



AMERICAN  
KENNEL CLUB®

# AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB® IMPACT BY STATE – 2025

For more than 140 years, the American Kennel Club® (AKC®) has been America's leading authority on all things dog and the premier resource for dog lovers.

The AKC is a not-for-profit, non-partisan club of clubs and breed registry dedicated to promoting responsible dog ownership, preserving purebred dogs, advancing the health and well-being of all dogs, and advocating for science-based canine policy that is reasonable, enforceable, and non-discriminatory.

Together with nearly 5,000 AKC dog clubs and AKC-affiliated charitable organizations, we embrace community, canine health, responsible dog ownership, and safety. We share our passion for dogs and we bring significant positive impact to every state. We are passionate about everything related to dogs, and we celebrate the joy they bring to our lives every single day.

Members of local and breed-based dog clubs are active in their communities. AKC clubs sponsor some 28,000 family-friendly educational and competitive events that bring financial and expert resources to their community each year. Clubs offer training classes, provide expertise on canine issues, and engage in their communities. They support local police K9s, educational programs for school children, rescue, disaster relief, and vaccination and microchip clinics.

AKC's affiliated charities are equally impressive:

- The AKC Canine Health Foundation® is the world's largest funder of canine health research (over \$75 million); focusing on all aspects of the physical, mental, and social well-being of dogs.
- AKC Reunite® has reunited more than 700,000 lost dogs with their owners, donated hundreds of microchip scanners to shelters, and donated more than 120 disaster relief trailers to set up temporary shelters for communities impacted by natural disasters. The AKC Reunite K-9 Cop Grant program has funded the purchase of more than 900 K-9s for law enforcement agencies.
- In 2026, more than 80 detection and law enforcement K-9s will be donated to communities needing them.
- AKC Humane Fund supports breed rescue and provides grants to house victims of domestic abuse with their pets.

At the American Kennel Club, **everything we do, we do for dogs** - and for dog-friendly communities too. We urge you to take a few moments and see just a few highlights of what AKC is doing in your state.

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2025 AL dog events

**318**  
events



**26,800**  
participants

An increase of 8% in participation from 2024.

## \$2.15 million

### economic benefit of dog show weekend

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**\$796,000**

SUPPORTING  
CANINE HEALTH  
RESEARCH

### ALABAMA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

Albertville Police Department  
Falkville Police Department  
Florence Police Department (2)  
Lauderdale County Sheriff's Office  
Limestone County Sheriff's Office (2)  
Madison County Sheriff's Office (2)  
Morgan County Sheriff's Office  
Munford Police Department

Odenville Police Department  
Orange Beach Police Department  
Pell City Police Department  
Priceville Police Department  
Rogersville Police Department  
Russell County Sheriff's Office  
St. Florian Police Department  
Steele Police Department  
Tuscaloosa County Sheriff's Office

The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested over **\$796K in canine health research** at Alabama institutions statewide through the support of **25 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to blood disorders, immunology and infectious disease, neurology, lung and respiratory disease, reproductive conditions and disease, and oncology including mast cell tumors, oral malignant melanoma, hemangiosarcoma, lymphoma, and osteosarcoma at **Auburn University and the Society for Theriogenology**. CHF is currently supporting **2 post-graduate training residencies** focused on addressing canine reproduction through the AKC/AKCCHF/TF Theriogenology Residency program and a project on hookworm resistance. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



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2025 AK dog events — **292** events  **27,200** participants

*An increase of 5% in participation from 2024.*



**\$75,000**  
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## \$2.15 million

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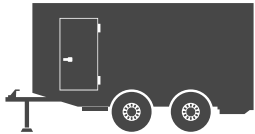
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### DISASTER RELIEF TRAILER DONATIONS

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2025 AZ dog events

509 events



58,000 participants

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### ARIZONA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

- Bisbee Police Department
- Tombstone Marshal's Office
- Wellton Police Department
- Willcox Department of Public Safety

## \$342,000

SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested over **\$342K in canine health research** at Arizona institutions statewide through the support of **11 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs.** This research has spanned topics related to behavior such as research on temperament, cognition, neuroendocrinology to reduce shelter overpopulation, and other topics including cardiology, dermatology and allergic disease, immunology and infectious disease, and oncology at **Arizona State University, Dermatology for Animals, Imulan Bio Therapeutics, LLC, and the University of Arizona.** CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



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2025 AR dog events — **195** events  **15,600** participants

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### ARKANSAS POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

- Beebe Police Department (2)
- Gentry Police Department
- Little Rock Police Department
- North Little Rock Police Department
- Texarkana Police Department





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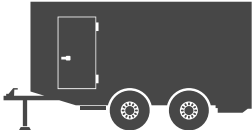
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2025 CA dog events

**2,040**  
events



**254,900**  
participants



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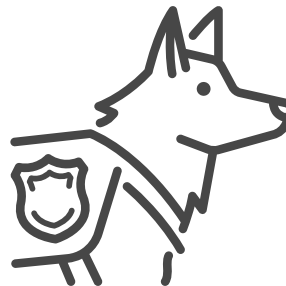
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### CALIFORNIA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

- Crescent City Police Department (2)
- Del Norte County Sheriff Department
- Fortuna Police Department (2)
- Humboldt County Sheriff's Office (2)
- Nevada City Police Department
- Riverside Police Department (2)
- San Diego Police Department

**\$4.6 million**

### SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested **nearly \$4.6M in canine health research** at California institutions statewide through the support of **109 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to general canine health, behavior, blood disorders, immunology and infectious disease, cardiology, endocrinology, epilepsy, gastrointestinal disease, kidney, and urological disease, lung and respiratory disease, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, neurology, oncology including hemangiosarcoma, lymphoma, osteosarcoma, ophthalmology, reproductive conditions and disease, and tick-borne disease at **Advanced Veterinary Care Center, Canine Companions, University of California-Berkeley, University of California-Davis, University of California-Los Angeles, University of California-San Francisco, University of Southern California, Veterinary Cancer Society, Veterinary Specialty Hospital of San Diego, Western University of Health Sciences, and Xalud Therapeutics, Inc.** There are currently **8 active grants**. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



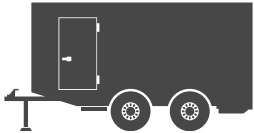
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# AKC® Impact in COLORADO

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2025 CO dog events — **647** events  **79,100** participants



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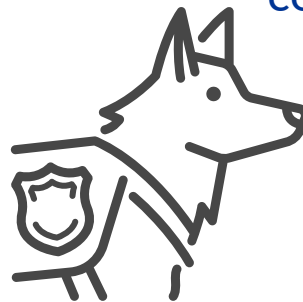
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## COLORADO POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

- El Paso County Sheriff's Office
- Evans Police Department
- Fort Morgan Police Department
- Hudson Police Department
- La Plata County Sheriff's Office (2)
- Larimer County Sheriff's Office (3)
- Logan County Sheriff's Office (2)
- Loveland Police Department
- Regional Transportation District Police Department

**\$3.3 million**  
SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



Regional Transportation District Police Department



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested over **\$3.3M in canine health research** at Colorado institutions statewide through the support of **43 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to general canine health as well as specific projects focusing on reproductive conditions and disease, cardiology, epilepsy, hepatic disease, kidney and urological disease, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, and oncology including hemangiosarcoma, lymphoma and osteosarcoma at **AMC Cancer Research Center, ApopLogic Pharmaceuticals, LLC, Colorado State University, Sirius Medicine, LLC, University of Colorado, and the University of Colorado Cancer Center**. There are currently **9 active grants** that include projects focusing on endometritis, a clinical trial for canine mast cell tumors, a multiagent chemotherapy protocol for canine multicentric lymphoma, and a study to predict hypotension in dogs undergoing general anesthesia. The newest is a residency training program for future board-certified canine sports medicine and rehabilitation specialists. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



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2025 CT dog events

**331**  
events



**44,800**  
participants

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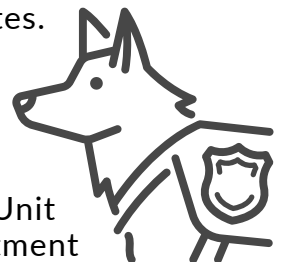
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**CONNECTICUT POLICE AGENCIES  
THAT RECEIVED GRANTS**

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- East Haven Police Department
- Enfield Police Department
- Fairfield Police Department(2)
- Middletown Police Department
- Monroe Police Department
- Newtown Police Department
- Orange County Department of Police Services

- Portland Police K-9 Unit
- Redding Police Department
- Stratford Police Department
- Wallingford Police Department(2)
- Westport Police Department
- Wilton Police Department





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# AKC® Impact in DELAWARE

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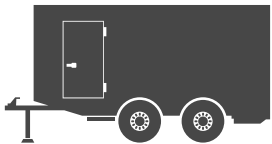
2025 DE dog events

— **94**  
events



**11,000**  
participants

An increase of 9% in events & 12% in participation from 2024.



