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Discounted spay / neuter packages in celebration of World Spay Day

LIBERTY, Mo. – In cooperation with Liberty Animal Control to prevent animal overpopulation, the following veterinarians are participating in a reduced-price sterilization program February 23-27 for Liberty residents.

Liberty citizens, with proof of residency, can qualify for the discount. There is no maximum income requirement. There are a number of appointments available; interested persons are encouraged to call early to schedule. Participating veterinary facilities are:

Crossroads Animal Hospital: 816.781.1510

Northside Animal Clinic: 816.781.3900

Veterinary Center of Liberty: 816.781.0778

Feb. 23-27, pet owners will pay:

- \$85 to spay or neuter a cat. This also includes rabies and feline distemper vaccinations, pain management and a physical exam.
- \$95 to spay or neuter a dog. This also includes rabies and canine distemper/parvo vaccinations, heartworm test, pain management, physical examination and a City license.

Additional charges could be incurred for pets that are pregnant or in-heat, as well as for treatment of any medical concerns the veterinarian may discover during examination.

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This program is part of the 21st Annual World Spay Day, presented by the Humane Society of the United States on Feb. 24 this year. Altering pets prevents the birth of unwanted litters of puppies and kittens, thus reducing the number of homeless pets. By taking advantage of this program, citizens can help reduce the number of stray animals in their neighborhoods and reduce the number of animals that are turned in to the animal shelter each year.

For more information on this program, contact Liberty Animal Control at 816.439.4791.

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