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of caring and loving these animals who
desperately need her.

So with hope in my heart I am asking
you to allow this to happen.

Dear Board of Appeals,

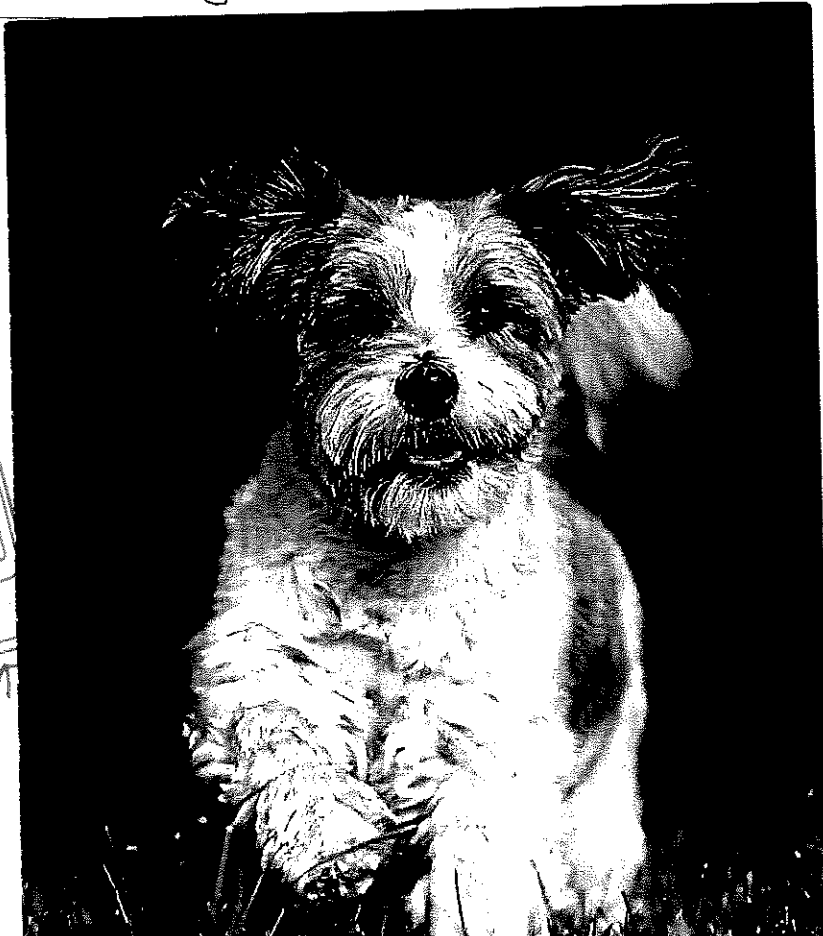
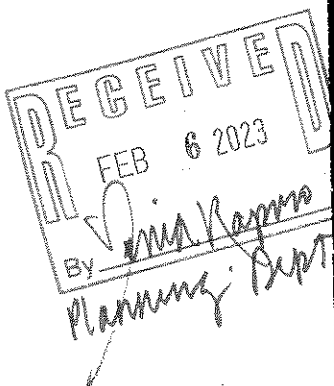
I'm writing to show and give my
support for Kendra and Peace for Ponies.
I may live the other side of the world
but I follow Kendra through Facebook and
have done for a while. Her compassion for
animals she cares for and others that she
can possibly help is remarkable. A kind
and law abiding woman even in the face of
confrontation, which has been challenging
at times for her.

All she wants, all her supporters from around
the world want, is for her to carry on her work

From a caring supporter of Kendra and
Peace for Ponies

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February 1, 2023

To: Town of Wareham Zoning Board of Appeals

Regarding: Peace for Ponies (aka Peace for All Animals)

Dear Sir or Madame:

We are writing you as concerned citizens, indeed as concerned human beings, regarding the recent developments concerning the property occupied by Kendra Bond and Peace for All Animal located at 12 Great Neck Road, East Wareham, MA.

It has recently been brought to our attention that Kendra, and the selfless work she has done for over a decade through Peace for All Animals, is at risk of losing its ability to house, care for and rehabilitate animals that have been neglected, abused and at times even selected for systematic extermination.

We have only recently come to know Kendra and the important work that she does. And what we have realized in a very short time is that although on the surface it would appear that her work only saves the lives of deserving animals, a deeper look reveals significantly more than that.

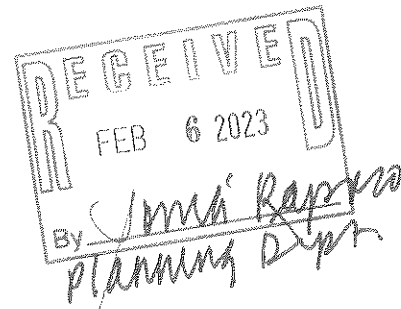
We could argue to you that her work is important because it saves mothers and offspring from needless killings. We could advocate that the animals she saves deserve the same chance at life that we are afforded. We could try to justify her work by saying that no just God has plans for random killing, and that the animals she saves are often subjected to exactly that. They are frequently starved and neglected until they simply die and can be harvested for their hides. Those would be the easy reasons to argue for Kendra and her organization.

We have land and chickens and goats. They are all animals we have acquired purely for the enjoyment of providing them with a good life and for enhancing the enjoyment of our own lives by being able to interact with them every day. We have been anything but disappointed in our efforts.

