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OUTSIDE AGENCY FUNDING APPLICATION – FISCAL YEAR 2023

General Application Information:

Applications are due by September 30, 2022. Final decisions on funding requests will be made no later than December 7, 2022, and applicants will be notified of the decision on their funding request.

One copy of the funding applications and attachments are required and should be mailed or emailed to the address below. Completed applications must include all required items and be submitted by the deadline to be considered.

Funding requests will be reviewed and evaluated based on the criteria set forth in the City of Fruita Outside Agency Funding Policy (Exhibit B).

Questions regarding the application may be directed to Shannon Vassen at svassen@fruita.org or (970) 858-3663.

Completed application packets should be submitted to:

City of Fruita
Attn: Shannon Vassen
325 E. Aspen Avenue
Fruita, Co 81521

Or email to svassen@fruita.org

Application Contents:

- I. Application
- II. Organization Certification
- III. List of Required Attachments
- IV. Exhibit A – City Goals
- V. Exhibit B – Outside Agency Funding Policy



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Organization: **Grand Valley Pets Alive** Date: **9/29/22**

Contact Person: **Carole Chowen** Title: **President, Spay/Neuter**
Coordinator

Sue Tuffin Title: **Fruita Spay/Neuter**

Mailing Address: **P.O. Box 3701, Grand Junction, Co 91502-2741**

Street Address: **None**

Phone No.: **Carole – (970)256-1851** Email: **carole_chowen@yahoo.com**
Sue – (970)640-2000 Email: **smtuffin49@gmail.com**

FUNDING REQUEST SUMMARY

Project Name: **Fruita Spay/Neuter Voucher Program**

Amount of Request: **(\$)** **3,500.00**

Summary of Request:

This is the second year Grand Valley Pets Alive has applied for an Outside Agency Funding Grant from the City of Fruita. The grant for 2022 has some funds left, which will be used soon. The following breakdown of how these funds were spent are as of 9/21/22; the date of our last board meeting:

- **29 cats have been “romantically repaired”: Neutered 12 and Spayed 17. Three trapped males had already been neutered, so they were vaccinated and ear tipped.**
- **Feral cats 24; pets – 3 plus the 3 already neutered.**

The total spent of the grant is \$2115, with a balance of \$785 that will cover the active and still to be issued vouchers. Six vouchers are active. Currently 5 vouchers are available to issue.

The total of 17 vouchers were let to expire or were returned. We have reissued or are reissuing them. Before this, all vouchers had been issued and a few projects in the Fruita designated area were paid for out of GVPA’s general program.



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Many kittens were pulled from colonies in the specified area of Fruita, bounded by: 16 Rd to the West, 19 Rd to the East, L Rd to the North and the Colorado River, including the Kingsview Estate Subdivision to the South. These kittens were fostered by various volunteers and when ready, adopted out through Loma Cat House, Grand Rivers Humane and Journey Home Animal Care Center (Rifle). These non-profits paid for the spay/neuter of kittens taken into their programs. Some are still in foster care. Some of the moms will be spayed with the remaining vouchers when they are finished nursing.

For the big picture, in 2021 GVPA funded 458 sterilization surgeries for cats, dogs & rabbits in Mesa County. The majority were cats and of those, mostly colony cats. This year the county wide total as of 9/21 is 378 cats (271 feral, 107 pets), 29 dogs and no rabbits yet for a total of 407 “romantic repairs”.

There is much more to do to reduce the breeding population of cats in Fruita. The requested amount would provide for approximately 77 surgeries.

How does this program/project benefit the citizens/businesses of the City of Fruita?

This project would fall under the Quality of Place City goals. Cats at large, be they pets or feral/abandoned, are often a point of conflict in neighborhoods. By funding spay/neuter of pets and TNR (Trap-Neuter Return) of feral/colony cats, we work to reduce these conflicts and provide a better life for the cats and kittens.

Spay/Neuter of cats will help the citizens, often low income, who care about and provide food, water and shelter for colonies. They consider the cats part of their families.

How does this program/project help the City to achieve its goals and priorities (Exhibit A)?

For several years, Mesa County shelters have been overwhelmed with kittens and abandoned pets. If we can sterilize cats they cannot reproduce. Feral cats are not adoptable. They have to be returned to their home area after TNR (Trap-Neuter-Return). Our goal is to stop the colonies from growing and reduce the number of kittens born without a chance of finding a home. Sterilized adult cats will not fight for a mating partner. Vaccinations prevent the spread of disease to other ferals as well as to pets in the area. Over time the colony residents will age out and the size of the group declines.

There is considerable evidence that elimination of a colony of feral cats and/or abandoned pets creates a vacuum. This vacuum will be filled by even more feral cats. The TNR of a managed colony is the best way to reduce problems.



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Providing this alternative to the overpopulation problem definitely fits under the City's goal of Quality of Place.

Describe other funding sources and financial support for this project/program, both internally and from other outside agencies, including in-kind contributions such as donated goods or services.

GVPA has a general program that is funded by donations, fundraisers and grants. It's used to pay for Spay/Neuter countywide, including Fruita urban and rural.

