



Southern California Bulldog Rescue

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Hi All,

Times are tough for many families and people turning over their bulldogs to rescue or leaving them at the shelter is becoming commonplace these days. We all know this, we see it in the news and we know it's very sad. Most of us think it would never happen to us. We think this is something that happens to other people.

No longer is rescue just taking in 'old bulldogs' or strays that turn up in the shelter. Most bulldogs are now owner-surrendered family pets from homes that have hit hard times. It's not uncommon to get two bulldogs from the same home when the family moves to an apartment. Nor is it uncommon to pick-up three bulldogs from the shelters on the same day.

Late fall and winter are slow for rescues over all and bulldog rescue will be hurting very soon. The bulldogs may be popular as pets and high on the American Kennel Club's favorite breed list, but a rescue bulldog isn't always high on everyone's wish list.

The rescue program will keep taking in the bulldogs and helping to find them homes for as long as there are resources to care for them and homes for the bulldogs to go.

This is where you come in ...

Our Wish List is Modest for the next couple of months.

Keep them safe until they get a home.

We need homes for rescue bulldogs, most of which are not just easy-to-care-for puppies. The bulldogs in rescue are typically adult dogs, dogs that need to be the only pet, dogs that will be on some sort of daily medication or have a maintenance issue. We have all the applications we need for 'puppies' - young, pretty and playful bulldogs. We are looking for those homes that have bulldog experience and the willingness to adopt a rescue bulldog.

How? Have them apply: [Bulldog Adoptions](http://www.socalbulldogrescue.org)

More bulldogs are waiting to come into rescue, as soon as space opens up.

We need foster homes. The foster period for a bulldog has grown longer, as it takes more time to find the right home for some of these bulldogs. If you are between pets, that is, you don't have one now and are considering adoption at a later date, consider fostering for a time to help a rescue bulldog. Do you already have a bulldog, but also have a separate place you can house a rescue bulldog, please consider offering that space. **How?** Contact us: [Fostering](#)

Pay the Bills Until They All Get a Home.

We need to fund the above and we need to continue fundraising efforts. As we all know, bulldogs aren't a cheap breed and the medical care can get pricey. Bulldog rescue will always maintain a 100% spay/neuter requirement, as it's in the best interest of the bulldogs. On top of that, rescue pays for all routine shots, micro-chipping, and treatments recommended by vets to correct acute medical problems. Most of this type of care has not been provided by previous owners due to lack of funds or the carelessness disregard for the well-being of the pet.

Fundraising is something we do almost as well as caring for the bulldogs and we have easy ways for you to help with donations.

Our rescue calendar will be out in a few weeks and is a great fund raiser for rescue and calendar is something most of us need anyway. These are \$20 each, including shipping. Click here to [Buy A Bulldog Rescue Calendar](#). There will be arrangements with local businesses to have these calendars on sale in their stores as well.

The store shopping cards from Ralph's, Albertson's and several of the Internet retailers that donate a percentage to rescue are helpful over the long run. Let us know where you shop and we'll tell you if we are signed up with them. **How?** Contact us: [Shopping](#)

And of course, direct donations can be made to Southern California Bulldog Rescue or to our accounts at any of our vets to help pay our bills.

This is a request for a little from each of the bulldog owners. Over 300 bulldogs have been placed by rescue in the Southern California area. **If all of us and other supporters just donated \$20 each** that would cover a lot of rescue's expenses until the end of the year when things would hopefully be looking up again. Remember you are part of a community joining together to make the difference for many bulldogs that have no one else.

PayPal is easy, but checks are better since no service fees have to be paid from the donation to PayPal. [Make a donation.](#)

Mail a Check:

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Thank you for your time. All the bulldogs thank you as well.

Do you own an adopted bulldog?

If you are an adoptive home - please keep in touch with us and we'll keep in touch with you.

Do you want to support bulldog rescue? If you are a bulldog lover and want to support rescue by coming to organized events, picnics and purchase rescue items - then you 'get it' and understand that there are many, many bulldogs each year that end up homeless and rescue is their only option. We want to keep in touch with you too.

Remember to come to events we sponsor and attend too. The Bulldog Beauty Contests, Picnics, Bully Brunch and other gatherings are always good times for all.