Recently my wife and I had the opportunity to spend some time at Kendra's place as we considered adding donkeys to our little farm in Carver, Massachusetts. During our first visit we were drawn in by how clean and well kept her little farm was. The paddocks and the barns were spotless. There was no offensive smell. All water containers were full to their brims. Clearly the animals there were well cared for. Clearly Peace for All Animals respected it's neighbors as demonstrated by how clean and well kept the area was. As we spent some time visiting with the two donkeys we would eventually agree to adopt, no less than three volunteers came and went, cleaning paddocks, cutting fresh produce, feeding and interacting with all of the animals at the facility.

We had the opportunity to talk with each of them. Collectively there was over 20 years of Peace for All Animals volunteer experience between them. And each spoke at length of the positive experiences that had working both with Kendra as well as the animals there. This was our first indication that Peace for Animals wasn't simply a place that brought peace to animals...

We returned to 12 Great Neck Road one evening about 10 days later. We went simply to spend some time with the two boys we had agreed to adopt. It was dark and once again, we entered a spotless barn with full water containers, plenty of soft bedding and with stalls that allowed the two brothers to interact with each other but not get close enough to hurt each other. You see, both had been orphaned



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at only a few months old when their mothers were plucked from kill pens and sacrificed for their hides, leaving the two little ones with no idea how to socially interact with their own kind.

As we settled in to spend some time with them another volunteer entered the barn. She was a young woman, likely in her late 30's or early 40's. Although her name escapes me, her story does not. She told us she had been volunteering at Kendra's place for about five years. Initially she was inspired to participate based on an urge to do something good for someone or something less fortunate. But recently she had gone through some very difficult personal trials and in the last year she had come to Kendra's place not to heal, but to be healed.

She came every Wednesday night, and she brought fresh parsley. She said it was the best five dollars she spent every week. She would simply go from barn to barn feeding it to the donkeys and talking, telling them of her struggles, telling them of her pain. She said they never judged. They never offered advice to solve her problems. They never blamed or accused. And what she realized over time was that she hurt less. She realized that she was healing. So now she still came every Wednesday night... to talk... to say thank you. To repay the debt she felt she owed the animals who otherwise would have been killed because they were considered to be worth no more than their pelts.

It was in this moment that we realized that the amazing work Kendra does through Peace for All Animals was not just for the animals it saved. It was for all of us. It was for me, for you, for your sister or your mother. It was for anyone who needed to feel cared about, for anyone who needed to not feel judged or labelled, for anyone who needed to be loved.

I would not consider my wife and I to be eccentrics. We both work in the medical field, a field driven by research and science, a field that operates based on tangible input and outcomes. We have spent a combined 50 years saving people. What we experienced that night at Kendra's place affected us deeply. We realized that in saving those animals, Kendra's work saves people.

We hope you will consider this in making your determination regarding Peace for Animals and their ability to save the countless creatures, and species, they do every day.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "David Baston". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned to the right of the word "Sincerely,".

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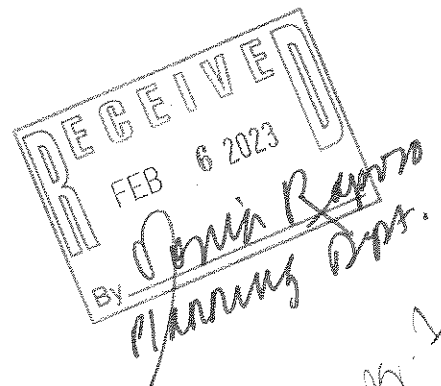
I am writing this letter to ask you, no to beg you to please let Kendra Bond and 'Peace for Ponies' to continue the amazing work that they do for these animals.

I have been following their facebook page for over a year now, (but I know her shelter has been running much longer than that)

I have seen Kendra work with little orphan donkeys, so broken and sad it breaks your heart, but Kendra and her team of volunteers work wonders with these babies and to watch them bring them back to life is just amazing, she then finds them their forever homes.

The donkeys that come to Peace for Ponies, only stay as long as needed and Kendra only takes the ones who need her most, like

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- broken or pregnant Jennys.

Kendra has now got other shelters
ned under an umbrella. so she can place
h saved one where she feels they will
efit the most before placing them in their
er homes.

I cannot praise Kendra and her
ntseers enough.

On a final note:-

There are not enough Kendra Bonds in
his world.

Please, Please, Please dont take this
one away from these precious donkeys.

They need Her.

Yours sincerely

Rosemary Wright

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Dear Sir/Madam

This letter is related to Kendra Bond of Peace for all animals....

I have followed Kendra and her amazing work saving animals, especially Donkeys from the "KILL Pens" and their rescue, rehabilitation and eventually Foster Care for over a year now. Kendra is such an amazing, kind, loving, experienced and extremely knowledgeable lady. She brings people from all over the world from different backgrounds together through the love of animals. Many of her followers are lonely, sick or just lost their way, she brings hope, care, peace and friendship to everyone.

Through her work, dedication and amazing volunteers as well as other Rescue Sanctuaries she is able to save more animals that otherwise would be sent for slaughter to other countries.

Donkeys are not just the most loving, caring and clever animals, they can also help children as well as adults with additional special needs or those who are suffering long term illness to improve their health and wellbeing which is vital for their recovery and their future. Kendra has some amazing plans for the future but can only do this if she is able to continue to do what she does best..... I, like thousands of others, wish her and all the other rescuers the best of luck in the wonderful work she does....

With regards

Julie Goodinson



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