

Charity # BN88867 7234 RR0001

Dear Valued Business Owner:

Re: Request for support

Dogs with Wings Assistance Dog Society is a registered charitable organization that breeds, raises, trains and offers highly skilled Assistance dogs to support people in our communities living with Autism, and Mobility concerns. Additionally, our incredible dogs work in various organizations to support children, youth and adult victims in dealing with PTSD, trauma, health concerns, and abuse recovery. While our program outcomes are invaluable and priceless to the lives of many, we operate solely on the generosity and support of donors and sponsors who believe in our programs and the importance of our dogs. Our programs and our dogs change lives!

We are hosting our annual fundraising Gala, Beyond the Leash, on Saturday, October 25, 2025, at the DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel West Edmonton and we need your support! This is our largest signature fundraising event and helps raise awareness of our programs and assists us in covering the costs of raising and training our Assistance dogs at \$50,000.00 per dog! We are excited to build on 29 years of success and value your meaningful and unwavering support for our organization and incredible dogs.

Tickets and tables will be available for purchase online starting on April 1, 2025, at dogswithwings.ca. Early bird tickets are \$175.00 until May 31, 2025, and then \$200.00 until tickets sell out. The Gala includes a champagne reception, 3-course meal, puppy demonstrations, client and sponsor testimonials, and various ways to connect with likeminded individuals in our community! We anticipate another sellout, and we would love to have you attend!

Additionally, we are accepting donations for our auction and can provide a tax receipt for fair market value, if an original receipt is provided. Please consider donating an item/service today! There are so many impactful ways to support Dogs with Wings! I encourage you to connect with us on our socials, website, or by email at gala@dogswithwings.ca We are here to highlight your support and create a long-term partnership with you and your business.

Thank you for your support and helping us reach our goals! Every contribution lifts us up to help so many who need us.

Warm regards,

Amanda Dubé

Chief Executive Director

ALL-INCLUSIVE SPORTS PACKAGES

SILENT AUCTION ITEMS

BEHIND-THE-SCENES TOURS OR **EXPERIENCES**

This year's gala theme is Well-Being, reflecting one of our new core values. We're seeking silent auction items that promote wellness, relaxation, and self-care.

SELF-CARE WELLNESS WELLNESS RETREAT LUXURY SPA DAY

FITNESS

MEMBERSHIPS

ENTERTAINMENT WELLNESS EVENTS COMEDIES CONCERTS SPORTS

VACATION WELLNESS **HOTEL STAYS RESORT PACKAGES LUXURY LUGGAGE CRUISES**

FINE-DINING EXPERIENCES



ADVENTURE WELLNESS SKYDIVING

HELICOPTER TOURS

HORSEBACK RIDING

ZIPLINING

FASHION OR JEWELRY PIECES

OUTDOOR WELLNESS HIKING GEAR NATURE TOURS WEEKEND

CAMPING GEAR GETAWAYS

NEW TECH GADGETS LAPTOPS PHONES HEADPHONES **WELLNESS GIFT BASKETS**

WELLNESS SKI PASSES **MULTI-PLAY PASSES LEISURE PASSES ZOO PASSES**

FAMILY

WINE OR SPIRITS COLLECTIONS

LUXURY DOG SPA PACKAGE **SILENT AUCTION ITEMS**

DOG **PORTRAIT OR PAINTING**

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LUXURY DOG FRIENDLY HOTEL **STAY**

PET FRIENDLY HOTEL **PET LUGGAGE** TRAVEL GEAR

DOG BRANDS

GIFTCARDS

PET SERVICES

SUBSCRIPTION

BOXES

DOG SELF CARE LUXURY DOG BED ENRICHMENT TOYS SPA PRODUCTS

SPA TOWELS

DOG FRIENDLY WEEKEND GETAWAY

LOCAL

LOCAL PET FRIENDLY ACCOMODATIONS

PET TRAVEL KIT

TREAT BASKET ORGANIC & NATURAL DOG **TREATS**



DOG FRIENDLY **ADVENTURE**

PET FRIENDLY ACCOMODATIONS DOG ADVENTURE

GUIDED TOURS

GEAR



CAMPSITE CAMPING GEAR HIKING GEAR

PET FRIENDLY

DOG FRIENDLY

PUZZLE AND ENRICHMENT BUNDLES

PET SAFETY GPS TRACKER HIGH-VIS GEAR PET FIRST AID KIT GLOW TAGS OR COLLARS



DOG THEMED HOME DECOR

> **FURNITURE BLANKETS PILLOWS DECOR**



Substantiating Fair Market Value:

Gifts Under \$1,000 In Value

Gifts valued up to \$999 may substantiate value with a recent bill of sale that states the item and its value.

Gifts Over \$1,000 In Value

Special attention is paid in ensuring fair market value has been substantiated in the case of \$1,000 or more. Documentation to substantiate value may include a recent bill of sale that states the item and value. Third party appraisals are required.

Jewelry/Items That Fluctuate In Value

Gifts of art, jewelry and rare items that fluctuate in value require substantiation of value, from a professional qualified to give fair market value, i.e. a dealer's catalogue or appraisal from a dealer. The amount that will be used for the receipt is the amount appraised at the time of receiving the said item.

Vacation Property

Gifts of time at a vacation property are only eligible for a Business receipt.

Gift Certificates

Gift certificates cannot be income tax receipted; but are eligible for a Business receipt.

Gifts of Services (Massage, Consulting, Etc.)

Gifts of services cannot be income tax receipted; but are eligible for Business receipt.

Gifts of Artwork From An Artist

Gifts of artwork from an artist are considered gifts of inventory and with appraisal can be income tax receipted. However, most dealers do not want an income tax receipt as the same value must be claimed as income by the artist.

Dogs with Wings may be required to source additional appraisals to verify fair value for gifted items over \$999



Beyond the Leash Gala 2025Silent Auction In-Kind Donation Form

Tax Receipt Requested: YES NO
Date:
**Please note, tax receipts are only available if an original receipt for the item is attached. **
Donated By:
Name for Receipt:Address:
Phone #:
Email Address:
Item Description:
Fair Market Value: \$
Original Receipt/Invoice Attached: YES NO
Secured by: