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From: Irene Chansawang <irene@maddiesfund.org>
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To: Simmons, Shelly <misimmons@greenvillecounty.org>
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Dear Shelly Simmons,

Congratulations! We are pleased to inform you that on December 20, 2024, the Maddie's Fund Board of Directors approved a \$20,000 grant to support your relief efforts in response to the 2024 hurricanes. Your grant reference number is 24-17440. We are proud to support Greenville County Animal Care's efforts to help the pets and people in your community!

Payment

This grant will be paid via ACH transfer through Bill.com. Please let Deborah Martin know to expect a payment notification email from Bill.com in early January 2025.

Maddie Recognition

In appreciation of this grant, please honor Maddie, the little dog who inspired a movement, through your social media and donor recognition on your website, annual report, newsletter or other promotional materials or marketing communications, as appropriate, by using the hashtag #ThanksToMaddie. The [Maddie's Fund Grant Recognition Toolkit](#) can be found here: <http://www.maddiesfund.org/grant-recognition.htm>.

We encourage you to utilize [Maddie's® University](#) and [Maddie's® Pet Forum](#) to gain knowledge, share information and collaborate with others about your hurricane relief efforts.

Reporting Requirements

The reporting requirement for this grant will be an hour-long Zoom Huddle, held with other organizations who received funding from Maddie's Fund and/or Dave & Cheryl Duffield Foundation for their hurricane relief efforts. This Zoom Huddle will be held July 9, 2025 at 9am PST/12pm EST. You will receive an email from Maddie's Fund to register for the Zoom Huddle thirty days prior to July 9, 2025. This email will include the questions that will be asked on the Zoom Huddle.

If you cannot attend the Zoom Huddle on July 9, 2025, you may submit a written report or attend a call with Maddie's Fund and/or Dave & Cheryl Duffield Foundation instead. The report and the call will cover the same questions as the Zoom Huddle.

In accepting this grant, Greenville County Animal Care agrees to allow Maddie's Fund to distribute and/or include information about this grant in public reports, press releases and other public or private communications with input from Greenville County Animal Care.

If you have any questions about this grant, please contact our Grants Team at grants@maddiesfund.org or 925.310.5450.

Congratulations, again, on receiving this grant! We wish you the best in your humane work.

Sincerely,

Irene Chansawang
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