

Hello:

I live in Portland, OR, and I'm writing to urge the Oregon House Rules Committee to vote YES on HCR 16.

I've had rescue dogs all my life, and they are the best! Rescued dogs and cats get a second chance at life, and dude, that is what Oregon is all about. Give us your sweet rejects, your tired masses, your weird matted fur, and Oregon will make them into a healthy beauty (albeit, we may still opt to be a bit weird.)

Seriously, though, Border Collies don't need to be advertised. They're already lovely, well-established dogs. We need to root for the underdog, literally, here. Let's make the shelter dog the state dog, eh?

Thanks for reading.

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