## **PAWS OF HONOR**

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#### Who is Paws of Honor?

Paws of Honor's mission is to provide veterinary care and products at no charge for retired military and law enforcement K9s that served our country both locally and globally. Because of the demanding nature of their jobs, many of these K9s require additional care. When a K9 retires from active duty, usually around the age of 10, all the dog's benefits cease. They become the responsibility of the officer/handler/owner who adopts them.

#### What makes them unique?

While other organizations adopt out retired K9s to the general public, Paws of Honor focuses on keeping these dogs with the families that love them, maintaining that bond with their handlers after retirement.

#### Their Programs

Paws of Honor partners with selected veterinarians, veterinary supply distribution companies, dog food companies, and drug manufacturers to provide services and products for retired K9s. When combined with charitable contributions from private and corporate partners, the nonprofit is able to provide these services at zero cost to the office/handler/owner.

### How Can You Help?

You can help spread the word about Paws of Honor in your home state (they are currently serving K9s in 16 states), make a charitable contribution, or coordinate a delivery of Thank You cards to families of retired and/or active K9s in your community.

To learn more and to support Paws of Honor: <a href="https://www.pawsofhonor.org">www.pawsofhonor.org</a>

40%

OF THE LIFETIME VETERINARY EXPENSE FOR A DOG HAPPENS IN THE LAST TWO YEARS OF ITS LIFE 210

K9s HAVE RECEIVED VETERINARY CARE FREE OF CHARGE THROUGH PAWS FOR HONOR

# \$1 MILLION

VALUE OF VETERINARY CARE PROVIDED TO OFFICER/ HANDLER/OWNERS SINCE 2015