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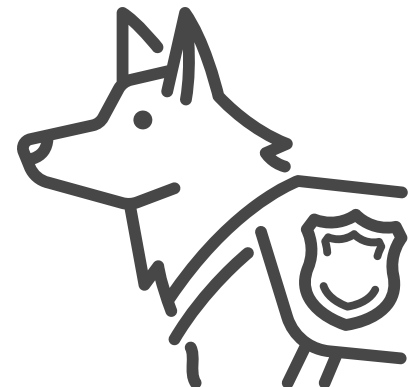
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## DELAWARE POLICE AGENCY THAT RECEIVED A GRANT

New Castle County Police Department

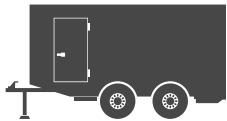


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2025 FL dog events — **1,678** events  **211,800** participants

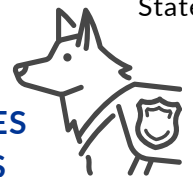
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### FLORIDA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

## \$2.1 million

### SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH

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|--------------------------------------|---|
| Auburndale Police Department         | Panama City Police Department                     |
| Bradenton Police Department (2)      | Santa Rosa County Sheriff's Office (5)            |
| Groveland Police Department          | Sweetwater Police Department                      |
| Haines City Police Department (2)    | Tampa International Airport Police Department (2) |
| Hernando County Sheriff's Office (3) | Tequesta Police Department                        |
| Hialeah Police Department            | University of South Florida Police Department (3) |
| Jackson County Sheriff's Office      | Volusia Sheriff's Office (2)                      |
| Madison County Sheriff's Office      |   |
| Manatee County Sheriff's Office (2)  |   |
| Miami Police Department              |   |



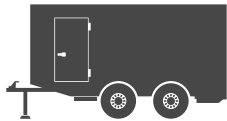
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2025 GA dog events — **657** events  **67,600** participants



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### GEORGIA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS



- Barnesville Police Department
- Berlin Police Department
- Bremen Police Department
- Brunswick Police Department
- Bryan County Sheriff's Office
- Camden County Sheriff's Office
- Canton Police Department
- Carrollton Police Department (3)
- Dade County Sheriff's Office (2)
- Dawson Police Department
- Echols County Sheriff's Office
- Floyd County Sheriff's Office
- Fort Valley Police Department
- Georgia Public Safety Training Center
- Griffin Police Department
- Jacksonville Police Department
- Jones County Sheriff's Office
- Lamar County Sheriff's Office (2)
- Lowndes County Sheriff's Office (5)
- Muscogee County School District
- Newnan Police Department
- Rochelle Police Department
- Rome Police Department
- Savannah Police Department (2)
- Smithville Police Department
- South Fulton Police Department
- Twiggs County Sheriff's Office
- Union County School District
- Villa Rica Police Department
- Woodstock Public Safety Foundation

**\$1.1 million**  
SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested over **\$1.1M in canine health research** at Georgia institutions statewide through the support of **20 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to dermatology and allergic disease, endocrinology, gastrointestinal conditions, lung and respiratory disease, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, neurology, and oncology including hemangiosarcoma and osteosarcoma at the **University of Georgia**. There are currently **4 active grants** which comprise projects such as a study of the genetics of congenital idiopathic megaesophagus and the identification of genetic mutations of anal sac carcinoma. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



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2025 HI dog events

**137**  
events



**8,200**  
participants

*An increase of 9% in participation from 2024.*

## \$2.15 million

### economic benefit of dog show weekend

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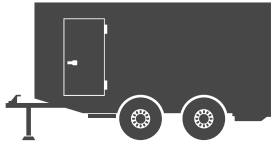
The AKC sanctions over 28,000 dog events each year, which generate significant economic benefits to local communities in addition to the millions of dollars AKC dog owners in Idaho spend annually on their dogs.

2025 ID dog events

**211**  
events



**26,900**  
participants



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## DISASTER RELIEF TRAILER DONATION

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## AKC REUNITE® ADOPT A K-9 COP GRANTS

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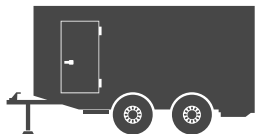
## IDAHO POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

Fruitland Police Department  
Payette Police Department



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2025 IL dog events

885 events



115,600 participants

## \$2.15 million

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### ILLINOIS POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

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- Benton Police Department
- Douglas County Sheriff's Office
- Henderson County Sheriff's Office
- Knox County Sheriff's Office (2)
- Macomb Police Department
- McLean County Sheriff's Office
- Montgomery County Sheriff's Office
- Nokomis Police Department
- White Hall Police Department



## \$1.05 million

### SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



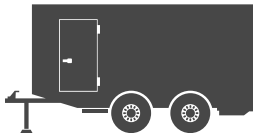
The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested nearly **\$1.05M in canine health research** at Illinois institutions statewide through the support of **25 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to general canine health as well as specific projects focusing on immunology and infectious disease, cardiology, dermatology, allergic disease, gastrointestinal disease, musculoskeletal conditions, and disease, neurology, oncology including hemangiosarcoma and lymphoma, reproductive conditions and disease, and pharmacology at the **University of Illinois, Southern Illinois University-Carbondale, and the Student American Veterinary Medical Association**. There are currently **9 active grants** which include defining the best duration of antibiotic therapy for canine superficial pyoderma, a study on suppression of canine hemangiosarcoma, and improving the treatment of canine blastomycosis through therapeutic drug monitoring. Additionally, CHF awarded **2 two-year clinician-scientist fellowships** at the University of Illinois to support the future generation of researchers. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



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The AKC sanctions over 28,000 dog events each year, which generate significant economic benefits to local communities in addition to the millions of dollars AKC dog owners in Indiana spend annually on their dogs.

2025 IN dog events — **674** events  **74,900** participants



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## \$2.15 million

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### INDIANA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS



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|--------------------------------------|---|
| Evansville Police Department         | Perry County Sheriff's Office           |
| Gentryville Police Department        | Pike County Sheriff's Office            |
| Huntingburg Police Department (2)    | Ripley County Sheriff's Office          |
| Jefferson County Sheriff's Office    | Rockport City Police Department         |
| Jennings County Sheriff's Office (2) | Salem Police Department                 |
| Madison Police Department            | Spencer County Sheriff's Office         |
| Munster Police Department            | Vanderburgh County Sheriff's Office (2) |
|                                      | Warrick County Sheriff's Office         |

## \$1.05 million

### SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH

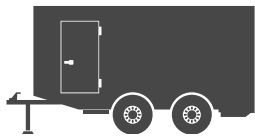


The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested over **\$1.05M in canine health research** at Indiana institutions statewide through the support of **24 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to general canine health, immunology and infectious disease, neurology, genetics, dermatology, and allergic disease, gastrointestinal disease, oncology including lymphoma, ophthalmology, and tick-borne disease at **Indiana University East and Purdue University**. There are currently **4 active grants** which comprise projects such as the development of a risk model for pigmentary uveitis in Golden Retrievers, the genetic basis of canine spinal abnormalities, and a testing panel for reproductive and neurologic pathogens of dogs. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