Business donors and grants to the general program in 2022 have come from:

- Sam's Club (\$1000)
- Western Colorado Community Foundation (Anonymous fund \$2000)
- Lorraine and Jack Walker Fund (\$600)
- Colorado Pet Overpopulation Fund (\$2000) – to be used for owned pets (cats & dogs) for income qualified individuals. We have vouchers available from this program, especially for dogs

Similar to the grant from the City of Fruita, significant donations have been made by the following businesses to S/N cats on their properties:

- Canyon View RV Resort, GJ (\$300)
- Impact Cares, owner of several trailer parks in Mesa County (\$1500)
- Poop Van Scoop (\$480)

The Fruita Thrift Stop has supported GVPA for several years. We will be requesting to be put on their calendar for October or November.

On 9/27/22, GVPA received notice that \$3000 has been awarded from the Trutta Fund for Veterans, managed by Western Colorado Community Foundation to spay/neuter and immunize Pets of Vets in Mesa County.

Will the organization be able to continue to deliver service in the future without City funding?
How will the success of this program be measured?

GVPA has been funding spay/neuter countywide since 2014 and will continue to do so as funding allows.



Currently we have a waiting list for the general program, which includes dogs and rabbits.

GVPA created a spread sheet to track the use of the \$2900 granted from Fruita for 2022. A pdf of this is attached. It is not yet finalized. When all vouchers are used by the end of the grant, a full report will be provided. The same will be done for a 2023 grant, if awarded.

PROJECT/PROGRAM BUDGET

List itemized expenditures by category for this funding request. Be specific. This information will be used to compile funding agreements for approved requests.

If the requested amount of \$3500 is granted, that funding would go in full to pay for spay/neuter and immunizations of cats in the specified area of Fruita. GVPA is all volunteer, with no rent or overhead. Yearly expenses consist of office supplies, printing and occasionally fees for a space at events such as Arbor Day.

Our budget is based on what we have done in prior years. When funds come in, vouchers are issued.

<u>Expenses</u>	
Line Item Description	Cost
Spay female cat + rabies & distemper vaccines	\$85
Neuter male cat+ rabies & distemper vaccines	\$70
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$3500.00

(On occasion, cats are trapped that have already been spayed or neutered. In this case, feral cats would have been given anesthesia before they could be examined, which costs \$25. Such cats would be vaccinated against rabies and distemper and ear tipped. Approximately, 77 vouchers would be available. It varies by the percentage of females/males sterilized.)



Revenues

See above discussion: In 2021 total revenue was \$35,397.53; total expenses \$32,566.38.
(Please see report)

Sources of Revenue	Funding Committed? Y/N	Amount
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TOTAL REVENUES		<hr/>

ORGANIZATION CERTIFICATION:

I certify that _____ (organization) is an eligible agency for receipt of funds pursuant to Section 2 of the City of Fruita Outside Agency Funding Policy (Exhibit B); that all information reported in this application and attached is true, accurate and complete; that I am authorized to make application on behalf of the above organization and have been designated as such by the Board of Directors; and that I will provide written notice of any changes or additions to this information.



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Signature: _____

Date: _____

Title: _____

ATTACHMENTS REQUIRED

- ☐ IRS Letter of Tax Exempt Status under Section 501 (c) of the Internal Revenue Code unless organization is a governmental or quasi-governmental entity.
- ☐ Statement of support for this funding request from the board of directors or governing body of the organization
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EXHIBIT A CITY GOALS

WHY FRUITA? The City of Fruita focuses on three strategic outcomes built upon a base of providing quality core services.

Quality of Place (QP)

The City of Fruita is a community where residents and visitors love where they are. The City strives to be a bike and pedestrian friendly community by providing a system of sidewalks, trails, and bike lanes that connect our parks, schools, neighborhoods, civic facilities, and commercial areas. We value safe



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neighborhoods, our geographic natural resources and landscapes, top tier education and healthcare, and we collaborate to provide quality essential infrastructure and services. We are an inclusive community of doers who enjoy active and healthy lifestyles.

Economic Health (EH)

The City of Fruita strives to be financially sustainable by enabling a stable economy and supporting a diversity of businesses that offer well paying jobs that attract educated employees. The City works to be fiscally responsible and continuously seeks ways to allocate resources to services and projects that have the highest impact on the City's priorities. We are the innovative leader for economic development in the Grand Valley.

Lifestyle (L)

The City of Fruita fosters a fun and funky ambiance by celebrating the local arts, farm and ranching history, unique leisure opportunities, and family-friendly events and activities. As a city, we encourage a diversity of cultural opportunities, businesses, and recreational activities. We continue to improve and enhance recreational offerings from traditional to outdoor adventure sports and youth to adult activities. We are a family-friendly community with diverse cultural opportunities, businesses and recreational amenities where visitors feel like locals and locals play like visitors.



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EXHIBIT B
OUTSIDE AGENCY FUNDING POLICY
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SECTION 1: POLICY

It is the policy of the City of Fruita, Colorado to consider funding requests from agencies committed to providing community service programs that fulfill a public purpose in that the services to be performed benefit, promote, serve and enhance the quality of life for the Fruita community at large for a cost or in a manner that the City could not provide more efficiently or for less cost.

This policy promotes the concept that the most efficient use of taxpayer funds for contributions to outside agencies are direct contributions that are used for the intended purpose of providing community service programs. Therefore, the City does not contribute funds for fund raising events in which a portion of the contribution is used to offset the cost of fund raising (e.g. tickets for banquets and similar events).

