



Dear Rachel (Current/Active),

<mail date>

Can you hear it?

The *beep beep beep* as the backhoe reverses into digging position. That deep, grinding scrape as it scoops up the first bucket of dirt. The whoops and cheers of the community members who have worked so hard to get us to this moment.

You'll have to listen a little closer, but you might also hear...

The mews, barks, chirps and squeaks of the many deserving animal friends who will soon be moving into their brand new, "Almost Home".

Do you know what else I hear?

I hear YOU. I hear your love and your compassion for animals coming through as a strong, steady heartbeat. You've been one of our cherished companions, cheering for animals from the very beginning.

That's why I wanted you to be one of the first to know: The moment has arrived. We're ready to start digging. Then, to start building, brick by brick and stone by stone, a brand new, **modern and amazing Animal Community Centre**.

If you've been to the Shelter, you know as well as I do that this is a long time coming. **The animals deserve so much better** than the crumbling, mildewy, decrepit space we're currently in. And soon, they'll have it!

But first, it's going to take a bit more help from loyal friends like you.

Rachel, will you make a special gift to fund this vital new Animal Community Centre? Your gift of \$XX, or even \$XX, would be such a great help.

This really is a dream come true for me, as it is for so many others! I started working with the Regina Humane Society 31 years ago. I've dedicated my life to its mission to improve the lives of animals. I've seen time and again

... please keep reading...

Extra Special Reply Form for

Mrs Jane Sample

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✓ **Yes, Lisa!** I'll put my heart into helping you and our animal friends build the new Animal Community Centre this year. Here's my extra special gift of:

☐ \$XX

☒ \$XX

This amount will really make a difference!

☐ \$XXX

☐ Surprise us! \$_____

AND ☐ I'd like to help animals in need right now with an additional donation of \$_____

☐ My cheque made payable to the **Regina Humane Society** is enclosed. **OR**

☐ I would like to make my gift by using my:
☐ VISA ☐ Mastercard ☐ AMEX

Credit Card # _____

Expiry Date (MM/YY) _____

Signature _____

Phone _____

Email _____



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Thank you so very much!

just how much this organization means to the community – animal lovers just like you! – and to the vulnerable, at-risk pets we serve.

It's way past time for us to have a new space that serves the animals – and the humans who love them – in the best possible way.

With your help, the new Centre will have **bright and warm dog and cat habitats** that feel like home. Cats will have their own rooms with **ample areas to climb and jump**, as well as access to an outdoor “Catio”. Dogs will have **space to run and play**, as well as comfortable places of their own to cuddle and relax. They'll have access to **wonderful new green spaces too!** There will be custom environments for the wee animals we care for as well, don't you worry!

Kids and adults can **learn about animal care and welfare** in welcoming multi-purpose classrooms. There will be plenty of areas where you can interact with, and enjoy, the animals too. One of the most exciting and important additions will be a brand new **fully-equipped veterinary clinic**, where we'll provide essential medical care to the animals who need us. The entire Centre will be bright, open and inviting – a vast contrast to what we're in right now!

I'm so excited to see you and all of our caring, compassionate, animal-loving friends in this life-changing new space, once it's open. But in order for that to happen, we **really do need your help right now**.

The work has begun. The construction site is bustling and busy. Everyone is doing their part to make this dream become a reality! Can you find it in your heart to make a special gift today and help fund this vital new Animal Community Centre?



Yours in bringing humans and animals together,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Lisa Koch". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Lisa Koch
Executive Director

P.S.: You'll notice I've included a lively and fun illustrated “storybook” to give you a glimpse into the work that's starting on the new Shelter now, and what it will feel like inside when it's done. I do hope you'll join us and put your heart and love into this new Centre being built for animals – and for your community.

