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To His Worship the Mayor and Members of City Council

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City Saskatoon

Province Saskatchewan

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Name of the organization or agency you are representing (if applicable)

Subject Saskatoon SPCA

Meeting (if known)

Comments

I have great concern regarding the lack of funding that is being provided the Saskatoon SPCA.

I returned to Saskatoon after being away for many years, as I missed our community and truly felt that Saskatoon offered amenities and resources that aligned with our family values and the city itself was moving in a progressive direction.

I am absolutely disheartened to hear such a valuable resource does not have the support of the City of Saskatoon, the way it should have. Without funding, cases of animal abuse and neglect will rise.

I challenge the City to reflect back to the recent months, when the community of Saskatoon pulled together to help reunite a family with their dog that had gone missing, people searching, trying to reunite this family, it was a much needed feel good story that we all needed... Our dog parks unite a great majority of us, we are a community that love our pets and animals. Taking away funding for a resource that not only helps OUR lost pets, but protects those that have no voice is truly shameful...

Disappointment doesn't come close to the way I feel regarding this decision... This is supposed to be a community, I felt pride to live in... however now I do question the direction the city is moving in. Taking away such a vital resource is not right, not when spending on in other frivolous areas are happening. I haven never been so disappointed in our city.

I challenge you to pause and truly think of the impact of this and then ask for this decision to be overturn. Our SPCA is vital to our community and our families.

Attachments

Will you be submitting a video to be vetted prior to council meeting? No