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CARING HEARTS BUYS RESCUE BUILDING

Aberdeen, North Carolina, September 2023 - After 4 months of fundraising, Caring Hearts for Canines Dog Rescue purchased the building that they operate out of located in Aberdeen, North Carolina. In 2014, Jennifer Johnston Chopping founded Caring Hearts for Canines, and in 2016 Johnston Chopping and her team were given permission to run the rescue out of the building in Aberdeen that had previously been home to a small engine repair company. Faced with the reality of closure due to lease changes, the Caring Hearts team had to make a bold decision to buy the building to save the rescue. Once the news broke, dog fans from around the nation showed their support by raising \$100K in online and offline donations, and along with a generous donor who matched that amount they were able to solidify the deal this month.

Now that the rescue has been purchased, the road continues for Jennifer and her team as they proceed with much needed capital improvements, while keeping up with the growing needs of the community's rapidly ballooning unwanted pet population. "We thought long and hard about this choice to buy the building, and we knew we had to act fast in order to save the rescue. Now more than ever, we need the help of our community to not only help the dogs we save, but also speak out on behalf of the policies that allow for so much despair and cruelty in the animal welfare world. How we treat animals is a direct reflection of how we treat each other," remarks Johnston Chopping.

To support Caring Hearts for Canines, follow them on Facebook, Instagram TikTok and visit the website, www.caringheartsforcanines.com for more information on their mission.

Caring Hearts for Canines is a 501(c)3 non-profit canine rescue organization, based in Southern Pines, North Carolina in Moore County. Caring Hearts for Canines rescues and re-homes dogs at risk of being euthanized in high kill shelters and educates the public in order to decrease the proliferation of these unwanted dogs.