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Winnebago County Animal Services Needs Adopters Because the Shelter is Near Capacity

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(Rockford, IL) – Winnebago County Animal Services (WCAS) is full of cats and dogs and asking the public to help by adopting. Starting Wednesday, July 17, 2019 through Saturday, July 20, 2019, WCAS is offering a select number of adult dogs for a \$50 each and adult cats for \$10 each. Each kennel will be specially marked for easy identification. The WCAS Volunteer Auxiliary is sponsoring this limited time event.

- Adopters must be at least 18 years old or older
- Must show a state-issued photo ID
- All cats and dogs in the household must be current with a rabies vaccination and county pet license
- Little or no animal complaints on record
- Animal Services encourages adopters to get approval from their landlord before considering adoption

“If you have an empty lap or are looking for a walking companion, we can help you fill that need with a new furry friend,” says Donna Apgar, Animal Services Adoption Coordinator. “There should be new animals available every day during this event, so please visit the shelter in person to find your new best friend.”

Adoptions include a wellness exam, spay or neuter, microchip, vaccinations including a one year rabies shot, flea and tick preventative, and more. Winnebago County residents also receive a one year rabies registration tag. The normal adoption process will be used to qualify all adopters.

For more information on adopting or volunteering, please visit their website at www.wcasrock.org or call 815-319-4100.

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