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United Heritage Credit Union Announces Partnership with Austin Humane Society to Donate \$300 for Every Home Financed

[June 3, 2025, AUSTIN, TX] – United Heritage Credit Union (UHCU) is proud to announce its collaboration with Austin Humane Society (AHS) to support pet adoption initiatives and animal welfare efforts in the community. UHCU will donate \$300 to AHS to cover adoption fees for individuals who finance their new homes through the Credit Union. Additionally, for those unable to adopt, UHCU will still donate \$300 to AHS. Buyers who finance their home with UHCU will also receive \$300 credited to their post-closing costs.

This initiative reflects UHCU's dedication to serving its members and making a positive impact in the community. By partnering with AHS, a leading animal welfare organization local to Austin, UHCU aims to facilitate pet adoptions, promote responsible pet ownership, and contribute to the well-being of animals in need.

"We are excited to announce our partnership with Austin Humane Society and introduce this unique initiative to our community," said Kevin Farley, Vice President of Experience and Engagement at United Heritage Credit Union. "Through this collaboration, we hope to empower individuals to find their dream homes while supporting the important work of Austin Humane Society."

To participate in this offer, borrowers must apply for and close on a home loan between May 28 and September 30, 2025 and redeem the offer with AHS by October 31, 2025. Prospective homebuyers interested in taking advantage of this opportunity can learn more by contacting United Heritage Credit Union, visiting union.org/puppy, or stopping by their nearest branch.

"Strong community partnerships like this are central to our mission at the Austin Humane Society" says Frances Jonon, President and CEO for AHS. "United Heritage Credit Union's Buy a House, Get a Puppy campaign speaks to the passion for philanthropy within the Austin community and we are so grateful to our friends at UHCU for selecting AHS to benefit from this generous program."

For more information about United Heritage Credit Union and its services, visit <u>uhcu.org</u>. For more information about Austin Humane Society and its adoption programs, visit austinhumanesociety.org.

About United Heritage Credit Union

United Heritage Credit Union is a full-service financial institution whose vision is "To be your primary financial institution." United Heritage has over \$1.6 billion in assets, more than 81,000 members and 10 branch locations. Through innovative technology, exemplary service standards and competitive products,

United Heritage is a strong force in the credit union industry. United Heritage Credit Union was established in 1957 and over 65 years later serves communities within the Bastrop, Bell, Blanco, Burnet, Caldwell, Hays, Lee, Milam, Travis, Williamson, Cherokee, Gregg, Henderson, Rusk, Smith, Upshur, Van Zandt or Wood counties as well as those that live in the rest of Texas through TXCC membership. For more information about United Heritage, visit uhcu.org. Federally Insured by NCUA.

About the Austin Humane Society

The Austin Humane Society (AHS) offers comprehensive, humane, life-saving animal services, transforming the lives of animals and those who love them. Because we believe homeless animals deserve a chance to thrive in a loving environment, we offer innovative, nationally recognized programs that save the lives of thousands of dogs and cats each year. AHS' approach to addressing animal homelessness encompasses both finding animals homes through adoption as well as preventing future homelessness through spay/neuter programs.

The Austin Humane Society is open from noon to 7 p.m. Monday through Saturday, and from noon to 5 p.m. on Sunday. For more information about AHS adoptable animals and programs, please visit www.AustinHumaneSociety.org or call 512-646-7387.