE INTERNET AT WWW.FLORIDACONSUMERHELP.COM. REGISTRATION DOES NOT IMPLY ENDORSEMENT, APPROVAL, OR RECOMMENDATION BY THE STATE. Charity registration number: CH15036. All donations benefit the shelter animals that are in the care of Pet Pal Animal Shelter.



# Estate Planning Information

PET PAL IS A NON-PROFIT, 501©3 CORPORATION. FEDERAL TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 59-2967819

# How to Bequest to Pet Pal Rescue, Inc.

# WILLS:

The simplest method is to add the following language to your will:

I bequest to Pet Pal Rescue, Inc. located at 405 22nd St S, St Petersburg FL 33712. A Florida non-profit corporation (EIN: 59-2967819) the following:

Here you would list either specific assets such as a specific amount of cash, real estate, personal property (jewelry, vehicles), bank accounts, or investment accounts.

Example (cash) Just list the amount of cash you are leaving to Pet Pal such as \$1,000

Example (real estate) House located at 1001 Apple Way, St Petersburg FL 33701

Example: (bank/investment) USA Bank account #245556, address 1001 Apple Way, St Petersburg FL 33702

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Example (personal property) 1990 Chevy Nova, VIN 78548393943 located at my personal residence.

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Example (personal property) oval ruby ring that is located at my personal residence.

# LIFE INSURANCE AND ANNUITIES:

To add Pet Pal Rescue, Inc. to your insurance/annuity you must contact your agent or policy company and have Pet Pal designated as a beneficiary. You do not need to have the entire policy left to Pet Pal. You may set a specific amount or percentage to multiple beneficiaries. You may also change this designation at any time, therefore you are not locked into this request if at some time in the future if you change your mind. To add Pet Pal to your insurance you will need to give your agent the following information:

Pet Pal Rescue, Inc. 59-2897819 405 22nd St S St Petersburg FL 33712 727-328-7738

# OTHER CONSIDERATIONS:

You may not be sure that your estate will provide for specific assets to be given to Pet Pal and cover your final expenses. You may request that a residuary bequest be made to Pet Pal. This will designate that your expenses be paid first and remaining or partial remains of your estate be made to Pet Pal.

You may also like someone other than Pet Pal to receive your estate but are concerned that the individual will not be alive at the time of your death. You may request Pet Pal as a contingent beneficiary. Your will would request that Pet Pal receive specific assets if your original named beneficiary does not survive you.

# LEGAL ADVICE:

Please contact your attorney for legal advice.