

For the past 35 years, Helping Paws Service Dogs have been a staple in Minnesota, providing independence and companionship to individuals with physical disabilities, veterans and first responders with PTSD. Our Tail Waggin' Dinner, the annual fundraiser supporting Helping Paws service dogs is around the corner. On Saturday October 21st, 2023, we invite you, along with our graduates and foster home trainers, to come together to support Helping Paws service dogs and the gifts of dignity, independence, peace of mind and companionship that they give to their partners. We'll be celebrating our 35th Anniversary!

## Can we count on you to donate an auction item this year?

In 2022, generous donations from individuals and businesses helped us raise over \$150,000. This year our mission is to surpass last year's goal so we can train and place even more dogs. Training a Helping Paws service dog is a labor of love, taking about 2 ½ years to complete. Even with volunteer foster home trainers, the cost-per-dog is \$30,000. But the end result is priceless – a companion who opens doors and hearts.

**We would be grateful for your investment in our 2023 Tail Waggin' Dinner auction.** If you are interested in making a donation, please complete the enclosed form and follow mailing instructions. For more information, please contact Luis Ventura at 952.988.9359 x 110. As a contributor, you will receive acknowledgement in the event materials and our annual report, as well as a receipt for your generosity. Thank you very much!

Sincerely,

Luis Ventura Development & Events Manager Iventura@helpingpaws.org 952.988.9359 x 110 Helping Paws is a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt organization. Tax ID# 41-1628876

HELPING PAWS FAIL WAGGIN DINNER 2023	
DONATION FORM	CELEBRATING OUR 35TH ANNIVERSARY
Please complete all fields	<b>TAIL WAGGIN' DINNER</b> Bringing It All Back Home
DONATION: Donation enclosed Please c	ontact me for pickup
Is there any limitations Yes No Please Describe	
Donor's name as it should appear in program: E-Mail : Address :	
Estimated Value of Donation: Phone Numb	ber

## Please send your completed form and donation to our Event Manager:

Helping Paws, Inc. Attn: Luis Ventura 630 - 12th Avenue South P.O. Box 634 Hopkins, MN, 55343

For more information, please contact Luis Ventura at 952.988.9359 ext. 110 or at Iventura@helpingpaws.org

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