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## 'Prevent Littering' campaign offers spaying, neutering

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Pet Supplies Plus of Bloomfield Hills is encouraging pet owners to be kind to the planet and "Prevent Littering" by getting their dogs and cats spayed or neutered.

Through April 16, the store at 2057 Telegraph Road has teamed up with Nooters Club and All About Animals Rescue to sponsor Prevent Littering, a promotion aimed at encouraging pet owners to get their pets fixed to avoid unwanted litters.

During this time, pet owners who pre-pay can get their pets spayed or neutered on April 17 for only \$50 for dogs and \$30 for cats. The procedures can cost \$200 or more at most veterinary hospitals.

Eligible pets must be at least 8 weeks old and will be transported from Pet Supplies Plus in Bloomfield Township to the All About Animals Rescue spay and neuter clinic in Warren on April 17. The pets will be returned to their owners later in the day.

All About Animals Rescue runs the first full-time spay and neuter clinic in southeast Michigan offering spays and neuters performed by licensed veterinarians. With each pre-paid operation, pet owners will receive a free Prevent Littering cotton canvas shopping bag courtesy of Nooters Club, filled with discount coupons and free samples from Pet Supplies Plus.

Nooters Club, based in Sylvan Lake, designs and sells a variety of whimsical apparel and gifts promoting pet spay and neuter with a part of its proceeds going to rescue organizations [www.nootersclub.org](http://www.nootersclub.org).

"One unintended litter can produce hundreds if not thousands of unwanted pets that often do not find homes," said Addy Shattuck, owner of Pet Supplies Plus in Bloomfield Township.

Amber Sitko, founder of All About Animals Rescue, said: "Pets that are fixed are less likely to experience serious health problems down the road. They are also less likely to stray from home, which means fewer injuries and accidents."

For more information about registering your pet in the Prevent Littering promotion, go to [www.nootersclub.org](http://www.nootersclub.org) or call 248-333-7545.

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Visit [www.allaboutanimalsrescue.org](http://www.allaboutanimalsrescue.org) for more information about the clinic, or [www.nootersclub.org](http://www.nootersclub.org) to find the Nooters Club store's online presence.

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