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2025 IA dog events

**423**  
events



**45,100**  
participants

## \$2.15 million

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### IOWA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS



**\$1.15 million**  
SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH

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|-----------------------------------|--|
| Ankeny Police Department          | Lyon County Sheriff's Office           |
| Cedar Rapids Police Department    | Mapleton Police Department             |
| Decorah Police Department         | Marshall County Sheriff's Office       |
| Des Moines Police Department (2)  | Marshalltown Police Department         |
| Emmet County Sheriff's Office     | New Hampton Police Department          |
| Fayette Police Department         | Plymouth County Sheriff's Office       |
| Fort Madison Police Department    | Sioux County Sheriff's Office          |
| Hudson Police Department          | Spencer Police Department              |
| Ida County Sheriff's Office       | Tama Police Department                 |
| Indianola Police Department       | Trinity Medical Center Foundation      |
| Johnston Police Department        | West Union Police Department           |
| Jones County Sheriff's Office (2) | Winneshiek County Sheriff's Office (2) |
| Lake View Police Department (2)   | Woodbury County Sheriff's Office       |
| Louisa County Sheriff's Office    |  |



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested **over \$1.15M in canine health research** at Iowa institutions statewide through the support of **29 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to general canine health, blood disorders, cardiology, immunology and infectious disease, dermatology, allergic disease, gastrointestinal disease, kidney and urological disease, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, neurology, oncology, ophthalmology, reproductive conditions and disease, and tick-borne diseases at **Iowa State University and the University of Iowa**. There is currently **1 active grant** that seeks to understand how probiotics could work to mitigate or prevent chronic gastrointestinal diseases in dogs. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



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2025 KS dog events

**186**  
events



**25,200**  
participants



## \$2.15 million

### economic benefit of dog show weekend

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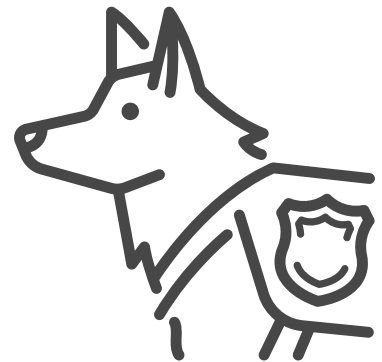
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### KANSAS POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

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- Butler County Sheriff's Office
- Chase County Sheriff's Office
- Cloud County Sheriff's Department
- Concordia Police Department
- El Dorado Police Department
- Gardner Police Department
- Linn County Sheriff's Office
- Ottawa County Sheriff's Office
- Pawnee County Sheriff's Office



**\$55,000**  
SUPPORTING  
CANINE  
HEALTH  
RESEARCH

The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested nearly **\$55K in canine health research** at Kansas institutions statewide through the support of **4 research grants and educational studies to benefit dogs.** This research has spanned topics related to musculoskeletal conditions and disease, including osteoarthritis and hip dysplasia, lung and respiratory diseases, and neurology at **Kansas State University.** CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB®

# AKC® Impact in KENTUCKY

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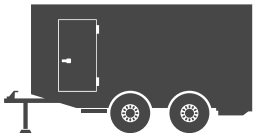
The AKC sanctions over 28,000 dog events each year, which generate significant economic benefits to local communities in addition to the millions of dollars AKC dog owners in Kentucky spend annually on their dogs.

2025 KY dog events

**427**  
events



**44,800**  
participants



**1**

## DISASTER RELIEF TRAILER DONATION

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**\$2.15 million**

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## KENTUCKY POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

Adairville Police Department  
Bowling Green Police Department  
Daviness County Sheriff's Office  
Floyd County Sheriff's Office  
Frankfort Police Department  
Grayson Police Department  
Henderson County Sheriff's Office  
Jackson County Detention Center  
Logan County Sheriff's Office  
Louisville Metro Police Department  
Magoffin County Sheriff's Office  
McLean County Sheriff's Office

Meade County Sheriff's Office (2)  
Menifee County Sheriff's Office  
Mt. Washington Police Department  
Owsley County Sheriff's Office  
Paris Police Department  
Pike County Sheriff's Office  
Shepherdsville Police Department (2)  
Stanford Police Department  
Todd County Jail  
Todd County Sheriff's Office  
Trenton Police Department

**\$150,000**  
SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested nearly **\$150K in canine health research** at Kentucky institutions statewide through the support of **7 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to musculoskeletal conditions and disease, neurology, and ophthalmology which included a genetic investigation of hereditary cataracts in the Boston Terrier at the **University of Kentucky, University of Kentucky Research Foundation, and University of Louisville**. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.

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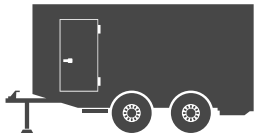
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2025 LA dog events

**277**  
events



**28,700**  
participants



**2**

### DISASTER RELIEF TRAILER DONATIONS

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## \$2.15 million

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### LOUISIANA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

Baton Rouge Police Department (2)  
Bienville Parish Sheriff's Office  
Crowley Police Department  
Hammond Police Department (3)  
Jackson Parish Sheriff's Office (2)  
Jefferson Parish Sheriff's Office (2)  
Jennings Police Department  
Lafourche Parish Sheriff's Office  
LaSalle Parish Sheriff's Office

Louisiana Christian University Police Department  
Pointe Coupee Parish Sheriff's Office  
Rapides Parish Sheriff's Office (3)  
Raymond Laborde Correctional Center  
St. Gabriel Police Department (2)  
St. Helena Parish Sheriff's Office  
Tensas Parish Sheriff's Office  
Winn Correctional Center

**\$550,000**  
SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested nearly **\$550K in canine health research** at Louisiana institutions statewide through the support of **16 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to kidney and urological disease, immunology and infectious disease, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, neurology, general oncology, and lymphoma at **Louisiana State University and Tulane University**. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



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2025 ME dog events

**140**  
events



**11,400**  
participants

## \$2.15 million

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### MAINE POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

- Cumberland County Sheriff's Office (2)
- Ellsworth Police Department
- Kennebec County Sheriff's Office
- Lewiston Police Department
- Saco Police Department
- Scarborough Police Department



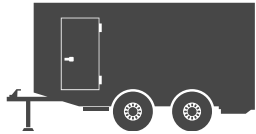


AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB®

# AKC® Impact in MARYLAND

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The AKC sanctions over 28,000 dog events each year, which generate significant economic benefits to local communities in addition to the millions of dollars AKC dog owners in Maryland spend annually on their dogs.



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## DISASTER RELIEF TRAILER DONATIONS

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2025 MD dog events

593 events



60,300 participants

## \$2.15 million

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## MARYLAND POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

- Allegany County Sheriff's Office
- Forest Heights Police Department
- Hagerstown Police Department
- Harford County Sheriff's Foundation (2)
- Havre de Grace Police Department
- Maryland-National Capital Park Police
- Maryland Natural Resources Police Reserve Officer Association
- Prince George's County Sheriff's Office
- Washington County Sheriff's Office (2)

## \$883,000 SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested over **\$883K in canine health research** at Maryland institutions statewide through the support of **19 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to general canine health, dermatology, and allergic disease, ophthalmology, oncology and osteosarcoma, endocrinology, and musculoskeletal conditions and diseases at **Johns Hopkins University, Midwest Veterinary Ophthalmology Society, National Cancer Institute, and the National Human Genome Research Institute**. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB®

# AKC® Impact in MASSACHUSETTS

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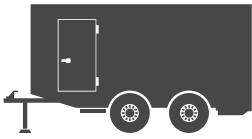
The AKC sanctions over 28,000 dog events each year, which generate significant economic benefits to local communities in addition to the millions of dollars AKC dog owners in Massachusetts spend annually on their dogs.

