

## **News Release**

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## 2<sup>nd</sup> Chance for Pets Featured in The Wall Street Journal

Los Gatos, CA (March 2008)  $-2^{nd}$  Chance 4 Pets was featured in the December 17, 2007 and March 21, 2008 issues of *The Wall Street Journal*. The nonprofit organization is dedicated to reducing the tragic euthanasia of pets due to the death or incapacity of their human companions.

The December 17th "Good Boy" and the March 21st "Ask Personal Journal" articles in The Wall Street Journal highlighted the increased interest among pet owners to establish plans for their pets in the event that their pets outlive them. Both articles recognized 2<sup>nd</sup> Chance 4 Pets as a resource for pet owners when planning for the *lifetime care* of their pets.

According to 2<sup>nd</sup> Chance 4 Pets Director Amy Shever, "Each year thousands of animal companions are surrendered to shelters throughout the U.S. and are euthanized simply because the pet owners passed away without making plans for their continued care."

## **About 2<sup>nd</sup> Chance 4 Pets:**

The mission of 2<sup>nd</sup> Chance for Pets is to reduce the number of pets unnecessarily euthanized each year due to the death or incapacity of the human companions who care for them. 2<sup>nd</sup> Chance 4 Pets is a nonprofit, 501(c)(3) all-volunteer organization. The organization works nationwide to provide pet owners with comprehensive information and lifetime care solutions for their pets. Please visit www.2ndchance4pets.org for more information.

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