

Reptile Rescue of Wisconsin, Inc.
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March/April 2026

Dear Business Owner,

We hope you're doing well. Our names are **Marci Ward, Founder**, and **John Heitke, Raffle Advisor**, and we are reaching out on behalf of **Reptile Rescue of Wisconsin, Inc.**, a local 501(c)(3) nonprofit dedicated exclusively to rescuing, rehabilitating, and responsibly rehoming domestic-bred reptiles in need.

Many reptiles come to our rescue sick, injured, or abandoned due to misunderstandings about their complex care needs. These animals require specialized heating, lighting, habitat equipment, proper nutrition, and veterinary care in order to survive and recover. Our organization works every day to give these often-overlooked animals a second chance at safe, healthy lives.

To help support this mission, we are hosting a **Meat Raffle Fundraiser on Sunday, May 17, 2026, from 12:00 PM – 5:00 PM at JJ's Bar & Grill, 316 DeWitt St., Portage, WI.** We are inviting local businesses like yours to partner with us by donating **meat packages, gift certificates, or other raffle prizes** to help make the event a success.

Your donation will directly help provide food, habitat supplies, heating and lighting equipment, and veterinary care for the reptiles currently in our rescue. In appreciation of your support, we will proudly:

- Announce your business during the raffle
- Display your business name at the event
- Thank and recognize your business on our social media (if desired)

Reptile Rescue of Wisconsin, Inc. is a **registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit**, and donations may be tax-deductible as allowed by law. A donation receipt can be provided upon request.

Every contribution helps us continue providing lifesaving care for animals that depend entirely on our rescue.

Thank you for supporting local rescue efforts and considering a donation to help these animals.

Sincerely,

Marci Ward, Founder – 608-697-0914

John Heitke, Raffle Advisor – 608-408-7097

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Please fill out donation form on the back of this letter. Thank you for your support and generous donation.

All donations to Reptile Rescue of Wisconsin, Inc. are deductible to the donor in compliance with the provisions of IRC 501(a) or other applicable section of the IRC.

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