SECTION 2: ELIGIBLE AGENCIES

An eligible agency must be a not-for-profit (public or private), charitable (public or private), governmental, or quasi-governmental entity organized and existing under Colorado law. The agency must be recognized by and provide proof of tax-exempt status under Section 501 (c) of the Internal Revenue Code of the United States, unless the agency is a governmental or quasi-governmental entity.

An agency complying with this provision, but whose proposed service program or project fails to meet the evaluation criteria presented in Section 3 of this policy, may not receive funds from the City.

An agency complying with this provision, but whose proposed service program or project duplicates services or projects provided by another agency may not receive funds from the City.

SECTION 3 PROCEDURES

The City's process for funding an outside agency request is as follows:



- 3.1 The City of Fruita should receive all funding requests from outside agencies no later than September 30, 2022 for consideration for funding in the following fiscal year.

This allows for consideration of the funding requests as part of the development of the operating budget for the following year.

- 3.2 Funding available for outside agency requests will be reviewed on an annual basis as part of the budget process.
- 3.3 The availability of funds awarded will be subsequent to January 1 for the funding cycle of each year and released accordingly upon receipt of invoice and any required supporting documentation.
- 3.4 City operations and capital expenditures will receive priority over all funding requests from outside agencies. Funding Requests from outside agencies will be treated as the lowest priority in the budget process and will be considered only after meeting the other needs of the City government.
- 3.5 The City of Fruita reserves the right to terminate funding for outside agencies at any time. Approval of funding for one fiscal year does not impose a commitment on the City for funding in future years.
- 3.6 No funding decision shall be considered final until the City Council adopts the budget and all aspects of the agency's responsibilities and the conditions under which payment for the agency's services will be rendered have been met.
- 3.7 City funding shall only be used for the purpose and service for which the funding is requested and approved by the City. Any deviation from the approved funding request may be made only by the City's prior, written approval. If not, funds must be returned immediately to the City.

SECTION 4 EVALUATION CRITERIA

The City Council may utilize the criteria listed below in the evaluation and prioritization of funding requests.

- 4.1 Agency's ability to demonstrate the effectiveness and relevancy of a project or service to the community.



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- 4.2 The ability to meet a specific or relevant need in the community.
- 4.3 Relationship to the City's mission, goals and/or objectives
- 4.4 The likelihood the project will produce successful results.
- 4.5 Service impact or benefit to the businesses and citizens of Fruita and the number of citizens/businesses, geographic areas and specific impact (quantified).
- 4.6 The effectiveness of the services and/or program and the impact on the City of Fruita community based upon measurable performance data.
- 4.7 The agency's history of success.
- 4.8 Effective use of requested funding, including matching contributions, additional sources, and effort of outside search for financial assistance.
- 4.9 The financial need of the agency and its ability to implement the services and/or programs based upon available resources.
- 4.10 The ability of the agency to continue the project or service after the funding cycle without an ongoing operational award from the City to this service.
- 4.11 The amount of previous funding requests and the amount received from the City of Fruita
- 4.12 Budgetary constraints on available funds.

SECTION 5 SUBMITTAL INSTRUCTIONS

Agencies must adhere to the following instructions for submittal of the Funding Requests:

- 5.1 The Funding Request should be submitted to the City of Fruita by October 15.
- 5.2 The appropriate agency authorities must complete, sign and date the Funding Request

SECTION 6 REQUIRED INFORMATION



Funding Requests should contain the following information and/or documentation.

- 6.1 Amount requested from the City of Fruita
- 6.2 A brief narrative of the agency's program(s) and demonstrated benefit to the citizens of Fruita and relationship to helping the City achieve its goals and priorities.
- 6.3 An official statement of support for the Funding Request from the governing body of the agency.
- 6.4 A copy of the budget for the fiscal year the funds are being requested) must accompany the request. In addition, a copy of the budget or financial statements for the previous fiscal year must accompany the request. These documents may also be provided through email or a link to these documents online.
- 6.5 A copy of the Section 501(c) declaration by the Internal Revenue Service must accompany the Funding Request.
- 6.6 Completed Outside Agency Funding Application.
- 6.7 Letters of support.
- 6.8 Additional supporting documents and information that may be requested by the City.

SECTION 7 AGENCY REQUIREMENTS AFTER RECEIPT OF FUNDING

- 7.1 Financial Report. Agencies must provide an annual report of the expenditure of city funds.
- 7.2 Performance Report. Agencies must provide an annual report on the effectiveness of services or projects for which the agency received funding.



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Signature:

Debbie Lee

Date:

9/29/22

Title:

