

## Buy a tote and show support for the environment, animals

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Pet Supplies "Plus" stores in Bloomfield Hills, White Lake Township and Canton want to send two messages to shoppers through its new Prevent Littering tote bag: Be kind to the environment and be a responsible pet owner by getting your pet spayed or neutered.

NOOTERS CLUB of Bloomfield Hills, a company that promotes spaying and neutering through cartoons and sayings on T-shirts, sweatshirts and other items, designed the sturdy cotton canvas tote bags. One dollar from the sale of each \$10 tote benefits the Oakland Pet Fund's spay and neuter program.

"Our goal is to reduce reliance on plastic bags, build awareness about pet spay and neuter, save our customers a little money and give back to Oakland County pets," stated Addy Shattuck, owner of Pet Supplies Plus stores in Bloomfield Hills and White Lake Township. "We are proud to collaborate with NOOTERS CLUB. We like their whimsical designs and the fact that they contribute to pet rescue groups around the U.S."

Shoppers get 20 percent off their entire purchase of pet supplies, excluding pet food, when they buy a tote bag, although the discount can't be used with store coupons.

"Our goal is to reach more pet owners with our message," stated Linda Wasche, NOOTERS CLUB creator and president. "We are delighted to be working with Pet Supplies "Plus" here in Michigan."

The White Lake Township stores are located at 6845 Highland Road and 8036 Cooley Lake Road. The Canton store is at 43665 Ford and the Bloomfield store is at 2057 Telegraph. Visit the company's Web site at <u>www.petsuppliesplus.com</u>. For more on NOOTERS CLUB visit <u>www.nootersclub.org</u>.