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CITIZENS FOR A NO-KILL PHILADELPHIA to Host With Love: Super Adoption Day

Philadelphia, PA (May 18) – CITIZENS FOR A NO-KILL PHILADELPHIA (CNKP) announces its 4th annual With Love: Super Adoption Day – the largest event of its kind in Philadelphia history and one of the **largest adoption events nationwide**.

Through this event, **CNKP** is able to increase awareness of the issues surrounding animal welfare in Philadelphia and the tri-state area, and give local shelters and rescue groups a unique venue to showcase their adoptable animals and activities to potential adopters and participants. This event also gives **CNKP** the opportunity to recognize the accomplishments of other community organizations that have gone above and beyond for our animals through the presentation of the following annual awards: (1) Humane Achievement Award, (2) Standout Rescue of the Year Award, (3) Excellence in Community Outreach Award, and the (4) Jack Kelly Leadership Award.

The event will be held at **Walnut Plaza on Penn's Landing**, a beautiful outdoor venue along Philadelphia's Delaware River waterfront, from 11am-4pm. In honor of Armed Forces Day, also observed on May 18th, the theme for this year's event will be: "Be a hero, ADOPT!" **CNKP** will take this opportunity to thank our service men and women as well as their four-legged counterparts who serve alongside of them. The event will also feature **shopping, music, food and refreshments, raffles and prizes, special guests** and more!

Special guests include Governor Ed Rendell, Councilman Jack Kelly, Councilman Bill Greenlee, NBC10's Sheena Parveen, internet sensation "Lentil," and Radio 104.5's Wendy Rollins, who will be guest emceeding part of the day's events.

"CITIZENS FOR A NO-KILL PHILADELPHIA is so excited to host our fourth annual With Love - Super Adoption Day, and we have no doubt that this one will be the best event yet! Join us on May 18, from 11-4 at the Walnut Plaza at Penn's Landing where we will join together local shelters, rescues, vendors and special guests to promote awareness about our region's homeless animals and celebrate the wonderful adoptables that our area has to offer. Whether you are looking to adopt, support local rescue groups, or just looking for a day of family fun, it is an event that you don't want to miss!", remarked Samantha Jones, President of CITIZENS FOR A NO-KILL PHILADELPHIA.



For more information about CITIZENS FOR A NO-KILL PHILADELPHIA and With Love: Super Adoption Day, please visit www.phillynokill.org.

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Founded in 2009, Citizens for a No-Kill Philadelphia is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization comprised of taxpayers and pet lovers who are committed to saving all healthy and treatable companion animals in Philadelphia shelters. Using political advocacy, grassroots efforts and humane education, Citizens for a No-Kill Philadelphia works with our elected officials, other non-profit groups and the public to raise awareness about creating a No-Kill model that will save the lives of the 10,000+ cats, dogs and small animals that die each year in Philadelphia shelters because of overpopulation.

