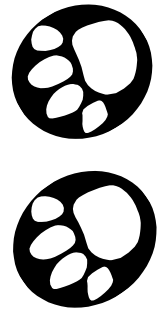




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Would like to provide you with some useful information and links as to what to do with your pets when you are facing foreclosure.

MOVING ON: REMEMBER YOUR PETS WHEN RELOCATING

It's a tragic occurrence that's happening every day in America—families are being forced out of their homes when banks foreclose on their mortgages.

But just because a family loses its home doesn't mean that the family pet must lose both his home and his family.

The HSUS urges all pet owners faced with foreclosure to take their pets with them when they relocate.

"Abandoning pets, for any reason, is not only irresponsible—it is illegal," said Stephanie Shain, director of outreach for companion animals at The HSUS. "Pet owners may feel financially unable to care for their pets or are overwhelmed by a sudden move, but there are many alternatives to leaving pets behind. For those in need of help, we offer tips on easing the financial burden of pet ownership and finding pet-friendly housing."

[Find Local Shelters or Rescues](#) Use this search to find the location of shelters and rescues in your area. These listings include hours of operations, locations, services offered, and much more. If you are looking for a local shelter or rescue to visit, this is the place to start!

<http://www.pets911.com/organizations/organizations.php>

OR

[Look for animal friendly rentals, listed by State](#) Use this search to locate animal friendly apartment communities.

http://www.hsus.org/pets/pet_care/renting_with_pets_the_online_resource_for_rental_managers_and_pet_owners/finding_animalfriendly_rental_housing/animal_friendly_apts.html