President, Spay/Neuter Coordinator

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Alpine Bank 4991									
				Tax		Deposit			
Check #	Date	Contribution or Payee	Service	Code	Expenses	Breakdown	Revenue		Balance
		Starting Balance							\$10,190.61
Debit	1/4/2021	ABC Vet	Regular Payment	EPS	\$1,250.00				\$8,940.61
Credit	1/5/2021	Stripe	donation	RC		\$193.90	\$193.90		\$9,134.51
Credit	1/5/2021	Stripe	donation	RC		\$48.25	\$48.25		\$9,182.76
Credit	1/5/2021	Stripe	donation	RC		\$193.90	\$193.90		\$9,376.66
Credit	1/5/2021	Stripe	donation	RC		\$48.25	\$48.25		\$9,424.91
Credit	1/5/2021	Stripe	donation	RC		\$485.20	\$485.20		\$9,910.11
Debit	1/6/2021	USPS	PO Box for 1 year	EA	\$92.00				\$9,818.11
Debit	1/7/2021	Grand Valley Vet	Neuter 1 cat	EPS	\$60.00				\$9,758.11
Credit	1/8/2021	Sandra Kisser	donation	RC		\$5.00			\$9,758.11
		Chow Down GJ (kitten adoption)	donation	RC		\$5.00			\$9,758.11
		Cindy Bedege	donation	RC		\$100.00			\$9,758.11
		Connie Syas	donation	RC		\$40.00			\$9,758.11
		Marie Mitchell	donation	RC		\$50.00			\$9,758.11
		Sylvia Heman	donation	RC		\$100.00			\$9,758.11
		Jill Delevan	donation	RC		\$50.00	\$350.00		\$10,108.11
Credit	1/15/2021	ABC Jar	donation	RC		\$60.00			\$10,108.11
		Vickie Lucero	donation	RC		\$40.00			\$10,108.11
		Rina Kopp	donation	RC		\$20.00	\$120.00		\$10,228.11
Debit	1/19/2021	ABV Vet	Regular Payment	EPS	\$1,855.00				\$8,373.11
Credit	1/19/2021	Carole Chowen	donation Rowdy Fund	RC		\$200.00			\$8,373.11
		Tina Slivon	donation Rowdy Fund	RC		\$150.00			\$8,373.11
		Lenord and Susan Shortino	donation	RC		\$50.00			\$8,373.11
		Linda Jenks	donation	RC		\$100.00			\$8,373.11
		DonnaMarie	donation	RC		\$100.00	\$600.00		\$8,973.11
Ck 1209	1/20/2021	Loma Cat House	Vet Care for Vanna from Rowdy Fund	EPS	\$600.00				\$8,373.11
Ck 1210	1/21/2021	Tina Slivon	Reimbursement for State Periodic Rpt	EA	\$10.00				\$8,363.11
Credit	1/26/2021	Deb Crooks	donation Rowdy fund	RC		\$200.00			\$8,363.11
		Barbara Charlesworth	donation Rowdy Fund	RC		\$300.00			\$8,363.11
		Banana's Fun Park	donation	RC		\$100.00			\$8,363.11
		Chow Down GJ jar	donation	RC		\$20.00			\$8,363.11
		ABC vet jar	donation	RC		\$15.00	\$635.00		\$8,998.11
credit	2/1/2021	Jo Durand	donation Rowdy fund	RC		\$20.00			\$8,998.11
		Julie Butherus	donation	RC		\$100.00			\$8,998.11
		Theresa Potente	donation Rowdy fund	RC		\$150.00			\$8,998.11
		Candace Mudge	donation Rowdy fund	RC		\$50.00			\$8,998.11
		Karen Sjoberg	donation Rowdy Fund	RC		\$100.00			\$8,998.11
		Kroger	donation	RC		\$482.21	\$902.21		\$9,900.32
debit	2/1/2021	Fed 990 - N	yearly federal report	EA	\$40.00				\$9,860.32
debit	2/1/2021	ABC vet	Regular Payment	EPS	\$1,850.00				\$8,010.32
credit	2/15/2021	Peter Hullinger	donation Rowdy Fund	RC		\$25.00			\$8,010.32
		Karen Kenner	donation	RC		\$200.00			\$8,010.32
		Liane Abrams	donation	RC		\$20.00			\$8,010.32
		Carol Inglis	donation	RC		\$10.00			\$8,010.32
		Jill Delavan	donation	RC		\$50.00			\$8,010.32
		Claire Denzler	donation	RC		\$200.00			\$8,010.32
		ABC jar	donation	RC		\$7.00			\$8,010.32
		Chow Down GJ jar	donation	RC		\$10.00			\$8,010.32
		Fisher's Market jar	donation	RC		\$99.48			\$8,010.32
		Rina Kopp	donation	RC		\$20.00			\$8,010.32

