

FRIENDS FOR ANIMALS OF METRO DETROIT

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FAMD OFFERS \$500 REWARD FOR INFO LEADING TO ARREST AND CONVICTION IN CASE OF ABANDONED DOGS

DEARBORN, August 10, 2020 – Friends for Animals of Metro Detroit (FAMD) is offering a \$500 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the perpetrator who abandoned two dogs in an outdoor pen at the shelter's Greenfield location on Friday, August 7, 2020.

Between 8 PM and 10 PM on Friday night, two dogs were left abandoned in an outdoor pen at Friends for Animals of Metro Detroit's Intake Center, located at 2661 Greenfield Rd. The dogs, both estimated to be around a year old, are a male German Shepherd the shelter has named Billy, and a female boxer mix the shelter has named Honey. Shelter staff found the dogs together in the pen when they reported to work on Saturday morning. After reviewing security cameras, it appears they were dropped off one at a time, by a dark-colored truck or SUV. Both the dogs appear to be in relatively good condition, and are currently in the care of FAMD.

Abandonment of a pet is a misdemeanor, which is punishable by up to a \$500 fine and 30 days in jail. Anyone with any information on this case is asked to call FAMD at 313.943.2697. A reward of \$500 will be given for information that leads to the arrest and conviction of the perpetrators. Abandoning your pet is **NEVER** the correct option. If you are having difficulty caring for your pet, please contact the shelter that serves your city, or a local rescue for assistance.

As always, donations for the care of homeless or abused animals are gratefully accepted, and can be made at metrodetroitanimals.org.



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About FAMD

After more than 27 years of nurturing more than 59,000 animals, Friends for Animals of Metro Detroit has embarked on the second phase of their "More Love than Humanly Possible" capital campaign to construct Phase Two of their complex, an addition to the MaryAnn Wright Animal Adoption & Education Center. For more information about FAMD, a 501(c)3 organization, visit metrodetroitanimals.org.

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