2025 MA dog events

**424**  
events



**63,000**  
participants



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**\$2.15 million**

economic benefit of dog show weekend

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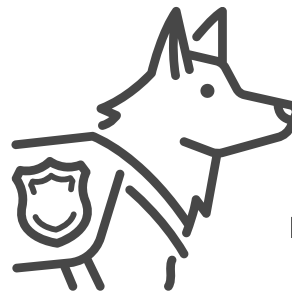
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## MASSACHUSETTS POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

Braintree Police Working Dog Foundation, Inc.  
Framingham Police Department  
Longmeadow Police Department  
Methuen Police Department  
Westwood Police Department  
Worcester Police Department

**\$2.28 million**

SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested over **\$2.28M in canine health research** at Massachusetts institutions statewide through the support of **35 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to general canine health and behavior, kidney and urological disease, neurology, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, oncology including hemangiosarcoma and osteosarcoma, cardiology, dermatology and allergic disease, gastrointestinal disease, and hepatic disease at **Boston Medical Center, Broad Institute, Ethos Discovery, Tufts Medical Center, and Tufts University**. There are currently **5 active grants** which comprise projects investigating noninvasive biomarkers of disease severity in dogs with gallbladder mucocele and the identification of genetic risk factors in degenerative myelopathy in German Shepherds. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.

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AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB®

# AKC® Impact in MICHIGAN

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2025 MI dog events

**988**  
events



**110,200**  
participants

## \$2.15 million

### economic benefit of dog show weekend

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### AKC REUNITE® ADOPT A K-9 COP GRANTS

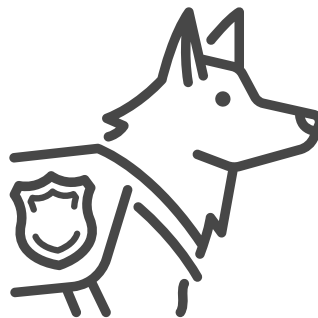
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### MICHIGAN POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

Albion Department of Public Safety  
Chesaning Police Department  
Flushing Police Department  
Gogebic County Sheriff's Office  
Lenawee County Sheriff's Office  
Wayne County Sheriff's Office

**\$2.4 million**  
SUPPORTING  
CANINE HEALTH  
RESEARCH



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested over **\$2.4M in canine health research** at Michigan institutions statewide through the support of **46 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to general canine health, cardiology, endocrinology, gastrointestinal disease, lung and respiratory diseases and conditions, neurology, oncology including lymphoma, hemangiosarcoma and osteosarcoma, ophthalmology, blood disorders, epilepsy, and kidney and urological disease at **Central Michigan University, Michigan State University, University of Michigan, and the Van Andel Research Institute**. There are currently **2 active grants** including the screening for genetic variants in dogs with protein-losing enteropathy. Additionally, CHF awarded a **clinician-scientist fellowship at Michigan State University** to support the future generation of researchers. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.

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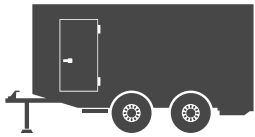


AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB®

# AKC® Impact in MINNESOTA

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The AKC sanctions over 28,000 dog events each year, which generate significant economic benefits to local communities in addition to the millions of dollars AKC dog owners in Minnesota spend annually on their dogs.



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## DISASTER RELIEF TRAILER DONATIONS

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**2025 MN dog events**

**753**  
events



**87,000**  
participants

**\$2.15 million**

## economic benefit of dog show weekend

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## MINNESOTA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS



**\$5.39 million**

## SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH

Aitkin Police Department  
Annandale Police Department  
Anoka County Sheriff's Office (4)  
Anoka Police Department  
Apple Valley Police Department  
Bayport Police Department  
Becker County Sheriff's Office  
Beltrami County Sheriff's Office  
Bemidji Police Department  
Big Lake Police Department  
Blaine Police Department  
Blue Earth County Sheriff's Office  
Brooklyn Park Police Department (3)  
Carlton County Sheriff's Office  
Carver County Sheriff's Office  
Chisago County Sheriff's Office (2)  
City of Winona Police Department  
Clay County Sheriff's Office  
Clearwater County Sheriff's Office  
Cloquet Police Department  
Cold Spring Police Department  
Coon Rapids Police Department  
Cottage Grove Police Department (2)  
Crow Wing County Sheriff's Office

Dakota County Sheriff's Office  
Eden Valley Police Department  
Fergus Falls Police Department  
Freeborn County Sheriff's Office  
Goodhue County Sheriff's Office  
Grand Rapids Police Department  
Hennepin County Sheriff's Office  
Hibbing Police Department  
Hopkins Police Department  
Isanti County Sheriff's Office  
Itasca County Sheriff's Office  
Kanabec County Sheriff's Office  
Lyon County Sheriff's Office  
Martin County Sheriff's Office  
McLeod County Sheriff's Office (2)  
Minnetonka Police Department  
Morrison County Sheriff's Office  
New Hope Police Department  
Nicollet County Sheriff's Office  
Nobles County Sheriff's Office  
Otter Tail County Sheriff's Office (2)  
Pine County Sheriff's Office  
Polk County Sheriff's Office  
Redwood County Sheriff's Office

Redwood Falls Police Department  
Renville County Sheriff's Office  
Robbinsdale Police Department  
Rochester Police Department  
Rogers Police Department  
Sartell Police Department  
Sherburne County Sheriff's Office  
South St. Paul Police Department  
St. Cloud Police Department (3)  
St. Francis Police Department  
St. Louis County Sheriff's Office  
St. Louis Park Police Department  
St. Paul Police Department (5)  
St. Paul Police K-9 Foundation  
Swift County Sheriff's Office  
Wadena County Sheriff's Office  
Waite Park Police Department  
Washington County Sheriff's Office (4)  
Wayzata Police Department  
West St. Paul Police Department  
Winthrop Police Department  
Worthington Police Department (2)  
Wright County Sheriff's Office (2)



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested over **\$5.39M in canine health research** at Minnesota institutions statewide through the support of **66 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to general canine health and pain management, reproductive conditions and disease, blood disorders, dermatology and allergic disease, endocrinology, epilepsy, gastrointestinal disease, kidney, and urological disease, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, neurology, oncology including hemangiosarcoma, lymphoma, osteosarcoma, and immunology and infectious disease at the **Minnesota Department of Health and the University of Minnesota**. There are currently **6 active grants** which include a new pain management technique for abdominal surgery in dogs, identifying the disease-defining autoantibodies in canine Addison's disease, and the immune and molecular landscape of canine osteosarcoma. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.

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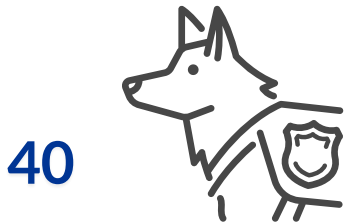
2025 MS dog events **217** events  **18,900** participants

**\$2.15 million**  
economic benefit of dog show weekend

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### MISSISSIPPI POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS



- |                                    |   |                                   |
|------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| Arcola Police Department           | Hinds County Sheriff's Office (2)           | Newton County Sheriff's Office    |
| Attala County Sheriff's Office     | Jackson County Sheriff's Office             | Pascagoula Police Department      |
| Brandon Police Department          | Jones County Sheriff's Department           | Pearl Police Department           |
| Byram Police Department            | Jones County Sheriff's Office               | Picayune Police Department        |
| Calhoun County Sheriff's Office    | Kemper County Sheriff's Office              | Rankin County Sheriff's Office    |
| D'Iberville Police Department      | Laurel Police Department                    | Richland Police Department (2)    |
| Florence Police Department         | Louisville Police Department                | Simpson County Sheriff's Office   |
| Flowood Police Department (2)      | Lowndes County Sheriff's Office (2)         | Smith County Sheriff's Office     |
| Forrest County Sheriff's Office    | Mathiston Police Department                 | Southern Mississippi              |
| Gautier Police Department          | Mississippi Bureau of Narcotics             | Correctional Institute (2)        |
| Grenada Police Department          | Mississippi Department of Wildlife          | Taylorville Police Department     |
| Harrison County Sheriff's Office   | Mississippi State Fire Marshal's Office (2) | Union Police Department           |
| Hattiesburg Public School District | Monroe County Sheriff Department            | Wayne County Sheriff's Department |
| Police Department                  | Morton Police Department                    | Winona Police Department          |

