



Operation Kindness Transports Pets to Safety Ahead of Hurricane Ida; Needs Community Support for Adoptions & Donations

Lifesaving Shelter is Supporting Louisiana Rescue Partner Jefferson Parish Animal Shelter to Keep Animals Safe

WHO: [Operation Kindness](#) – the leading lifesaving animal shelter in North Texas

WHAT: Operation Kindness is dedicated to keeping animals safe by providing them with opportunities to find loving homes. Ahead of Hurricane Ida moving toward the Gulf Coast and Louisiana, the shelter is transporting at-risk, homeless animals to safety ahead of the storm. To assist pets during evacuations, Operation Kindness will intake pets from Jefferson Parish Animal Shelter in Louisiana. Operation Kindness is looking for community support to care for these animals by making room through adoptions of currently available pets and providing pet necessities through donations.

WHEN: Saturday, August 28, 2021 and Sunday, August 29, 2021 ahead of Hurricane Ida's predicted landfall on Sunday.

WHERE: The shelter is located at 3201 Earhart Dr., Carrollton, TX 75006.

DETAILS: Operation Kindness is offering support to its rescue partner, Jefferson Parish Animal Shelter in Louisiana, by intaking dogs and cats who will be displaced ahead of Hurricane Ida evacuations. While the storm is predicted to land this Sunday, rescuing animals allows them to stay safe from the storm's surge, damaging winds and flooding rain. Operation Kindness is utilizing its lifesaving resources and calling upon the community to support these animals during a crisis.

Operation Kindness is looking for families interested in adopting. The shelter cares for hundreds of pets each day and is making room for these additional furry friends. Families interested in adopting or supporting animals in need of loving homes can visit OperationKindness.org/adopt to view available pets.

Additionally, Operation Kindness needs pet supplies—with the new addition of animals at the shelter, the organization is hoping to increase its inventory of food, toys, blankets and more to provide animals with the necessities they need to feel safe and comfortable.

Supplies needed include:

- Cat Toys
- Dog Treats
- Canned Tuna
- Fancy Feast Broths
- Newspaper (used in puppy kennels)

Individuals who would like to send supplies directly to the shelter through Amazon can do so via [Operation Kindness' wish list](#).

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About Operation Kindness

Founded in 1976, Operation Kindness is a pioneer in North Texas for providing assistance to animals in need of medical care, companionship, and most of all, a home. In addition to pet adoptions, Operation Kindness provides extensive medical care for homeless animals, a foster program, a pet food pantry, a

surrender prevention program, education to pet parents and volunteer opportunities. To learn more about Operation Kindness, please visit their website at <https://www.operationkindness.org>.

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