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				Tax		Deposit		
Check #	Date	Contribution or Payee	Service	Code	Expenses	Breakdown	Revenue	Balance
		Kevin Wright/kept traps too long	donation	RC		\$30.00	\$671.48	\$8,681.80
credit	3/4/2021	Pat Kelley	donation	RC		\$20.00		\$8,681.80
		Church of the Nativity	donation Rowdy Fund EMF Jessie	RC		\$42.50		\$8,681.80
		Judith Hopper	donation spay/neuter 8 rabbits	RC		\$500.00		\$8,681.80
		PayPal Giving Fund	donation	RC		\$24.22		\$8,681.80
		ProShip and Copy jar	donation	RC		\$14.00	\$600.72	\$9,282.52
debit	2/22/2021	Cottonwood Vet	S/N 4 cats, vaccinate 1 cat	EPS	\$258.00			\$9,024.52
ck#1206	2/26/2021	Arrowhead Vet.	spay Jesse	EPS	\$60.00			\$8,964.52
			other vet services (Rowdy Fund)	EPS	\$268.00			\$8,696.52
debit	2/17/2021	Plateau Valley A. Hospital	Neuter 1 cat / Julie Silzell	EPS	\$60.00			\$8,636.52
Credit	3/9/2021	Liane Abrams	donation	RC		\$15.00		\$8,636.52
		Jill Delavan	donation	RC		\$50.00		\$8,636.52
		Joe Hayes	donation	RC		\$1,000.00	\$1,065.00	\$9,701.52
debit	3/8/2021	Footprints Vet	Spay cat / H. Corbin	EPS	\$95.00			\$9,606.52
debit	3/11/2021	Monument View Vet	Spay cat / Sue Tuffin	EPS	\$85.00			\$9,521.52
debit	3/11/2021	All Pets Center Vet	Spay cat / Jason Dewitt	EPS	\$60.00			\$9,461.52
Credit	3/16/2021	Nancy Gillum	donation	RC		\$300.00		\$9,461.52
		Rhonda Rhudy / Cynthia Solomson	donation	RC		\$600.00		\$9,461.52
		Rina Kopp	donation	RC		\$20.00		\$9,461.52
		Jack and Lorraine Walker	WCCF Grant	RO		\$600.00	\$1,520.00	\$10,981.52
debit	3/22/2021	Cottonwood Vet	S/N 3 dogs and 4 cats	EPS	\$520.00			\$10,461.52
Debit	3/22/2021	Footprints Vet	S/N 2 cats / Adrianna Lopez	EPS	\$120.00			\$10,341.52
ck#1321	3/22/2021	Dr. Gary Vet	Spay cat	EPS	\$60.00			\$10,281.52
ck#1322	3/22/2021	Arrowhead Vet.	S/N 8 rabbits	EPS	\$500.00			\$9,781.52
Debit	3/29/2021	Monument View Vet	S/N cat / Becky Walker	EPS	\$75.00			\$9,706.52
ck#1323	4/1/2021	Rifle Animal Shelter	S/N 10 cats, vaccinate 8 cats	EPS	\$825.00			\$8,881.52
Debit	4/8/2021	Amigo Vet	Spay pet cat / Jennifer Nix	EPS	\$60.00			\$8,821.52
Debit	4/15/2021	Arrowhead Vet.	Spay Gato / Alisha Etcheverry	EPS	\$60.00			\$8,761.52
Credit	4/16/2021	Dr. Gary's jar	donation	RC		\$14.00		\$8,761.52
		Theresa Potente	donation	RC		\$100.00		\$8,761.52
		Jill Delavan	donation	RC		\$50.00		\$8,761.52
		Rina Kopp	donation	RC		\$20.00		\$8,761.52
		Shop for Your Cause	donation	RC		\$34.00	\$218.00	\$8,979.52
debit	4/16/2021	US Post office	stamps	EA	\$110.00			\$8,869.52
credit	4/16/2021	Teresa Bell	donation	RC		\$240.00	\$240.00	\$9,109.52
Debit	4/20/2021	ABC Vet	S/N payment	EPS	\$525.00			\$8,584.52
Debit	4/20/2021	CO State SOS	2021 registration	EA	\$10.00			\$8,574.52
credit	4/22/2021	Claire Denzler	donation	RC		\$360.00		\$8,574.52
		Rebecca Hale	donation	RC		\$130.00		\$8,574.52
		Monument Liquer jar	donation	RC		\$35.00	\$525.00	\$9,099.52
debit	5/3/2021	ABC Vet	S/N payment	EPS	\$540.00			\$8,559.52
credit	5/5/2021	MCAS jar	donation	RC		\$47.50		\$8,559.52
		Tina and Eric Slivon	donation	RC		\$52.50		\$8,559.52
		Deborah Crooks (Sue Tuffin)	donation	RC		\$100.00		\$8,559.52
		City Market	donation	RC		\$516.90	\$716.90	\$9,276.42
ck#1324	5/6/2021	Cottonwood Vet	spay cat Vanessa Tucker	EPS	\$60.00			\$9,216.42
		All Pets Center Vet	neuter Ollie Kappauf	EPS	\$60.00			\$9,156.42
debit	5/17/2021	Cottonwood Vet	S/N 2 cats Maddison Back	EPS	\$120.00			\$9,036.42
debit	5/17/2021	Plateau Valley A. Hospital	spay 1 cat Julie Silzell	EPS	\$60.00			\$8,976.42
Debit	5/18/2021	ABC Vet	S/N payment	EPS	\$1,265.00			\$7,711.42