**\$13,000**  
SUPPORTING  
CANINE HEALTH  
RESEARCH

The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested **\$13K in canine health research** in Mississippi. This research has studied the emergent, tick-borne disease American canine hepatozoonosis at **Mississippi State University**. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB®

# AKC® Impact in MISSOURI

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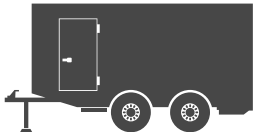
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2025 MO dog events

**965**  
events



**110,700**  
participants



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## DISASTER RELIEF TRAILER DONATIONS

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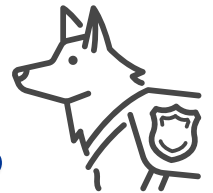
# \$2.15 million

## economic benefit of dog show weekend

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## MISSOURI POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

- Bowling Green Police Department
- Butler Police Department
- Eldon Police Department
- Fair Play Police Department
- Howard County Sheriff's Office
- Kearney Police Department
- Linn Creek Police Department
- Linn Police Department (2)
- Mid-Missouri Multi-Jurisdictional Drug Task Force
- Nodaway County Sheriff's Office
- Osceola Police Department
- Pleasant Hope Police Department
- Randolph County Sheriff's Office
- Schuyler County Sheriff's Office
- St. Francois County Sheriff's Office
- Winona Police Department

# \$3.1 million

## SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested over **\$3.1M in canine health research** at Missouri institutions statewide through the support of **68 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to ophthalmology, epilepsy, immunology and infectious disease, cardiology, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, endocrinology, and oncology including lymphoma at **Nestle Purina PetCare Global Resources and the University of Missouri**. There are currently **5 active grants** which comprise projects such as defining the effect of genotype, breed, and age on the risk of developing canine degenerative myelopathy, and comparison of genomic mutation status between primary site and metastatic lymph node in canine oral malignant melanoma. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.

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2025 MT dog events

— **210**  
events



**19,900**  
participants

*An increase of 7% in both events & participation from 2024.*

## \$2.15 million

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### MONTANA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

- Fort Benton Police Department
- Hardin Police Department (2)
- Phillips County Sheriff's Office



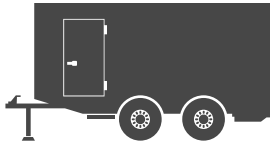


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The AKC sanctions over 28,000 dog events each year, which generate significant economic benefits to local communities in addition to the millions of dollars AKC dog owners in Nebraska spend annually on their dogs.

2025 NE dog events — **223**  **19,000**  
events participants

An increase of 14.5% in participation from 2024.



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**\$2.15 million**

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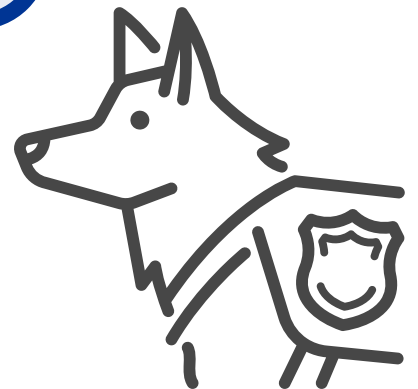
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## NEBRASKA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

Johnson County Sheriff's Office  
Richardson County Sheriff's Office

## AKC REUNITE® ADOPT A K-9 COP GRANTS

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The AKC sanctions over 28,000 dog events each year, which generate significant economic benefits to local communities in addition to the millions of dollars AKC dog owners in Nevada spend annually on their dogs.

2025 NV dog events

**214**  
events



**15,000**  
participants

## \$2.15 million

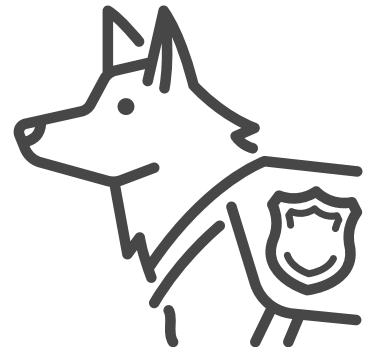
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**ADOPT A K-9** fund the purchase of law enforcement K-9s for  
**COP GRANTS** police departments around the United States.

**NEVADA POLICE AGENCY THAT  
RECEIVED A GRANT**

Storey County Sheriff's Office





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2025 NH dog events

**221**  
events



**32,800**  
participants

*An increase of 6% in events  
from 2024.*

## \$2.15 million

### economic benefit of dog show weekend

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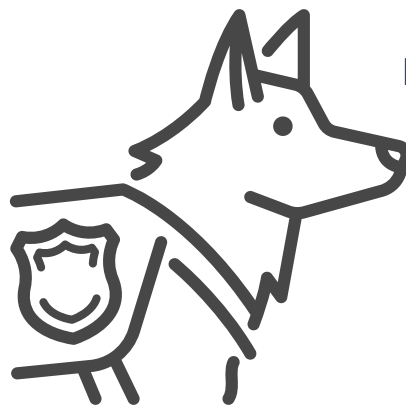
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### NEW HAMPSHIRE POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

Berlin Police Department  
Carroll County Sheriff's Office  
Portsmouth Police Department

## \$300,000 SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested **over \$300K in canine health research** in New Hampshire at the **University of New Hampshire**. There is currently **1 active grant** which seeks to understand a novel canine infectious respiratory disease pathogen that appeared in 2022 and is now widespread. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.

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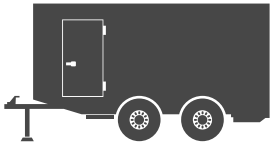
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2025 NJ dog events

**657**  
events



**87,600**  
participants



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## NEW JERSEY POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

Atlantic County Sheriff's Office  
Bordentown Township Police Department  
Deptford Township Police Department  
Florence Township Police Department  
Haddon Heights Police Department  
Hamilton Police Division (2)  
Manchester Township Police Department

Monmouth County Sheriff's Office  
Mount Laurel Police Department (3)  
Ocean County Sheriff's Office  
Stockton University Police Department  
Township of Hamilton Police Department  
Washington Township Police Department  
Westampton Township Police Department



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2025 NM dog events

**224**  
events



**37,200**  
participants

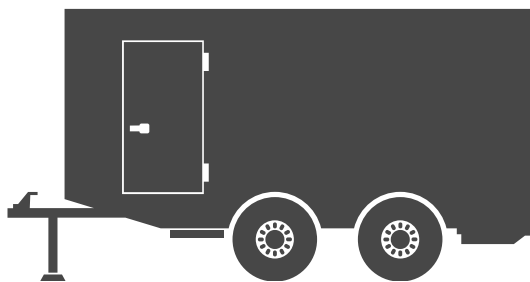
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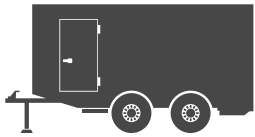
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2025 NY dog events **860** events  **109,700** participants



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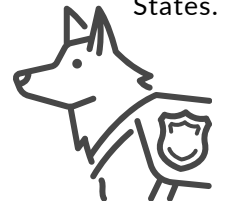
## \$2.15 million

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### NEW YORK POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

- Blooming Grove Police Department
- Broome County Sheriff's Office
- City of Middletown Police Department (2)
- Colonie Police Department
- Monroe Police Department
- Nassau County Sheriff's Department (3)
- New Windsor Police Department (2)
- North Tonawanda Police Department
- Orange County Sheriff's Office (3)
- Ramapo Police Department
- Saugerties Police Department
- Suffolk County Sheriff's Office
- Sullivan County Sheriff's Office
- Town of Carmel Police Department
- Town of Chester Police Department
- Town of Kent Police Department
- Town of Ramapo Police Department
- Town of Ulster Police Department
- Town of Warwick Police Department
- Town of Woodbury Police Department
- Ulster County Sheriff's Office
- Village of Goshen Police Department (2)
- Wallkill Police Department

**\$2.6 million**  
SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH

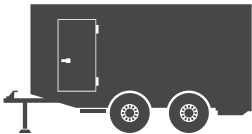


The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested nearly **\$2.6M in canine health research** at New York institutions statewide through the support of **48 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to general canine health, blood disorders, cardiology, endocrinology, epilepsy, gastrointestinal disease, hepatic disease, musculoskeletal conditions, and disease, neurology, oncology including hemangiosarcoma, lymphoma and osteosarcoma, kidney and urological disease, reproductive conditions and disease, and ophthalmology at **Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory, Cornell University, Long Island University, Research Foundation of State University of New York, and The Animal Medical Center**. There are currently **12 active grants**. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.

