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Dear Veterinarian,

Once again, we need your help in offering a county-wide spay/neuter program. Your agreement to accept **PAWS AND CLAWS SOCIETY (PACS) "FIX-A-FRIEND" SPAY/NEUTER CERTIFICATES**, and then bill our organization at set fees, will help to stop the pet overpopulation problem in Cape May County. We hope you will agree to participate.

Since incorporating, our organization has provided many programs and services, one of which has resulted in thousands of animals being spayed/neutered, thus interrupting the cycle of cruelty caused by pet overpopulation. Our target populations are primarily low income, senior citizens, disabled persons, and multi-animal caretakers of abandoned, unwanted, stray and feral felines.

As you know, Paws and Claws and the veterinary community in Cape May County successfully initiated the first real comprehensive spay/neuter program throughout the county in 2005. The effectiveness of our collaboration can be seen in the many thousands of animals that no longer produce unwanted litters having no chance of survival.

We hope to build on our past success and ask for your participation in this important endeavor. Please consider our proposed fee schedule. Consider that by agreeing to these discounted prices, you are allowing Paws and Claws the opportunity to assist even more animals:

• Male Feline Neuter Surgery: \$35

Female Feline Spay Surgery: \$50

Male Canine Neuter Surgery: \$75
Male Canine Over 45 pounds \$85

Female Canine Spay Surgery:\$75Female Canine Over 45 lbs\$85

- Rabies vaccination (when proof of current vaccination is not provided by owner): \$10
- Disease Prevention Vaccinations (such as Distemper): \$10

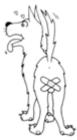
Our initial target population this time will be Cape May County residents currently receiving any one of the nine New Jersey programs of financial assistance. These families would qualify for the NJ Sterilization of Pets Program if state funding was available. Applicants accepted into the spay/neuter program will present a PAWS AND CLAWS SOCIETY (PACS) "FIX-A-FRIEND" SPAY/NEUTER CERTIFICATE for each animal to be treated. Then all charges for that month should be billed to our organization within the first week of the following month, where prompt payment will be made directly to your office.

If the aforementioned fee for service is acceptable, please respond with a phone message to 856-848-7664 affirming your participation. Should you require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact Paws and Claws at the same number.

Paws and Claws Society is most grateful for past assistance from the veterinarians in Cape May County. With continued support and encouragement of the veterinary community, we can prevent the unnecessary killing of America's companion animals by preventing unwanted births. This will certainly advance our **philosophy of prevention not destruction**.

Sincerely yours,

Jean Smith Treasurer



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