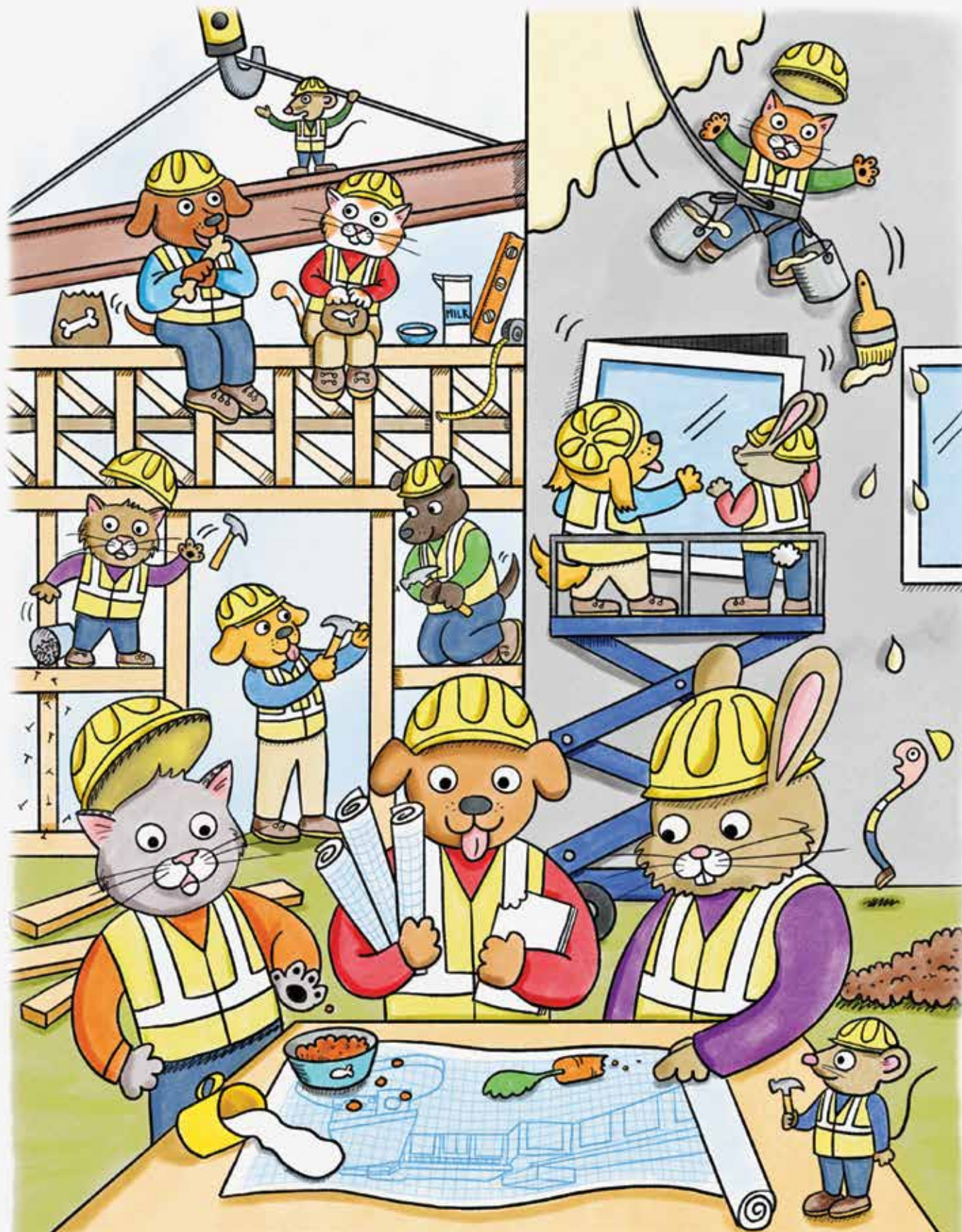
COMING SOON!

Our animal friends have started work on a brand new, exciting project they can't wait to share with you!

Keep reading to see what they are up to...



The hard work has begun! Soon you can visit us at a beautiful new home for all of our fuzzy (and not so fuzzy) friends. But watch out for dripping paint or spilt milk! Our animal friends have the construction under control but they need your help to make this new Centre come to life. Find out all the ways you can help make this house a home - **INSIDE!**



Regina Humane Society Animal Community Centre

Here it is! A purpose built home perfect for all of our animal friends and you. There will be room for cats and dogs to roam around outside as much as inside. A place for comfort and healing. A place that's Almost Home.

And all we need is **YOU!**



The new space will be open, inviting and safe for all of our animal friends. Hurt and vulnerable animals will receive the best possible medical care in surroundings that feel (almost) like home. Also! There will be room for our human friends to learn about pets and what they will need from us when they find their forever home.



Animal Habitats - Cages replaced with clean, warm, home-like habitats for dogs and cats



Veterinary Care Centre - Fully equipped veterinary clinic to help animals at their time of greatest need



Animal Services Centre - Dedicated space to accept lost or surrendered animals and provide them with comfort and care



Centre for Humane Education & Wellness - Three dedicated classrooms for educational programming also available for after-hours public use



Green Spaces - Fenced and landscaped large and pint-sized dog parks



Cat Atrium - Three season Catio to provide adoptable cats with safe outdoor time for enrichment



All we need is you!

This new Centre is a dream
come true for the animals

AND our community. Please put your heart into our new
Animal Community Centre by making a gift today. If you
wish to talk to someone about this project and how
you can get even MORE involved, get in touch with
Karen Mercier, Capital Campaign Director at
(306) 570-3833 or **kmercier@reginahumane.ca**.





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