



Oshkosh Police Department

Date: May 31, 2012
Time: 10:30 A.M.
Contact: Officer Joseph Nichols
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Subject: Animal Neglect-Cat Owner Found

MEDIA RELEASE

The Oshkosh Police Department has issued a citation for Animal Abandonment to a 54 year-old female from Fond du Lac, WI after 9 cats were found outside of the PETCO pet store in Oshkosh in the 1900 block of S. Koeller St. on Thursday, May 24, 2012 at 5:10 pm.

A micro-chip found implanted in one of the abandoned cats listed back to the 54 year-old female. The fine for the animal abandonment citation is \$280.50.

According to the Oshkosh Humane Society, 1 of the 9 cats has been adopted and the remaining 8 are in good health and are being readied for adoption. The Oshkosh Humane Society reminds citizens that it takes owner surrendered animals by appointment only.

If you have any questions in regards to the media release, you may contact Officer Joe Nichols or you may call Joanie Geiger at the Oshkosh Area Humane Society at (920) 424-2128. Thank you.

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