Dear Friend,

This was our best summer ever! With record breaking adoption numbers and celebrity animals we could not be happier going into this fall. **Take a look at the amazing things your support made possible.**

We had a “big” summer season, capped off by the arrival of a **26-pound Tabby – Mr. B the Chonk**. Who would have thought when Lacy, one of our dedicated animal care attendants, hoisted Mr. B in the air for a photo that he would become so popular all across the country and even overseas! Mr. B was so big that he crashed our website, with over 3,000 adoption applications. Currently, Mr. B is with one of Morris Animal Refuge’s dedicated foster families, getting comfortable with his new kitty siblings. The family is so excited to work with him and, hopefully, become his forever home.

Mr. B’s “big” attention also helped to promote some of the other animals here at the shelter. While Mr. B was getting international attention there was a huge increase in foot traffic at Morris Animal Refuge, helping 136 animals get adopted in the month of August alone. Included in the 136 were **Pandora**, a tortie cat that was here for over 200 days waiting for a family, and **Teddy**, a deaf puppy who found the perfect family to work with him on his special training needs. **These success stories would not be possible without supporters like you!**

At Morris Animal Refuge our goal is to make each and every one of our animals a star in their own way. Providing the care and support they need to get them ready for their forever homes is something that we love to do, but we can’t do it without your help. **As a part of the Morris Animal Refuge community, your support made it possible for animals like Teddy, Pandora, and Mr. B to get the care they need to help them succeed in their forever homes.** This fall, please consider opening your heart and making a donation. Over 600 animals have already found their forever homes this year. Your support will allow us to help even more!

Thank you for all you do!

With Warm Regards,

Lewis Checchia  
Executive Director  
Morris Animal Refuge  

P.S. You can make a donation using the enclose envelope or by going to our website, www.MorrisAnimalRefuge.org/Donate.