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## Newly Named Petco Love Invests in Lifesaving Work of San Antonio Humane Society

Grant of \$35,000 will help save more pet lives in San Antonio



(L to R) SAHS Director of Development and Public Relations Kim Hinze and SAHS President/CEO Nancy F. May holding the Petco Love grant check of \$35,000. (Photo, SAHS)

**SAN ANTONIO, TX (May 10 2021)** – The San Antonio Humane Society (SAHS) announced today a \$35,000 grant investment from the newly named, Petco Love, to support their lifesaving work for animals in San Antonio and its surrounding areas.

"We are honored to be selected for Petco Love's continued generosity in supporting lifesaving efforts in our community," said Nancy F. May, CEO/President of SAHS. "This will aid us in providing even more opportunities for residents who are looking to improve the lives of their pets."





In 2020, the SAHS was able to conduct more than 14,000 spay/neuter surgeries for San Antonio and its neighboring communities. In order to take advantage of low-cost spay/neuter surgeries and events offered by the SAHS, the nonprofit asks that individuals continue checking <a href="Mahumane.org/spayneuter">SAhumane.org/spayneuter</a>.

Petco Love is a nonprofit leading change for pets nationally by harnessing the power of love to make communities and pet families closer, stronger, and healthier. Since their founding in 1999 as the Petco Foundation, they've empowered organizations with \$300 million invested to date in adoption and other lifesaving efforts.

"Today Petco Love announces an investment in the SAHS and hundreds of other organizations as part of our commitment to create a future in which no pet is unnecessarily euthanized," said President of Petco Love Susanne Kogut. "Our local investments are only one component. This month, we will also launch the first of our national tools to empower all animal lovers to drive lifesaving change right alongside us."

For more information about the SAHS, visit <u>SAhumane.org</u>. To learn more about Petco Love, visit <u>petcolove.org</u>.

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## **About The San Antonio Humane Society**

The San Antonio Humane Society (SAHS) is a nonprofit, no-kill organization that has served Bexar County and its surrounding areas since 1952. As a local nonprofit, we are not affiliated with the Humane Society of the United States (HSUS). We do not receive funding from the federal government, the HSUS, or the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (ASPCA). Every year, the SAHS shelters, medically treats, and rehabilitates thousands of animals. Many are injured, abused, surrendered by their owners, or found as strays. All pets remain in our care until adopted. Our mission is to protect and improve the lives of dogs and cats by providing shelter, care, adoption, rescue, spay and neuter programs, and community education. SAhumane.org

## About Petco Love (Formerly Petco Foundation)

Petco Love is a nonprofit changing lives by making communities and pet families closer, stronger, and healthier. Since our founding in 1999 as the Petco Foundation, we've empowered animal welfare organizations by investing nearly \$300 million in adoption and other lifesaving efforts. We've helped find loving homes for more than 6.5 million pets in partnership with Petco and organizations nationwide. Today, our love for pets drives us to lead with innovation, creating tools animal lovers need to reunite lost pets, and lead with passion, inspiring and mobilizing communities and our more than 4,000 animal welfare partners to drive lifesaving change alongside us. Is love calling you? Visit petcolove.org or follow at Facebook, Instagram, Twitter and LinkedIn to be part of the lifesaving work we're leading every day.