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credit	5/19/2021	Elaine Johnson Craig	donation	RC		\$50.00			\$7,711.42
		Pat Kelley	donation	RC		\$25.00			\$7,711.42
		Jill Delavan	donation	RC		\$50.00			\$7,711.42
		Kathleen Nelson	donation	RC		\$200.00			\$7,711.42
		Deborah Crooks (Sue Tuffin)	donation Rowdy fund	RC		\$100.00			\$7,711.42
		Rina Kopp	donation	RC		\$20.00	\$445.00		\$8,156.42
cedit	6/1/2021	Carole, Alice, Claire	donation (wine)	RC		\$14.00			\$8,156.42
		WCCF	grant	RO		\$2,000.00	\$2,014.00		\$10,170.42
debit	6/1/2021	ABC vet	S/N reg payment	EPS	\$1,400.00				\$8,770.42
Debit	6/4/2021	Cottonwood vet	Rowdy Fund for medical tx for Leemuur	EPS	\$428.70				\$8,341.72
Debit	6/8/2021	Cottonwood vet	Rowdy fund for med. Tx for Leemuur	EPS	\$34.00				\$8,307.72
Debit	6/11/2021	Cottonwood vet	neuter feral cat/Kristin Dahlstrom	EPS	\$60.00				\$8,247.72
Debit	6/16/2021	ABC vet	S/N reg payment	EPS	\$955.00				\$7,292.72
credit	6/21/2021	Teresa Ann Bell	donation	RC		\$180.00			\$7,292.72
		Linda Jenks	donation Rowdy fund (Leemuur)	RC		\$100.00			\$7,292.72
		Ginger Gobbo	donation Rowdy fund (Leemuur)	RC		\$100.00			\$7,292.72
		Catherine Lerner	donation Rowdy fund (Leemuur)	RC		\$100.00			\$7,292.72
		Chow Down GJ	donation	RC		\$25.00			\$7,292.72
		Jill Delavan	donation	RC		\$50.00			\$7,292.72
		Rina Kopp	donation	RC		\$20.00			\$7,292.72
		Shop for your Cause	donation	RC		\$38.00	\$613.00		\$7,905.72
credit	7/1/2021	Jackie Savage and Richard Rhodes	donation/security deposit traps	RC		\$50.00			\$7,905.72
		Pat Kelley	donation	RC		\$25.00			\$7,905.72
		Network for Good	Alice's bday FB fundraiser	RSE		\$235.00	\$310.00		\$8,215.72
debit	7/1/2021	ABC Vet	S/N reg. payment	EPS	\$1,435.00				\$6,780.72
debit	7/1/2021	Desert Spring Vet	Spay cat for Shea Fogerty	EPS	\$90.00				\$6,690.72
debit	7/8/2021	Sky Canyon Vet	med.Tx for River/Karla Howe-Rowdy fund	EPS	\$300.00				\$6,390.72
credit	7/19/2021	Jill Delavan	donation	RC		\$50.00			\$6,390.72
		Rina Kopp	donation	RC		\$20.00			\$6,390.72
		Claire Denzler	donation Rowdy fund (River)	RC		\$100.00			\$6,390.72
		Timothy Satterfield	donation Rowdy Fund	RC		\$50.00			\$6,390.72
		Church of the Nativity	donation Rowdy Fund	RC		\$45.00			\$6,390.72
		Carole Chowen	donation Rowdy fund (Leemuur)	RC		\$100.00			\$6,390.72
		Teresa Bell	donation	RC		\$120.00	\$485.00		\$6,875.72
credit	7/19/2021	Tina Slivon/Stripe	donation	RC		\$9.41	\$9.41		\$6,885.13
debit	7/20/2021	ABC Vet	S/N reg. payment	EPS	\$1,305.00				\$5,580.13
credit	7/9/2021	Stripe	donation	RC		\$19.12	\$19.12		\$5,599.25
credit	7/22/2021	Byod Steele	donation	RC		\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00		\$6,599.25
debit	8/3/2021	ABC Vet	spay/neuter reg payment	EPS	\$580.00				\$6,019.25
credit	8/5/2021	Frances Karr	donation Rowdy fund (Leemuur)	RC		\$100.00			\$6,019.25
		MCAS box	donation	RC		\$18.00			\$6,019.25
		City Market	donation	RC		\$575.10			\$6,019.25
		Caturday	fundaiser	RSE		\$63.00	\$756.10		\$6,775.35
debit	8/9/2021	Copy Copy	address labels	EA	\$57.80				\$6,717.55
credit	8/13/2021	Linda Jenks	donation	RC		\$60.00			\$6,717.55
		Joan Briggs	donation	RC		\$20.00			\$6,717.55
		Rina Kopp	donation	RC		\$20.00			\$6,717.55
		ABC Vet box	donation	RC		\$16.00			\$6,717.55
		Rolland Consulting Engineers	Donation	RC		\$360.00	\$476.00		\$7,193.55

