

# **Annual Report**

2020

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### LEADERSHIP MESSAGE

#### **OUR MISSION**

We seek to enrich the lives of community members with special medical or ability needs in which the assistance of service animals can enable them to experience independence, peace of mind, and companionship, and to advocate on their behalf.

#### Dear Community Members,

This first year has been inspiring, challenging, and rewarding. We set a goal to launch an organization that will thrive, and the foundation we have laid will continue to provide much needed services for years to come. We have made connections in the community, awarded our first two service dogs, and partnered with other organizations in a common goal to serve both people and animals who need help. We look forward to growing our services, growing our board, and growing our impact in our community. Our strategic plan going forward includes partnering with disability and service dog groups to advocate on behalf of those who need service dogs and to raise public awareness of the benefits for both people and dogs in our program. This plan will include significant emphasis on recruiting volunteers, continuing our fundraising efforts, and being involved in the community. We would like to sincerely thank all of those who have contributed to making our first year happen and we look forward to a great future.

Emple Pyle **Board Chair** 



Dakota Taylor

Vice Chair



Jamera Freyth Treasurer



Andu Fills Secretary



## Programs

We launched our services with the early basic training of our first two puppies. Vixen was obtained through grants from the Walmart Foundation, and Rose was donated by a local breeder, Golden Hills Grove.



## Volunteers

26 Volunteers donated over 168 Hours

**Puppy Socialization \* Dog Training \* Advocacy \* Events** 

### **Donors**

**5 Individuals \* 7 Businesses \* 3 Non-profit organizations** 

Donated over \$22,000 in money, goods, and services

## **Events**

Our annual awards event is the culmination of what our organization is all about. In our first year we awarded two dogs to three very deserving recipients, along with scholarships to be used with professional trainers who will work with the dogs and their owners.

Both Vixen and Rose will be trained to become seizure alert and task assistance dogs









**Additional Awards:** 

Cody Shumway & the Syracuse Walmart – Donor of the Year

Jana & Tayler Whitby – Volunteers of the Year

# **Financial Reports**

### 2020 Budget Year

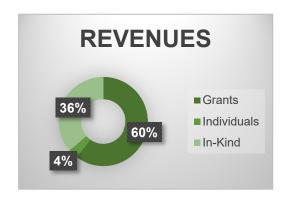
### **REVENUES**

 Grants
 13,750

 Individuals
 840

 In-Kind
 7,765

 22,355



#### **EXPENSES**

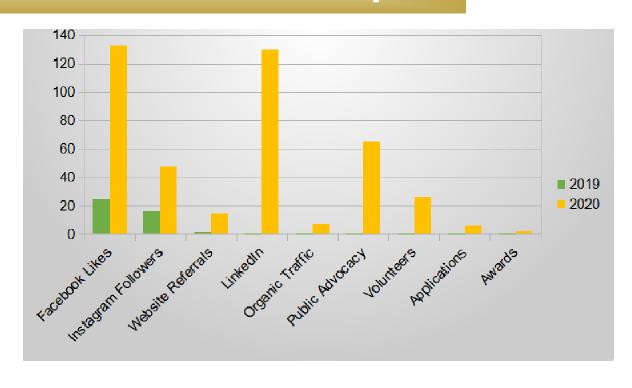
 Management
 1,908

 Programs
 18,133

 20,041



## **Outreach & Impact**



## **Partners & Donors**











