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Humane Society Heroes To Build New Shelter for Homeless Pets

Round Rock, TX (June 15, 2010)--The Humane Society of Williamson County (HSWC), located on 22 acres in Leander, TX, is collaborating with Round Rock-based FHI Civil & Structural Engineering and Moman Architects to build a larger kennel for their furry guests, as the current 2,400 square foot facility is overcrowded. FHI Principal Larry Fisher, P.E., was recommended to the board of the HSWC for the project and enlisted Moman Architects shortly after because of their expertise and dedication to community service.

“Giving to deserving nonprofits within the community where we live and work is a priority for our company,” says Fisher.

Work on this important project began in October 2009, and the pro bono team expects to have all plans drawn this month with the new 3,300 square foot barn completed by the end of 2010. The floor plan will include a kennel, small office and two adoption rooms.



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Replacing their deteriorating kennel has been a long-awaited goal for the organization, which relies solely on donations, grants, and fees for services. Immediate gifts needed include bleach, paper towels, kitty litter, copy paper, flowers, monetary donations and volunteers. The HSWC is diligently working to raise the final \$50,000 to complete the renovation.

“The new barn means so much to the dogs as it will provide them better day to day living conditions,” says Juliana deRosa, Executive Director of the HSWC. “There aren’t enough thank you’s to express our gratitude and there are even more happy wagging tails to add to that!”

To end animal homelessness the HSWC, a no-kill shelter founded in 1979, adopts approximately 140-160 pets each month and is the only low cost public spay/neuter clinic in Williamson County. For ways to help make this dream a reality for these four-legged friends, please call 512-260-3602 or visit www.hswc.net.