# AKC® Impact in NORTH CAROLINA

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**\$6.7 million**  
SUPPORTING  
CANINE HEALTH  
RESEARCH



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2025 NC dog events

**991**  
events



**97,800**  
participants

**\$2.15 million**

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## NORTH CAROLINA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

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| Ahoskie Police Department (2)          | Haywood County Sheriff's Office           | Pikeville Police Department       |
| Apex Police Department                 | Hertford County Sheriff's Office (2)      | Pitt County Sheriff's Office      |
| Buncombe County Sheriff's Office (3)   | Hillsborough Police Department            | Raeford Police Department         |
| Butner Public Safety Police Department | Holly Springs Police Department           | Ranlo Police Department (2)       |
| Cabarrus County Sheriff's Office       | Jackson County Sheriff's Office (2)       | Roanoke Rapids Police Department  |
| Caldwell County Sheriff's Office       | Kinston Police Department                 | Rocky Mount Police Department (4) |
| Camden County Sheriff's Office         | Lumberton Police Department (2)           | Rowan County Sheriff's Office     |
| Canton Police Department               | Maggie Valley Police Department (2)       | Southern Pines Police Department  |
| Carteret County Sheriff's Office (2)   | Moore County Sheriff's Office             | Southern Shores Police Department |
| Chowan County Sheriff's Office         | Mooresville Police Department             | Sylva Police Department           |
| Clayton Police Department              | Morehead City Police Department           | Tarboro Police Department (2)     |
| Currituck County Sheriff's Office (3)  | Mount Olive Police Department             | Vance County Sheriff's Office     |
| Davidson County Sheriff's Office       | Nashville Police Department (2)           | Wadesboro Police Department       |
| Dunn Police Department                 | NC State University Police Department (2) | Wallace Police Department         |
| Durham Tech Police Department          | NC State Bureau of Investigation (2)      | Waxhaw Police Department          |
| Erwin Police Department (2)            | NC State Capitol Police                   | Waynesville Police Department (2) |
| Forsyth Tech Police Department         | New Bern Police Department                | Windsor Police Department         |
| Fuquay-Varina Police Department        | Northampton County Sheriff's Office       | Wingate Police Department         |
| Guilford County Sheriff's Office       | Person County Sheriffs Office (3)         | Winston-Salem Police Department   |
| Halifax County Sheriff's Office        |   | Zebulon Police Department         |



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# AKC® Impact in NORTH DAKOTA

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The AKC sanctions over 28,000 dog events each year, which generate significant economic benefits to local communities in addition to the millions of dollars AKC dog owners in North Dakota spend annually on their dogs.

2025 ND dog events

**109**  
events



**12,500**  
participants

*An increase of 20% in events  
& 16% in participation  
from 2024.*

## \$2.15 million

### economic benefit of dog show weekend

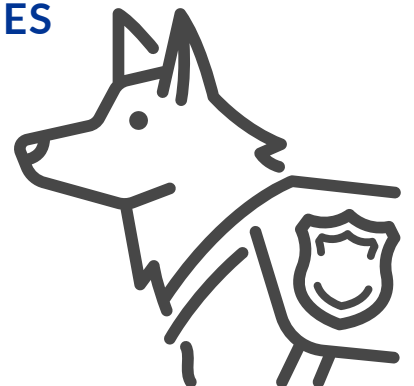
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**ADOPT A K-9** fund the purchase of law enforcement K-9s for  
**COP GRANTS** police departments around the United States.

## NORTH DAKOTA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

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Burleigh County Sheriff's Department (2)  
Grand Forks Police Department (2)  
Jamestown Police Department  
Rolette County Sheriff's Office  
Stanley Police Department  
Tioga Police Department  
Wahpeton Police Department



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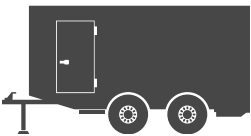
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2025 OH dog events

**1,483**  
events



**178,100**  
participants



**3**

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## \$2.5 million

### SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH

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## 35 OHIO POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

- Andover Police Department
- Cadiz Police Department (2)
- Campbell Police Department
- Canton Police Department (3)
- Champaign County Sheriff's Office
- Darke County Sheriff's Office
- Dayton Police Department
- DeGraff Police Department
- Delphos Police Department (2)
- Dennison Police Department
- Edgerton Police Department
- Greenville Police Department
- Hartville Police Department
- Higginsport Police Department
- Jackson Center Police Department
- Lorain County Sheriff's Office
- Mansfield Police Department
- Marion Police Department

- Massillon Police Department
- Middletown Police Department (2)
- Pioneer Police Department
- Preble County Sheriff's Office
- Richfield Police Department
- Richland County Sheriff's Office
- Shelby County Sheriff's Office (2)
- Somerset Police Department
- Union Township Police Department (2)
- Village of Anna Police Department
- Warren County Sheriff's Office
- Washington County Sheriff's Office
- Washington Township Police Department
- Westlake Police Department
- Williamsburg Police Department
- Wintersville Police Department
- Xenia Police Division (2)



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested nearly **\$2.5M in canine health research** at Ohio institutions statewide through the support of **66 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to general canine health including conferences on veterinary emergency and critical care and breed-specific health problems, cardiology, hepatic disease, kidney and urological disease, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, neurology, oncology including lymphoma and osteosarcoma, ophthalmology, reproductive conditions and disease, immunology, infectious and tick-borne diseases, and neurology at the **Bauer Research Foundation, Miami University, Ohio State University, the Research Institute at Nationwide Children's Hospital, and the University of Dayton**. There are currently **7 active grants**. Additionally, CHF awarded the **Ohio State University a clinician-scientist fellowship** to support the future generation of researchers. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



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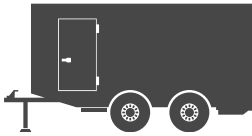
2025 OK dog events

**444**  
events



**60,700**  
participants

An increase of 5% in events & 10% in participation from 2024.



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### OKLAHOMA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

- Apache Police Department
- Ardmore Police Department
- Arkoma Police Department
- Bartlesville Police Department
- Canadian County Sheriff's Office
- Cherokee County Sheriff's Office
- Chouteau Police Department
- Cleveland County Sheriff's Office (2)
- Cleveland Police Department
- Comanche Nation Police Department
- District III Drug and Violent Crimes Task Force
- Durant Police Department
- Earlsboro Police Department (2)
- Edmond Police Department
- Enid Police Department (2)
- Garfield County Sheriff's Office
- Haskell Police Department
- Hennessey Police Department
- Hulbert Police Department
- Kay County Sheriff's Office
- Lahoma Police Department (2)
- Lawton Public Schools Police Department
- Locust Grove Police Department (2)
- Logan County Sheriff's Office
- Luther Police Department
- Maysville Police Department
- McClain County Sheriff's Office
- Minco Police Department
- Mooreland Police Department
- Morris Police Department
- Muskogee Police Department
- Noble Police Department (2)
- Okarche Police Department
- Oklahoma City Police Department
- Oklmulgee County Criminal Justice Authority (2)
- Owasso Police Department (4)
- Paoli Police Department
- Payne County Sheriffs Office
- Perry Police Department
- Ponca City Police Department
- Rogers County Sheriff's Office
- Roland Police Department
- Salina Police Department
- Sapulpa Police Department
- Spiro Police Department (2)
- Stroud Police Department
- Tulsa Police Department (4)
- Valley Brook Police Department
- Valliant Police Department
- Waynoka Police Department
- Westville Police Department

