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Subject: Pound dog rehoming

Good morning [REDACTED]

Thank you for your email and query regarding the rehoming practices of our dogs at Kapiti Coast District Council.

We do not rehome any of our dogs to institutes or individuals to be used in research testing or teaching purposes.

Our practice for many years has been to adopt dogs to families using an adoption process involving visits to the address, suitability checks, a settling in time, and then a final decision over adoption.

We also use two rehoming agencies – SPCA and HUHA. I don't believe either of these agencies would rehome dogs for research or teaching purposes.

We have reduced the number of dogs we rehome ourselves as this can be a time-consuming and costly process and therefore we primarily rehome our dogs through SPCA and HUHA now.

I hope this answers your query. I am happy to provide further if required.

Regards, Lee.

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