



## News Release

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### **2nd Chance 4 Pets Selected as a Nonprofit Partner by the Allie Smiles Foundation**

LOS GATOS, Calif. (March 11, 2013) — 2nd Chance 4 Pets was recently selected to partner with the Allie Smiles Foundation (ASF) on efforts to ensure that pets receive appropriate care throughout their lives. ASF is a not for profit organization that supports existing organizations with what they refer to as a “focused giving approach.” Donations to ASF are used to directly address a specific issue. The partnership between the Allie Smiles Foundation and 2nd Chance 4 Pets will allow the two organizations to collaborate on providing educational resources to pet owners as they plan for the future of their pets. Other organizations that the foundation has selected to support include Canine Companions for Independence and Best Friends Animal Society.

Amy Shever commented on the new partnership stating, “Our volunteer team is thrilled to be among the organizations that ASF supports. Both ASF and 2nd Chance 4 Pets strive to ensure a better life for companion animals and provide peace of mind to pet owners. It is truly an honor to collaborate with ASF in our efforts to save the lives of pets and put an end to pet overpopulation.”

#### **About Allie Smiles Foundation**

The Allie Smiles Foundation's “*focused giving approach*” creates timely campaigns and tackles specific needs guaranteeing that the donations received directly impact a specific cause. The Foundation proudly supports the efforts of several existing organizations. The money raised by

the Foundation supports a number of programs, including training of service and therapy dogs to aid wounded soldiers and the disabled, canine cancer research, caring for pets impacted by catastrophes and neglect, providing items for rescued animals, and educating people about animal cruelty issues. For more information please visit [www.alliesmiles.com](http://www.alliesmiles.com).

**About 2nd Chance 4 Pets**

The mission of 2nd Chance 4 Pets is to reduce the number of pets unnecessarily surrendered to animal shelters each year due to the death or incapacity of the human companions who care for them. 2nd Chance 4 Pets is a nonprofit, 501(c)(3), all-volunteer organization. The organization works nationwide to provide pet owners with comprehensive information and lifetime care solutions for their pets. Please visit [www.2ndchance4pets.org](http://www.2ndchance4pets.org) for more information.

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