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ANIMAL HOSPITAL

To Whom This May Concern:
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This letter is in reference to the recent inquiry of Last Chance Animal Rescue (LCAR), located in Southampton, New York. I am an Associate Veterinarian at Shinnecock Animal Hospital in Hampton Bays, and also the Clinical Director of the Southampton Animal Shelter Foundation. For the last three years we have been LCAR's primary vet and have seen only exemplary care of the animals they rescue from extremely dire straits. No stone is left unturned and every animal that they rescue is given the medical care they need. All animals adopted out are spayed or neutered, vaccinated, heartworm tested and treated if necessary. Whitney Knowiton, the founder has been able to cultivate a wonderful volunteer and foster team for her organization and is very successful in finding wonderful forever homes.

We also see a lot of the animals as patients in our hospital after they get adopted into their new homes. These are animals who would have been euthanized if LCAR did not step in and give them the much needed chance they deserved. Any animal that this organization is willing to step up and help should be considered blessed. Please know that these are dedicated, compassionate human beings who are merely trying to save as many adoptable animals as they can. Feel confident that I, as a veterinarian would trust this group to help with any animal that I knew of was in need and I hope you do the same. Truly an outstanding organization that has saved thousands of animals that have crossed their paths in the few years of their existence. Please feel free to contact me with any questions at all. Thank you for your time.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Teresa G. Meekins, DVM". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name being the most prominent.

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