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debit	8/17/2021	ABC Vet	spay/neuter reg. payment	EPS	\$2,535.00			\$4,658.55
credit	8/18/2021	Marion Wells	donation	RC		\$1,000.00		\$4,658.55
		Deborah Crooks (Sue Tuffin)	donation	RC		\$100.00		\$4,658.55
		Samantha Stevens	donation	RC		\$60.00	\$1,160.00	\$5,818.55
ck.#1212	8/24/2021	C & R Farms	peach fundraiser	EF	\$720.00			\$5,098.55
credit	8/27/2021	Peaches for pets	fundraiser	RSE		\$433.00	\$433.00	\$5,531.55
		Peaches for pets	fundraiser	RSE		\$1,099.00		\$5,531.55
		ABC jar	donation	RC		\$35.00	\$1,134.00	\$6,665.55
debit	9/1/2021	ABC Vet	reg. payment	EPS	\$1,635.00			\$5,030.55
credit	9/3/2021	Hallie Slivon	peach fundraiser	RSE		\$15.00		\$5,030.55
		ABC jar	donation	RC		\$105.00		\$5,030.55
		CPOF Grant	State Grant	RGC		\$2,000.00	\$2,120.00	\$7,150.55
credit	8/16/2021	Amazon Smile	donation	RC		\$37.60	\$37.60	\$7,188.15
credit	9/10/2021	Claire Denzler	donation	RC		\$300.00		\$7,188.15
		Fisher's Market jar	donation	RC		\$48.33		\$7,188.15
		Deborah Crooks (Sue Tuffin)	donation	RC		\$100.00		\$7,188.15
		Terry Yates (Sue Tuffin)	donation	RC		\$100.00	\$548.33	\$7,736.48
credit	9/14/2021	Eric & Tina Slivon	donation	RC		\$300.00		\$7,736.48
		Rina Kopp	donation	RC		\$20.00		\$7,736.48
		Jill Delavan	donation	RC		\$50.00	\$370.00	\$8,106.48
debit	9/14/2021	ABC Vet	reg. payment	EPS	\$905.00			\$7,201.48
ck#1325	8/28/2021	Loma Cat House	for peach fundraiser(property use)	EF	\$75.00			\$7,126.48
credit	9/15/2021	Trudy Hart	donation(sponsor vouchers)	RC		\$120.00		\$7,126.48
		Theresa Potente	donation	RC		\$50.00		\$7,126.48
		Linda Yeoman	donation(security deposit)	RC		\$60.00		\$7,126.48
		Logan Dickerson	donation	RC		\$40.00		\$7,126.48
		Shop for Your Cause	donation	RC		\$21.00		\$7,126.48
		Trudy Hart	donation(sponsor vouchers)	RC		\$120.00		\$7,126.48
		ABC Vet. Box	donation	RC		\$15.00	\$426.00	\$7,552.48
ck#1326	9/16/2021	Cottonwood Vet	Denise Horcher neuter 1 cat	EPS	\$60.00			\$7,492.48
credit	10/1/2021	Jack & Lorraine Walker	WCCF grant	RGC		\$600.00		\$7,492.48
		Trudy Hart	donation	RC		\$100.00		\$7,492.48
		Seven Cedars Live(Sandy McFall)	donation	RC		\$200.00	\$900.00	\$8,392.48
ck#1327	10/1/2021	Orchard Mesa Vet	Kevin Valdez neuter 1 cat	EPS	\$70.00			\$8,322.48
credit	10/6/2021	Yard sale	fundraiser	RSE		\$560.00		\$8,322.48
		Mary Hullinger	donation in memory of step daughter	RC		\$40.00	\$600.00	\$8,922.48
debit	10/6/2021	ABC Vet	S/N regular payment	EPS	\$1,920.00			\$7,002.48
debit	10/14/2021	ABC Vet	S/N/ regular payment	EPS	\$1,800.00			\$5,202.48
credit	10/15/2021	Jill Delavan	donation	RC		\$50.00		\$5,202.48
		Rina Kopp	donation	RC		\$20.00		\$5,202.48
		Eric & Tina Slivon	donation	RC		\$60.00	\$130.00	\$5,332.48
credit	10/27/2021	Carol Griffiths	donation from sales	RC		\$44.00		\$5,332.48
		Carol Griffiths	Yard sale	RSE		\$48.00		\$5,332.48
		Larry Stevenson	Twin Otter donation	RC		\$100.00		\$5,332.48
		Monica Solawetz	donation for Claire Denzler	RC		\$100.00		\$5,332.48
		Sam's Club	Grant	RO		\$1,000.00	\$1,292.00	\$6,624.48
Ck#1328	10/27/2021	Grand Valley Gives	membership	EA	\$100.00			\$6,524.48
debit	11/2/2021	ABC Vet	S/N regular payment	EPS	\$1,095.00			\$5,429.48
Ck#1330	11/5/2021	Grand View Animal Hospital	CPOF spay dog for Judith Dillard	EPS	\$120.00			\$5,309.48
credit	11/8/2021	ABC Box	donation	RC		\$10.00		\$5,309.48

