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To whom it may concern,

Operation K9 Beethoven was founded by Arpi Kertesz and Brian Reyngoudt as a 501(c)(3) Nonprofit Organization that was started with a small vision and turned into a bigger and better mission than we could have ever imagined!

Our Mission Statement: Operation K9 Beethoven is a 501(c)(3) Nonprofit Organization that utilizes Psychiatric Service Dogs to promote health, hope, and healing. We accomplish this by providing Veterans who suffer from PTSD, depression, and other mental health issues with rescued, basic/advanced obedience-trained Psychiatric Service Dogs at no charge. This includes a welcome home kit: kennel, bed, blanket, leash, collar, bowls, a bag of dog food, treats, and toys. We also spread joy by visiting healthcare settings such as Veterans' homes, rehabilitation centers, hospitals, schools, etc., with our specially trained and certified personal pet therapy dogs. We are committed to helping those who serve "One Paw At A Time."

We want to help as many Veterans and rescue dogs as possible. We are more excited than ever to continue our mission and are encouraged by the outpouring of support we have received thus far. We are very grateful for every donation and sponsorship we receive. However, we are still in need of sponsorships, products, and monetary donations to keep our program moving forward.

At Operation K9 Beethoven, we seek sponsorship for our psychiatric service dog program. Full sponsorship per dog is \$6,000. We rescue dogs from euthanasia and other horrible conditions and nurse them back to health, including all shots. When completely healed, they are temper tested and socialized with adults, children, and dogs, to ensure a perfect fit for our program. They are then sent for four to six weeks of basic/advanced obedience training. Upon completion of training, we transport them to their fur-ever Hero.

To make a difference in the life of a Veteran and the beautiful rescue dogs, we rely on the support and generosity of individuals and businesses. We would be most grateful if you would consider sponsoring or contributing to the sponsorship of one of our Psychiatric Service Dogs. We will gladly keep you updated regarding the progress of the dog, and we also post the dog's progress on all of our social media pages.

Please contact us at 201-986-1111 if you are able to support our efforts and make a difference in the lives of our Veterans and rescue dogs. We look forward to hearing from you.

Respectfully yours,

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