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### Humane Society, Pierce County Library partner to create a kinder world for pets

**PIERCE COUNTY, Washington** – The <u>Humane Society of Tacoma & Pierce County</u> and the <u>Pierce</u> <u>County Library System</u> are collaborating to create a kinder world for animals and train their humans to treat, care and communicate through fun and engaging activities.

The Humane Society will hold three hour-long presentations at local Pierce County Library locations to help people be better pet owners. For those ready to welcome a furry friend into the family, attend an adoption event following the presentation.

### **Creating a Kinder World for Animals**

Saturday, Feb. 25, 2-3 p.m. Adoption event 3-5 p.m. Summit Pierce County Library, 5107 112th St. E., Tacoma

**Friday, March 24, 1-2 p.m. Adoption event 2-4 p.m.** Orting Pierce County Library, 202 Washington Ave. S.

Saturday, March 25, 11 a.m.-noon Adoption event noon-2 p.m. Parkland/Spanaway Pierce County Library, 13718 Pacific Ave. S. Tacoma

The presentations are free and open to families and kids ages 7-11.

Get more information on these and all events at the Pierce County Library at <u>https://calendar.piercecountylibrary.org/events</u>.

#### About Pierce County Library System

The nationally acclaimed <u>Pierce County Library System</u> serves 655,000 people throughout Pierce County with 19 libraries and online services. The system is the fourth largest in the state and is funded primarily through property taxes. People may choose from more than one million books, e-books, audiobooks, movies and other materials. Pierce County Library is committed to directing services in three primary areas: learning, enjoyment and community connection. Its services and programs spark success for Pierce County residents. More than 2 million people visit Pierce County Libraries each year. The Library provides services and programs directly to people in adult care facilities, people who are homebound, and to children in childcare centers and schools. <u>Pierce County Libraries are located</u> at Anderson Island, Bonney Lake, Buckley, DuPont, Eatonville, Fife, Gig Harbor, Graham, Key Center, Lakewood, Milton/Edgewood, Orting, Parkland/Spanaway, South Hill, Steilacoom, Summit, Sumner,

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#### About Humane Society of Tacoma & Pierce County

The Humane Society for Tacoma & Pierce County was founded by a handful of concerned citizens and has grown into one of the state's largest animal welfare agencies. We care for approximately 10,000 pets each year, reunite thousands of lost pets with their owners, provide medical care for ill and injured shelter pets, and offer comprehensive low-cost spay-neuter programs. thehumanesociety.org/