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On Behalf Of:

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Measure: HCR8

Please support HCR 8 and make the rescue shelter pet Oregon's official state pet. Animal shelters perform an important function and need all the help they can get. This designation would help promote animal shelters and boost adoptions.

Wasco County, where I live, used to euthanize approximately 1,000 dogs and cats each year before Home At Last Humane Society took over the operation of the shelter there. Through spay and neuter programs as well as adoptions, the shelter now only euthanizes a small number of dogs and cats, and these are only animals with extreme health or behavioral issues.

Thank you.

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