**\$111,000**  
SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH

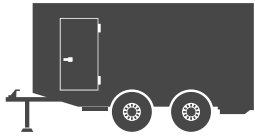


The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested over **\$111K in canine health research** at Oklahoma institutions statewide through the support of **6 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs.** This research has spanned topics related to lung and respiratory disease, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, and immunology and infectious disease which included analysis of antifungal treatment in dogs with histoplasmosis at **Oklahoma State University.** CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



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2025 OR dog events

463 events



59,400 participants

## \$2.15 million

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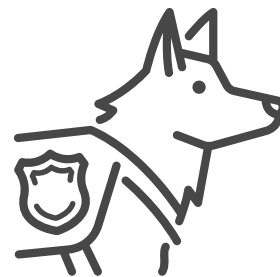
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### OREGON POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

Klamath County Sheriff's Office  
Yamhill County Sheriff's Office

## \$144,000 SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested **nearly \$144K in canine health research** at Oregon institutions statewide through the support of **13 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to general canine health with specific projects supporting cardiology, reproductive conditions and disease, immunology, gastrointestinal disease, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, and oncology at **Oregon Health Science University, Oregon State University, and the University of Oregon**. There is currently **1 active grant** that includes research to better understand the relationship between spaying or neutering and the development of hypothyroidism in dogs. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.

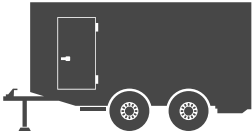


# AKC® Impact in PENNSYLVANIA

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2025 PA dog events **1,482** events **179,800** participants



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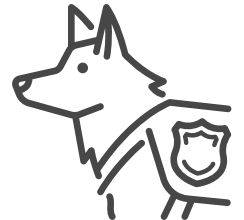
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## PENNSYLVANIA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

**\$4.3 million** SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH

- Beaver Valley Regional Police Department
- Bloomsburg University Police Department
- Cheltenham Township Police Department (3)
- Indiana Borough Police Department
- Kingston Township Police Department
- Lower Moreland Township Police Department (2)
- Manor Township Police Department
- Middlesex Township Police Department
- Moosic Borough Police Department
- New Castle Police Department

- Plymouth Township Police Department (2)
- Rice Township Police Department
- Scranton Police Department
- Upland Police Department
- Upper Moreland Police Department
- West Chester Police Department
- Whitemarsh Township Police Department
- Wilkes-Barre City Police Department (2)
- Wilkes-Barre Township Police Department
- Williamsport Bureau of Police



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested nearly **\$4.3M in canine health research** at Pennsylvania institutions statewide through the support of **83 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs.** This research has spanned topics related to general canine health with significant support of the **Penn Vet Working Dog Center**, as well as projects related to reproductive conditions and disease, cancer including lymphoma and hemangiosarcoma, dermatology and allergic disease, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, ophthalmology, blood disorders, cardiology, endocrinology, hepatic disease, kidney and urological disease, neurology, immunology, and infectious disease at **Pennsylvania State University, the Wistar Institute, and the University of Pennsylvania.** There are currently **7 active grants.** The newest is a residency training program for future board-certified canine sports medicine and rehabilitation specialists. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



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The AKC sanctions over 28,000 dog events each year, which generate significant economic benefits to local communities in addition to the millions of dollars AKC dog owners in Rhode Island spend annually on their dogs.

2025 RI dog events — **94** events  **14,900** participants

*An increase of 14% in participation from 2024.*

## \$2.15 million

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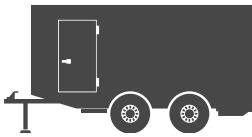
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2025 SC dog events

**390**  
events



**39,200**  
participants



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## SOUTH CAROLINA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

**\$250,000**  
SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH

Calhoun Falls Police Department (2)  
Cayce Police Department  
Central Police Department  
Clover Police Department  
Darlington Police Department  
Edgefield County Sheriff's Office  
Florence Regional Airport Police Department  
Forest Acres Police Department  
Georgetown Police Department  
Greenville County Sheriff's Office  
Horry County Sheriff's Office

Iva Police Department  
Jasper County Sheriff's Office  
Marion County Sheriff's Office  
Marion Police Department  
Pickens County Sheriff's Office  
Pickens Police Department  
Richland County Sheriff's Office  
Seneca Police Department  
Summerville Police Department  
Westminster Police Department  
Yemassee Police Department

 The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested **nearly \$250K in canine health research** at South Carolina institutions statewide through the support of **7 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to musculoskeletal conditions and disease, dermatology and allergic disease, gastrointestinal disease, and neurology at **Clemson University**. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



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2025 SD dog events

**96**  
events



**6,800**  
participants

An increase of 31.5% in events & 23% in participation from 2024.

## \$2.15 million

### economic benefit of dog show weekend

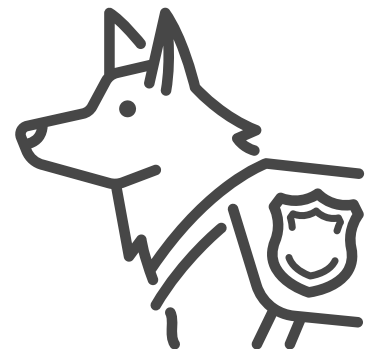
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**SOUTH DAKOTA POLICE**  
**AGENCY THAT RECEIVED**  
**A GRANT**

Moody County Sheriff's Office





AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB®

# AKC® Impact in TENNESSEE

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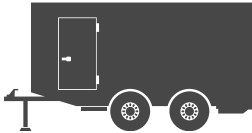
The AKC sanctions over 28,000 dog events each year, which generate significant economic benefits to local communities in addition to the millions of dollars AKC dog owners in Tennessee spend annually on their dogs.

2025 TN dog events

**601**  
events



**63,200**  
participants



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## DISASTER RELIEF TRAILER DONATIONS

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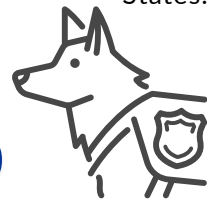
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## TENNESSEE POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

# \$631,000

## SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH

18th Judicial District Drug Task Force  
23rd Judicial District Drug Task Force (2)  
Bartlett Police Department  
Carroll County Sheriff's Office  
Cleveland State Campus Police Department  
Dickson County Sheriff's Office  
Dickson Police Department (2)  
Fayetteville Police Department  
Gallatin Police Department

Gleason Police Department  
Hendersonville Police Department (2)  
Lebanon Police Department (3)  
McEwen Police Department  
McKenzie Police Department  
Montgomery County Sheriff's Office  
Portland Police Department  
Smyrna Police Department (2)  
Sumner County Sheriff's Office (2)  
Unicoi County Sheriff's Office  
Wilson County Sheriff's Office



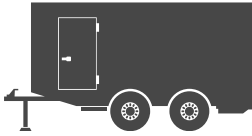
The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested over **\$631K in canine health research** at Tennessee institutions statewide through the support of **21 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs.** This research has spanned topics related to general canine health including the landmark mapping in the dog genome, blood disorders, dermatology, and allergic disease, endocrinology related to Cushing's syndrome and the thyroid function, hepatic disease, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, oncology including lymphoma, ophthalmology and tick-borne disease at the **University of Tennessee.** There are currently **4 active grants.** CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.

