



## **October is National Adopt-A-Shelter-Dog Month!**

You can save the day for a homeless dog and find a faithful companion who will be at your side for all of life's adventures, by adopting a dog from the Regional Animal Shelter during Adopt-A-Dog Month in October. It is the perfect time to visit the shelter, meet potential sidekicks and discover how much fun and happiness a dog can add to your life.

Companionship, improved physical and emotional health, social interaction and devoted love are just a few of the benefits of having a dog. Dogs also encourage people to exercise, enhance family and social relationships, promote laughter and act as a nonjudgmental audience and sounding board.

By providing a home to an animal that does not have one, you can help reduce the regrettably high number of homeless pets in this country, and you will be rewarded in so many ways, as you experience the joy of building an invincible bond with a loving and faithful companion.

The Regional Animal Shelter is located on Route 30 at King William Courthouse. Throughout the year, we promote the creation of strong, mutually rewarding relationships between people and potential canine companions.

Visitors are invited to meet the many amazing dogs now available for adoption and find a lovable, loyal sidekick! The Animal Shelter is open for visiting with pets Monday through Friday 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Wednesday evenings until 6:00 p.m., and Saturdays 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. Our pets can be viewed on [petfinder.com](http://petfinder.com), or contact 769-4983 for more information.

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