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**MCHA Teams Up with Monroe Fire Station 21 to Offer Low-Cost,
Appointment-Free Vaccine Clinic for Dogs and Cats**

Bloomington, IN – Monroe County Humane Association (MCHA) is thrilled to announce its June event to help local cat and dog owners keep their animals safe and healthy.

On Sunday, June 2, 2024, MCHA will host a pop-up mobile vaccine clinic at the Monroe Fire Station 21, located at 9094 S Strain Ridge Rd., Bloomington, IN 47401. MCHA's amazing veterinary team of volunteers and staff will be available from 1-3pm with no appointment needed; all are welcome!

In celebration of National Microchipping Month, Monroe County Humane Association (MCHA) is partnering with Bloomington Animal Care and Control to offer \$10 microchips throughout June. You can get your pets microchipped at our June mobile vaccine clinic, by visiting Bloomington Animal Care and Control, or by scheduling an appointment at the MCHA clinic. To make an appointment, call 812-333-6242 or email reception@monroehumane.org.

Mobile Clinics offer a range of services, including legally mandated rabies vaccines for pets aged 12 weeks (about 3 months) and older. Additionally, clinics provide nail trims, anal gland expressions, microchips, and preventive measures for flea, tick, and heartworm.

Subsidized rates are available to residents experiencing financial hardship. To qualify for these rates, residents should bring valid documentation with them to the Mobile Vaccine Clinic. Safety is paramount. Cats must be in carriers, and dogs must be leashed (no retractable leashes). It's essential for pet owners to understand that pets showing signs of illness or aggression might be turned away.

Communities or organizations interested in hosting a wellness clinic are invited to reach out to Liz Austin, Outreach Coordinator, at eaustin@monroehumane.org. This is a wonderful opportunity to bring essential pet care services to your area.

Learn more about Mobile Vaccine Clinics, including future dates and locations, at monroehumane.org.

MOBILE VACCINE CLINIC SERVICES/COSTS

VACCINATIONS

Rabies vaccine: \$25 (\$15)

3-year Rabies vaccine (must show proof of previous vaccine certificate): \$30 (\$20)

Canine DAPP vaccine: \$22 (\$18)

Canine Bordetella vaccine: \$22 (\$18)

Canine Leptospirosis vaccine: \$35 (\$25)

Feline FVRCP vaccine: \$22 (\$18)

Feline Leukemia vaccine: \$35 (\$25)

WELLNESS SERVICES

Microchip: \$10 per pet for the month of June

Nail trim: \$18 (\$15)

Nail trim, aggressive animal: \$25 (\$15)

Anal gland expression: \$18 (\$15)

Heartworm Exam and Test: \$35 (\$15)

HEARTWORM PREVENTION

A heartworm test/exam is required to purchase prevention.

Interceptor (Chew), One Dose: \$13.50 (\$10)

Heartworm, Hook & Roundworm

Advantage Multi (Topical), One Dose: \$22.50 (\$18)

Heartworm, Flea, Hook & Roundworm

Simparica Trio (Chew), One Dose: \$41.00 (\$31)

Heartworm, Flea, Tick, Hook & Roundworm

FLEA/TICK PREVENTION

Provecta Advanced, Dogs, One Dose: \$15.00 (\$11.50) (+Tax)

ParaDefense, Cats, One Dose: \$15.00 (\$10.50) (+Tax)

While these clinics are intended for healthy dogs and cats, they are not a substitute for your pet's annual wellness check-up with your primary veterinarian.

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