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		MCAS Box	donation	RC		\$30.00		\$5,309.48
		City Market	donation	RC		\$596.42		\$5,309.48
		Jean Deberry	donation	RC		\$300.00	\$936.42	\$6,245.90
debit	10/11/2021	Hostmonster	website payment	EA	\$539.64			\$5,706.26
debit	11/12/2021	Office Max	office supplies	EA	\$45.36			\$5,660.90
Ck#1331	11/12/2021	Cottonwood Vet	spay cat for Rodrigues	EPS	\$85.00			\$5,575.90
credit	11/15/2021	Carole Chowen	Stripe donation	RC		\$9.41	\$9.41	\$5,585.31
credit	11/16/2021	Connie Syas	donation for "Boo"	RC		\$20.00		\$5,585.31
		Rina Kopp	donation	RC		\$20.00		\$5,585.31
		Jill Delavan	donation	RC		\$50.00		\$5,585.31
		Theresa Potente	donation	RC		\$75.00		\$5,585.31
		Dulce Murrillo	donation	RC		\$100.00	\$265.00	\$5,850.31
debit	11/16/2021	ABC Vet	regular S/N payment	EPS	\$1,390.00			\$4,460.31
debit	11/19/2021	Copy Copy	office supplies	EA	\$89.88			\$4,370.43
credit	11/23/2021	Monument Liquer box	donation	RC		\$10.00		\$4,370.43
		Chow Down Fruita box	donation	RC		\$10.00		\$4,370.43
		yard sale continuation on line	fundraiser	RSE		\$75.00		\$4,370.43
		Connie Syas	donation for Moxie dog	RC		\$25.00		\$4,370.43
		Marlene Anacker	donation	RC		\$25.00		\$4,370.43
		Robert and Marcia Kenney	donation	RC		\$50.00		\$4,370.43
		Deb Crooks	donation	RC		\$50.00		\$4,370.43
		Fruita Thrift Shop	grant	RO		\$1,000.00		\$4,370.43
		Network for Good	donation	RC		\$160.00	\$1,405.00	\$5,775.43
credit	11/17/2021	Tina Slivon	stripe donation	RC		\$9.41	\$9.41	\$5,784.84
credit	12/7/2021	Amazon Smile	donation	RC		\$6.04	\$6.04	\$5,790.88
debit	12/1/2021	ABC Vet	regular S/N payment	EPS	\$575.00			\$5,215.88
credit	12/14/2021	Laura Urban/Walmart	grant	RO		\$250.00		\$5,215.88
		Tammy Gemaehlich	donation for Betty Honeycutt	RC		\$20.00		\$5,215.88
		Robert Kenney	donation	RC		\$50.00		\$5,215.88
		Linda Reid	Xmas donation	RC		\$200.00		\$5,215.88
		Deb Crooks	donation	RC		\$100.00		\$5,215.88
		Rina Kopp	donation	RC		\$20.00		\$5,215.88
		Jan Muyskens	donation	RC		\$2,000.00		\$5,215.88
		Rolland Consulting Engineers	donation	RC		\$400.00	\$3,040.00	\$8,255.88
debit	12/14/2021	ABC Vet	regular S/N payment	EPS	\$490.00			\$7,765.88
credit	12/9/2021	Comm first Round/CO. Gives	Firkin fundraiser	RSE		\$50.00	\$50.00	\$7,815.88
credit	12/20/2021	Theresa Potente	Stripe donation	RC		\$77.38	\$77.38	\$7,893.26
credit	12/22/2021	Comm first Round	Colorado Gives Day	RSE		\$3,405.25	\$3,405.25	\$11,298.51
credit	12/23/2021	Chris Livingston	Sripe donation	RC		\$96.80	\$96.80	\$11,395.31
credit	12/27/2021	Cooprggmil@gmail	stripe donation	RC		\$242.45	\$242.45	\$11,637.76
credit	12/27/2021	Shop for your cause	donation	RC		\$17.00		\$11,637.76
		Mike Stortz	donation	RC		\$25.00		\$11,637.76
		Jill Delavan	donation	RC		\$100.00		\$11,637.76
		Molly Johns	donation	RC		\$100.00		\$11,637.76
		Craig Swenson	donation	RC		\$200.00		\$11,637.76
		Mary Faust	donation	RC		\$1,000.00	\$1,442.00	\$13,079.76
debit	12/23/2021	US Post office	stamps	EA	\$58.00			\$13,021.76

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*Reducing the number of homeless pets in our community through
the humane methods of spay/neuter and Trap-Neuter-Release (TNR)*

September 28, 2022

City of Fruita
325 E. Aspen
Fruita, CO 91521

At our September 21 meeting, the board of directors of Grand Valley Pets Alive voted to apply for a Fruita Outside Agency Funding Grant.

The Fruita Outside Agency grant to GVPA for the year 2022 has been successful. It is nearing completion.

Sincerely,

Claire Denzler,
Secretary

GRAND VALLEY PETS ALIVE Board of Directors:

Carole Chowen	President
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Claire Denzler	Secretary
Alice O'Connor	Fundraising Coordinator

September 27, 2022

City of Fruita

Attention: Shannon Vassen

325 Aspen Avenue

Fruita, Co 81521

Mr. Vassen:

I'm writing this letter in support of Grand Valley Pets Alive request for funding of the spay/neuter voucher program in Fruita. I live in downtown Fruita just south of Camilla's. Where we live there has been a real problem with feral cats that have now been spayed or neutered. Because of the help from Grand Valley Pets Alive and their vouchers, we have been able to trap and neuter over 25 cats in our area. I have worked with Sue Tuffin, a Fruita volunteer for GVPA in trapping and neutering feral and domestic cats. Your funding of the GVPA voucher program has helped me and others around me to neuter these ferals. Not having to deal with litter after litter of kittens really makes a difference in the quality of our lives and neighborhood. Because we are reducing the number of unwanted cats in this area, we are able to care for the ones that are remaining around our home.

By funding this request, GVPA will be able to offer vouchers for neutering cats and kittens so that they do not overrun us with even more uncared for animals. Please help us continue to deal with this problem. Thank you for your help this last year. I'm just hoping it can continue and we can continue dealing with this issue.



Destin Welker

1622 Mulberry Street #5

Fruita, Co

September 27, 2022

City of Fruita

Attention: Shannon Vassen

325 Aspen Avenue

Fruita, Co 81521

Greetings:

I can highly recommend Grand Valley Pets Alive for the funding of the spay/neuter voucher program in Fruita. I have been personally involved with Sue Tuffin, a Fruita volunteer for GVPA in catching and neutering feral and domestic cats. I am a semi-retired horse trainer here in Fruita and work at Harmony Acres Equestrian Center part time. I am certainly aware of the big problem Fruita has with its feral cat population. Also, I am the owner of three cates; two of which came from the Sue and the Grand Valley Pets Alive program.

Please help us continue our mission. Thank you for your support this last year; it is greatly appreciated!

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Deb Crooks".

Deb Crooks

1330 19 Road

Fruita, Co