

Help

Rescue Puppy Mill Dogs

On Oct. 29 and 30th one of the largest puppy mills in Missouri will be closing their doors. Over 800 dogs will be put up for auction. Everyone in rescue wants these mills to shut their doors....now what are we going to do for these dogs? If we do nothing they will all go right back into the mills bought by other breeders. We can make sure that doesn't happen and give them a chance at a new life in a loving home.

Southside Animal Shelter is partnering with animal welfare advocates to rescue as many of these dogs as possible. Volunteers will be going to Missouri to try and obtain the release of senior dogs so they aren't forced to continue a life in a puppy mill. To do this we need temporary foster and/or adoptive homes for these survivors.

We don't know what breeds we will be able to bring back with us, but most are smaller breeds. Most of these dogs have lived their entire lives in cages with minimal human contact. These dogs will take more time and patience than a typical dog. They may need to be housetrained, learn to trust people, learn to walk on grass or concrete and learn to know they are loved.

If you feel you can help one of these survivors find a forever home and are willing to open your home as a temporary foster, please let us know. Contact Robin at robin@ssasi.org.

We need a firm commitment before we leave on Thursday, October 28th.

If you are not able to foster one of these pets, we still need your help. Many of these dogs will have medical or dental issues, will need vaccinations, altering and grooming. Southside Animal Shelter is setting up a special fund to help pay for this. You can donate by going to [Chip In to Rescue Missouri Dogs](#) or sending a check to Southside Animal Shelter, 1614 W Edgewood Ave, Indianapolis, IN 46217. Be sure to indicate this donation is for the Missouri Dogs.

Please Donate today to help give these dogs a chance at a new life.

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Some of the worst Puppy Mills are in Missouri

Here is the story behind the Mexico, Missouri kennel auction where we will be going.

For those of you unfamiliar with the Fox 2 stories about the Schindlers, go to http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?llr=ekrt97bab&et=1103797347589&s=1590&e=001Whhm11qsmwFaxhMyHXtUmA9UemfD_QC1vBw5NudB4eLFuFo2nSunx5-SVwTVtmVXpyx4RT_icLMv2RJODHiJH0TnltOopCNHUCnzLCivXLfUkzzN6DT7RA== and put "Schindler" in the search box on the right.

[Read about these Puppy Mills >>](#)

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