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MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE LIVES OF 36 DOGS AND PUPPIES FROM RECENT ANIMAL CRUELTY INVESTIGATION



TACOMA, WA — On October 15, the Humane Society for Tacoma & Pierce County began taking in 36 dogs, including 15 puppies, from the same property as where the shelter received 48 dogs at the end of last year due to an ongoing animal cruelty investigation in Tacoma's backyard.

Now, all 36 dogs have been brought to the shelter, where they continue to receive medical care, baths, nail trims, walks, and critical enrichment.

While the 36 dogs and puppies remain in the shelter's care until further notice, it limits the Society's capacity and stresses its resources.

The Humane Society for Tacoma & Pierce County is an open-admission shelter. Animals aren't turned away because of age, breed, or medical or behavioral needs. But to continue caring for our community's homeless, abandoned, abused, and injured pets, the shelter needs your help.

To help raise the critical funds needed to care

for these dogs and the thousands of other homeless pets in Pierce County, the shelter is currently hosting its first-ever **Choose Your Car Raffle** with partner Larson Automotive Group. Purchase \$5 raffle tickets, and you could win \$40,000 towards a new car of your choice. 100% of ticket purchase proceeds will go directly towards helping to save the lives of homeless pets in our community.

Tickets can be purchased at the shelter at 2608 Center Street in Tacoma from 11 am to 6 pm, seven days a week. See Official Rules and all raffle ticket locations [here](#).



About the Humane Society for Tacoma and Pierce County

One of the oldest animal welfare organizations in the nation, the Humane Society for Tacoma & Pierce County, cares for nearly 10,000 animals every year and maintains multiple humane programs. Dedicated to "Making Happy Happen," the Humane Society for Tacoma & Pierce County works tirelessly to protect animals, support pet owners, and enhance relationships between animals and people. Learn more at www.thehumanesociety.org.

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