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2025 TX dog events

**1,724**  
events



**187,700**  
participants

**12**

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## TEXAS POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

- |  |  |                                     |
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| Abilene Police Department (2)                          | Hopkins County Sheriff's Office (2)            | Princeton Police Department         |
| Baytown Police Department                              | Houston Police Department                      | Round Rock ISD Police Department    |
| Carrollton Fire Rescue                                 | Humble Police Department                       | Seadrift Police Department          |
| Clay County Constable's Office                         | Italy Police Department                        | Sherman Police Department (2)       |
| Commerce Independent School District Police Department | Kaufman County Precinct 2 Constable Office     | Sulphur Springs Police Department   |
| Conroe Police Department                               | Kaufman County Sheriff's Office (2)            | Taylor County Sheriff's Office      |
| Corinth Police Department                              | League City Police Department                  | Tenaha Police Department            |
| Eustace ISD Police Department                          | Magnolia Police Department                     | Texarkana Police Department         |
| Fort Bend County Sheriff's Office                      | Montgomery County Constable Precinct 4 (2)     | Tomball Police Department           |
| Graham Police Department                               | Montgomery County Constable Precinct 5         | Vernon Police Department            |
| Gray County Sheriff's Office (2)                       | Newman International Academy Police Department | Wheeler County Sheriff's Office     |
| Greenville Police Department (3)                       |  | Wichita County Sheriff's Office (2) |
| Henderson County Sheriff's Office                      |  | Wills Point Police Department       |
| Hickory Creek Police Department                        |  | Young County Sheriff's Office       |
|  |  | Zapata County Sheriff's Office      |

**\$3.65 million**  
SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested nearly **\$3.65M in canine health research** at Texas institutions statewide through the support of **75 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to general canine health including support of emergency and critical care, reproductive conditions and disease, blood disorders, cardiology, oncology including glioblastoma, osteosarcoma and lymphoma dermatology and allergic disease, kidney and urological disease, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, neurology including necrotizing encephalitis, immunology and infectious disease, epilepsy and gastrointestinal disease at **Baylor College of Medicine, Texas A&M University, the University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, and the Veterinary Emergency & Critical Care Society**. There are currently **8 active grants**. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.



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The AKC sanctions over 28,000 dog events each year, which generate significant economic benefits to local communities in addition to the millions of dollars AKC dog owners in Utah spend annually on their dogs.

2025 UT dog events

**202**  
events



**25,100**  
participants

**\$195,000**  
SUPPORTING  
CANINE  
HEALTH  
RESEARCH

**\$2.15 million**

economic benefit of dog show  
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2025 VT dog events — **58** events  **5,600** participants

## \$2.15 million

### economic benefit of dog show weekend

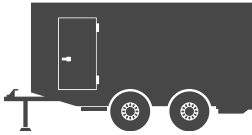
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2025 VA dog events

**833**  
events



**98,900**  
participants

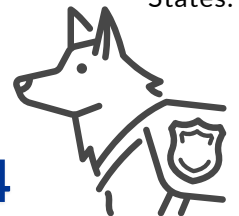
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**\$1.1 million**  
SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH

### VIRGINIA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

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|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Amherst County Sheriff's Office       | Pembroke Police Department           |
| Bristol Police Department             | Pennington Gap Police Department     |
| Clarksville Police Department         | Pulaski County Sheriff's Office      |
| Dickenson County Sheriff's Office (2) | Richlands Police Department          |
| Harrisonburg Police Department        | Southampton County Sheriff's Office  |
| Lee County Sheriff's Office           | Spotsylvania County Sheriff's Office |
| Mecklenburg County Sheriff's Office   | Surry County Sheriff's Office        |



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested over **\$1.1M in canine health research** at Virginia institutions statewide through the support of **23 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to cardiology, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, oncology including lymphoma and osteosarcoma, reproductive diseases and conditions, and immunology and infectious disease and endocrinology including a longitudinal study of atypical hyperadrenocorticism at **Virginia-Maryland Regional College of Veterinary Medicine**. There are currently **4 active grants** that comprise projects researching if deep learning (CNN) can detect minimal residual disease (MRD) in dogs treated for lymphoma and prognostic utility of preoperative F-wave measurements in paraplegic dogs with absent pain perception due to intervertebral disc extrusion. Additionally, CHF continues to support the post-graduate training at the Virginia-Maryland Regional College of Veterinary Medicine addressing canine reproduction through the AKC/AKCCHF/TF Theriogenology Residency program. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.

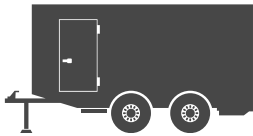


AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB®

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2025 WA dog events

**1,195**  
events



**146,200**  
participants

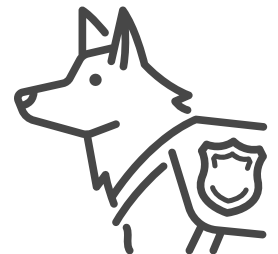
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## WASHINGTON POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

Kitsap County Sheriff's Office  
Port Angeles Police Department  
Seattle Police Foundation

## \$1.9 million SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested **nearly \$1.9M in canine health research** at Washington institutions statewide through the support of **30 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to general canine health including the genetic map of the canine genome, gastrointestinal disease, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, immunology and infectious disease, oncology including lymphoma, cardiology, endocrinology, epilepsy, hepatic disease, and reproductive conditions and disease at the **Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, University of Washington, and Washington State University**. A current active grant is studying dog activity load measurement using a web-based application to provide a rating of perceived exertion (RPE). CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.

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2025 WV dog events — **54** events  **5,100** participants

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### WEST VIRGINIA POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

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|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Barbour County Sheriff's Office      | Philippi Police Department           |
| Beckley Police Department            | Pocahontas County Sheriff's Office   |
| Belington Police Department          | Randolph County Sheriff's Office (2) |
| Brooke County Sheriff's Office       | Richwood Police Department           |
| Flatwoods Police Department          | St. Marys Police Department          |
| Grafton Police Department            | Taylor County Sheriffs Office        |
| Hancock County Sheriff's Office (2)  | Wayne County Sheriff's Office        |
| Keyser Police Department             | Webster County Sheriff's Office      |
| Nicholas County Sheriff's Office (2) | Weirton Police Department            |





AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB®

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2025 WI dog events

**1,030**  
events



**94,400**  
participants

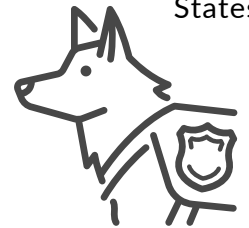
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### WISCONSIN POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS

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| Crivitz Police Department           | Pierce County Sheriff's Office    |
| Jackson County Sheriff's Office (3) | Polk County Sheriff's Office      |
| La Crosse Police Department         | Prescott Police Department        |
| Milwaukee Police Department (2)     | Sparta Police Department          |
| New Richmond Police Department      | St. Croix Falls Police Department |
|                                     | West Salem Police Department      |

## \$2 million SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested nearly **\$2M in canine health research** at Wisconsin institutions statewide through the support of **36 projects, research grants, and educational studies to benefit dogs**. This research has spanned topics related to general canine health, ophthalmology, immunology and infectious disease, cardiology, epilepsy, hepatic disease, musculoskeletal conditions and disease, neurology, oncology including hemangiosarcoma, lymphoma and osteosarcoma, and tick-borne disease at the **University of Wisconsin, Green Bay and University of Wisconsin, Madison**. There are currently **3 active grants** that comprise of genetic testing for cruciate ligament rupture using polygenic risk score (PRS) prediction and studies of the genetics of glaucoma and early-onset osteosarcoma. Additionally, CHF awarded a clinician-scientist fellowship at the University of Wisconsin, Madison to support the future generation of researchers. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.

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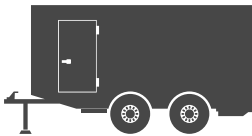
2025 WY dog events

**100**  
events



**12,200**  
participants

An increase of 32% in events & 15% in participation from 2024.



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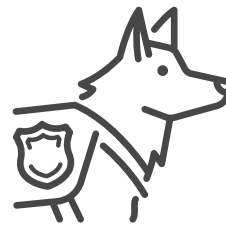
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## WYOMING POLICE AGENCIES THAT RECEIVED GRANTS



Albany County Sheriff's Department  
Green River Police Department  
Lusk Police Department

# \$85,000

## SUPPORTING CANINE HEALTH RESEARCH



The AKC Canine Health Foundation® (CHF) has invested nearly **\$85K in canine health research** with **University of Wyoming** institutions to support immunology and infectious disease in dogs. **A current grant** studies the cause and mechanisms of canine dysautonomia, an emerging disease. CHF prioritizes a One Health and comparative medicine research approach to diagnose and treat health conditions that affect both ends of the leash while advancing canine health for all dogs.