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*Thank you
so very much
for your continued
support of
URI and URIPALS
program.*

Dear Jennifer,

Thanks to your donation dedicated to the *URIPALS* program, Jesse, Kyla and Max are busy planning their bright future.

It took Jesse a great deal of courage to leave her abuser. She was lucky to find safety for her whole family –Kyla, her daughter and Max, her beagle at one of Urban Resource Institute’s shelters.

Often victims fleeing abusive situations are forced to make difficult decisions, not just about their own safety and their children’s safety, but their pets too. URI’s **People and Animals Living Safely** (URIPALS) program makes that choice easier, keeping the whole family together.

At URI Jesse, Kyla and Max found the help they needed. Jesse had access to legal services, counseling and other referrals. Kyla received therapy to help her cope and heal from the trauma associated with domestic violence. And Max received veterinary and therapeutic care to help him become more comfortable with strangers.

Jesse is back in the work force, Kyla is doing well in school and Max is back to being a friendly energetic dog – all thanks to the generosity of donors like you.

Your contribution allows URI to help families seeking safety and sanctuary to **stay together**.

Warmly,

Shannon M. Carey
Vice President Development and Communications

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