

Fall 2015

# *News and Updates*

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## *Updates from MEOW Inc*

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You're receiving our newsletter because you may have been helped by one of our MEOW Inc volunteers, been one of our wonderful and appreciated supporters, or just have had a general interest in TNR and what we do! We hope you'll read about what we've been up to and the exciting things to come!

## *Precious Cats Need Your Help*

Help us relocate these babies to safety!

There are 12 feral cats in desperate need of help. Their original caretaker passed away, which has left them to fend for themselves. A friend of the rescue has been driving 25 minutes every day to care for the cats, however, the house is being auctioned off NEXT WEEK! These little ones are now in danger of losing the only home they have ever known.



To make matters worse, these cats are now in DANGER! The fill-in caretaker is no longer allowed on the property. Their shelters have been taken down and now the potential buyers have made innuendos to the caretaker about poisoning the cats.

MEOW Inc has been working feverishly behind the scenes trying to find new homes for all of the cats, but we didn't find any solutions at first. Then, something wonderful happened... a feral cat sanctuary that we contacted responded that they have the space to take all of them in for the rest of their natural lives! This is an AMAZING opportunity for us to SAVE them! This is a fantastic place in upstate New York where the cats can live cage-free on a large lot of land while still being protected by a fenced-in environment and live out their lives in safe freedom while being looked after. These cats will be able to romp around in the grass with their feline family and not ever have

to worry about where their next meal is coming from. A feral cat's dream essentially.

Here's the hard part... we need to raise at least \$6,000 to send them to this sanctuary. Though it seems like a great deal of money, it's merely a drop in the bucket considering that these cats will be cared for, vetted, and fed for the rest of their lives by the sanctuary.

Please find it in your hearts to donate so we don't have to choose which cats get to go and which cats face an uncertain or bleak future.

MEOW INC is a 501c3 nonprofit organization so all donations are tax-deductible. Donations can be made online at [Paypal](#) or on [Go Fund Me](#).

Want to mail in a donation instead? Donations can be mailed to :

MEOW Inc  
P.O Box 946  
Eatontown, NJ 07724

If you happen to know someone who lives in a safe area for feral cats who would want to take in any of these little ones, please reach out to us!

Like our Facebook page [here](#) to get more updates on our progress with finding a place for these sweet cats!

## *Planned Giving*

**We'd love to have our own sanctuary someday!**

Our long-term goal is to have a farm to provide a managed safe haven for feral cats who are in life-threatening situations and need relocation. We realize this is a lofty goal, but we hope that someday we will be able to realize that dream to own many acres for these cats to live out their lives safely and happily with lifelong care, shelter and love.

So if you are considering donating to animal-welfare organizations in your will, please consider including MEOW Inc. A sanctuary like that takes money and we would love to provide a safe place for feral cats whose caregivers have passed on or for those who need to escape life-threatening situations and have nowhere else to turn.

So please consider giving these sweet cats a very [special gift](#) by providing for MEOW Inc through a bequest, trust, annuity, or insurance policy. Planned giving is a powerful way to ensure your longtime legacy of protecting animals; and your commitment will also serve as an inspiration to others. Such arrangements can provide tax benefits, as well as ensure the continuation of MEOW Inc's important mission.



# Meet Our Warrior Princess Zina

## Bring Back Zina's Zest!

Zina is an 8 week old kitten who we found sitting on a sidewalk all by herself while TNR'ing a colony of 20 cats! She was extremely sickly when we found her and it was obvious that her mom had abandoned her.



Zina was taken to a veterinarian immediately, since it was apparent that she was having difficulty breathing and eating. She was sent home with some antibiotics, but continued to breathe heavily.

She was taken to a second veterinarian for further evaluation and it was determined that she had swelling in her throat, but for unknown reasons.

Finally, Zina was hospitalized at another veterinarian hospital and was seen by a specialist. She had an endoscopy and it was determined that she has chronic swelling of the larynx! At the moment Prednisone is keeping her more comfortable and helping her to breathe and eat a little better.

Zina is the sweetest kitten who loves to snuggle with everyone. We are trying to give this little girl a chance at life, but her medical bills have already exceeded \$3,000. Please consider making a [donation](#) toward Zina's medical bills. Any amount would be help!

## Fancy a Good Yard Sale?

September 26th, 8am to 3pm

59 Washington Street  
Long Branch, NJ

In an effort to help raise money for all the needy cats we are helping, we are holding a yard sale! Please consider coming out and taking a look at all the great stuff we'll have for sale.



If you'd like to donate items to be sold, please reach out to us via [email](#)!

## Soy Candle Fundraiser

### Help Cats with Amazing Gifts!

It's time for our annual [candle fundraiser](#) and we are now taking orders through Saturday, October 17th! We're selling high-quality, hand-poured soy candles. The benefits include:

- No black jars/walls/ceilings
- Burns cooler and lasts longer
- Holds scent all the way to the bottom of the candle
- Environmentally-friendly



They come in two sizes: a 16-ounce glass container for \$20 and a 10-ounce glass container for \$15. If anyone is interested in stocking up on some gifts for teachers or holiday gifts, or to just make your home smell like Fall, these are a really nice item to have on hand and they smell amazing!

Click to see the wonderful smelling [scent options](#)! Send us an [email](#) if you're interested in ordering! Thank you for supporting your community cats and enjoy!

## *Kittens Are Still Coming In*

Know Someone who is Ready to Adopt?

If so, please send them our way! As we do TNR, we come across many kittens of all ages who need loving homes. Please contact us if you're interested in meeting any of our babies and filling out an application!



## *Stay Connected with Us*

Like Our Facebook Page!



We'd love to connect with you on Facebook so you can stay informed on what we're doing and how we can help!

## Contact

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- MEOW Inc