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February 15, 2020

Good afternoon Ms. Alonso,

Through previous conversations with City of San Luis staff, we know that in a perfect world your animal control officers would not have to bring animals to the shelter. Additionally, we know that many of your citizens are either unable or unwilling to come to the shelter to reclaim their pets. With that said, there are ways that we can decrease the amount of strays that roam your community and also ensure that more pets can be taken back to their owners before they need to come to HSOY.

HSOY is requesting \$5,000 to go towards spaying and neutering animals within your community. The money would only be going to people who show proof of residence within the City of San Luis, AZ. As your citizens call HSOY to schedule an appointment, they would state that they live within your City and we would schedule them. HSOY would provide a monthly recap of the surgeries that we have provided and how much of the funds are still remaining.

HSOY has already provided hundreds of microchips to your community through a grant received by the Arizona Community Foundation of Yuma. This will ensure that your pets are able to be quickly returned home, where they belong. The spaying/neutering component is the next step in ensuring the same. Animals that are altered are less likely to roam too far from their homes and will definitely make healthier happier pets.

Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions or concerns you may have regarding the proposal.

Respectfully,

**ANNETTE LAGUNAS**

Executive Director

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**OUR MISSION**

**STATEMENT**

*To reduce the number of  
homeless pets through  
adoption, rescue and  
spay/neuter programs.*

Annette Lagunas  
Executive Director  
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## Francia Alonso

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**From:** Annette Lagunas <alagunas@hsoyuma.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 18, 2020 9:38 AM  
**To:** Francia Alonso  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] RE: Funding Request

Yes you are correct. The contract amount is the same. I am only asking for an increase to help your citizens spay/neuter their pets.

*Annette Lagunas*

Executive Director  
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**From:** Francia Alonso [mailto:[falonso@sanluisaz.gov](mailto:falonso@sanluisaz.gov)]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 18, 2020 8:41 AM  
**To:** Annette Lagunas  
**Subject:** RE: Funding Request

Good morning,

I was going over your letter and saw you are only requesting \$5,000 is this an additional request to the \$50,000 that is traditionally requested?

Can you please clarify?

Francia

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**From:** Annette Lagunas <[alagunas@hsoyuma.com](mailto:alagunas@hsoyuma.com)>  
**Sent:** Saturday, February 15, 2020 2:29 PM  
**To:** Francia Alonso <[falonso@sanluisaz.gov](mailto:falonso@sanluisaz.gov)>  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] RE: Funding Request

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Good afternoon Francia,

Please see the attached request for funding.

Annette

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