

2015

Lil BUB's



BIG FUND FOR THE ASPCA

Two years ago, the ASPCA® and Lil BUB announced a partnership to help special needs pets nationwide: Lil BUB's BIG Fund for the ASPCA. This unique program is seeded through proceeds from Lil BUB's web store, in-person appearances, and other types of Lil BUB events, as well as from direct donations through a special donations link on [aspc.org/lilbub](http://aspc.org/lilbub). 100% of funds collected are distributed as grants by the ASPCA to animal welfare organizations across the country to help homeless pets with special needs.

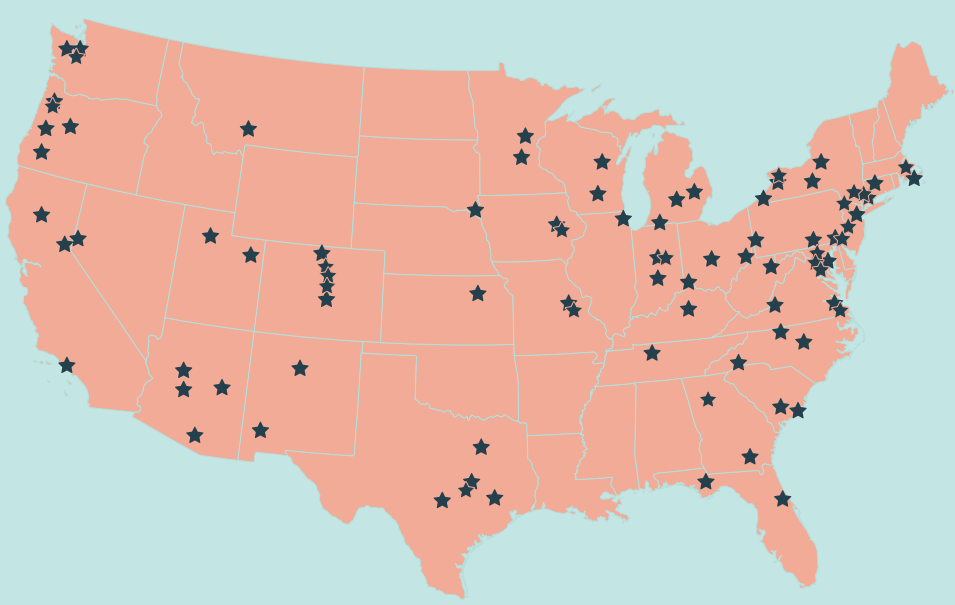
Visit [aspc.org/lilbub](http://aspc.org/lilbub) for more information

In 2015 alone: 98 grants to 94 orgs totaling \$127,190

2014 & 2015 combined: 136 grants to 124 orgs totaling \$202,320



Here is a breakdown of the 2015 Lil BUB grants by state:



<b>AZ</b>	\$3,500	<b>MI</b>	\$3,500	<b>PA</b>	\$7,000
<b>CA</b>	\$7,000	<b>MN</b>	\$3,000	<b>SC</b>	\$2,000
<b>CO</b>	\$8,000	<b>MO</b>	\$5,000	<b>TN</b>	\$1,000
<b>CT</b>	\$2,500	<b>MT</b>	\$1,500	<b>TX</b>	\$9,500
<b>FL</b>	\$1,000	<b>NC</b>	\$5,500	<b>UT</b>	\$3,000
<b>GA</b>	\$2,500	<b>NJ</b>	\$2,500	<b>VA</b>	\$10,690
<b>IA</b>	\$3,500	<b>NM</b>	\$2,000	<b>WA</b>	\$5,000
<b>IL</b>	\$500	<b>NV</b>	\$2,000	<b>WI</b>	\$2,500
<b>IN</b>	\$5,000	<b>NY</b>	\$8,500	<b>WV</b>	\$3,500
<b>KY</b>	\$3,000	<b>OH</b>	\$3,500	<b>Grand Total</b>	
<b>MA</b>	\$3,500	<b>OR</b>	\$6,000		<b>\$127,190</b>

Ruby's Story



"Ruby was a terribly confused little one-pound kitten when she was surrendered to us and now she is a beautiful, confident cat who has learned how to adapt and compensate for her visual and mobility deficits. Ruby is blind, and has a neurological disorder called cerebellar hypoplasia, which means that her cerebellum, the part of the brain that coordinates movement and balance, did not form completely. Ruby learned a lot during this journey, but we certainly were blessed with a wealth of knowledge and experience by guiding her through it all. Ruby received the standard de-worming, vaccines, sterilization, and physical exam, which all cats who come to Catman2 receive. Additionally at her specialist, she received comprehensive blood panels/testing to eliminate the possibility of other ailments that might have

been treatable. She also received herbal supplements and physical therapy, which had an astounding positive effect on her mobility. All of these services were provided at a much lower rate than we had estimated because our amazing veterinary partners fell in love with sweet Ruby, giving us an even deeper discount in order to make grant funding last longer.

Ruby was adopted by a family who heard her story and traveled all the way from Arizona to adopt her! They keep in touch regularly and Ruby is thriving in her new home."

- Catman 2 - Cullowhee, NC (February 2015)

[www.catman2.org](http://www.catman2.org)

Ben's Story



"The funds covered the cost for bladder stone surgery for a little dog named Ben who showed up outside the shelter one Saturday morning. Ben was difficult to catch when we first spotted him. He finally followed a volunteer into the shelter. He was matted and covered in fleas and ticks. We later discovered that he was leaking urine. He was diagnosed with bladder stones and the Lil Bub grant allowed us to proceed with surgery. Ben became a staff favorite and assisted at our front desk. He was adopted by a wonderful family and he gets to go to work with his new Mom and greet her visitors."

- Humane Society of Warren County - Front Royal, VA (November 2015)

[www.humanesocietywarrencounty.org](http://www.humanesocietywarrencounty.org)

