


# About animal sponsorships

The **Animal Sponsorships** feature is a great way to raise funds to help support an animal. Visitors to your website can choose to send a donation earmarked for that specific animal, either one time, or as a recurring donation. Once you enable and configure this feature, visitors who view an animal with a sponsorship request will see a link to donate for that animal.



Where do I find it?

Animal Sponsorships are available from [Animals > Sponsorships](#).

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The following actions are available for Animal Sponsorships with the specified service and user roles:

Action	Description	Services	User Roles
View	Able to view animal sponsorships	Data Management Web Site	Animal Admin
Add	Able to add an animal sponsorship	Data Management Web Site	Animal Admin
Edit	Able to edit an existing animal sponsorship	Data Management Web Site	Animal Admin
Manage Sponsorship Settings	Able to change settings related to animal sponsorships	Data Management Web Site	Site Admin

To use the **Animal Sponsorship** feature, you must first enable its use for your account.

# Enabling the animal sponsorships feature

To enable the ability to request sponsorships, go to **Animals > Sponsorships > Settings**. Tick the radio button to enable sponsorships.

## Animal Sponsorships Settings

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Animal Sponsorships

☐ Disabled ☒ Enabled

Use the following for each animals' "Sponsor this Pet" link

Set Sponsorship Amount 1 \$ 10.00

Set Sponsorship Amount 2 \$ 25.00

Set Sponsorship Amount 3 \$ 50.00

Set Sponsorship Amount 4 \$ 100.00

Allow users to enter their own sponsorship amounts

☐ No ☒ Yes

Minimum for custom sponsorship amounts \$ 10.00

Allow recurring sponsorships

☐ No ☒ Yes

Which animal statuses are sponsorable?

☒ Available for Adoption

☐ Adopted

☒ Available for Sponsorship

Cancel

Save Settings

If you want to have recurring donations, you must set up PayPal as an **Affiliate**. A PayPal business account is required to use recurring payments.



If you are using the **Website Service**, the Sponsorships functionality allows you to automatically track sponsorships from your website. If you are using the **Data Management Service**, you can use the sponsorship feature to enter sponsorships manually.

See the chapter, [About sponsorship settings](#) in this guide for information about the rest of the selections for sponsorships.

## Popular Questions

Topics:

- [animals](#)
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1. 0 votes

### Linking support for an animal to payment

- 0 answers
- [Andrea Homan](#)
- Apr 24, 2024
- [animals](#)

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### How do I get my listings to automatically feed to Facebook?

- 2 answers
- [Jennifer Myers](#)
- Mar 20, 2024
- [animals](#)
- [website](#)
- [exports](#)
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- [iframe](#)

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**How can we embed our available or adopted animal data stored in RescueGroups.org for display on an external website service?**

- 4 answers
- [Whiskers & Tails Rescue Foundation](#)
- Sept 21, 2023
- Space: [Website Service Guide](#)
- [website](#)
- [exports](#)
- [animals](#)
- [toolkit](#)

4. 0  
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**Requests**

- 0 answers
- [Anita Lowman](#)
- Feb 19, 2024
- [requests](#)
- [animals](#)

5. 0  
votes

**Add a mixed breed choice for dogs**

- 1 answer
- [Richard \[RG\]](#)
- Feb 27, 2014
- [requests](#)
- [animals](#)
- [breeds](#)
- [exports](#)

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votes

**My Animal List is empty**

- 2 answers
- [Tammy Mullins](#)
- Feb 06, 2024
- [animals](#)

7. 0  
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**Change default location to "no"**

- 1 answer
- [Alana Woodbury](#)
- Jan 22, 2024
- [animals](#)
- [exports](#)

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