



Wings Programs, Inc.

Non-profit Equine Rescue & Sanctuary

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Help Wings Secure a Permanent Home for Healing

Over the past decade, Wings Programs Inc has had the honor of providing a safe haven for vulnerable horses, donkeys, and mules—giving them the care, rehabilitation, and second chances they deserve. But Wings is about more than just equines—we're also deeply rooted in serving the people of the Bitterroot Valley through education, outreach, and connection.

We're reaching out because we are facing a significant transition—and we're hoping for your support. The property we've leased since 2015 has recently been listed for sale. While our lease runs through January 2026, there is no guarantee a future buyer will continue leasing to us. To secure a long-term home for the animals in our care—and the community we serve—we've launched a **Capital Fund** to raise a down payment to either purchase our current property or secure a new location in the valley.

Thanks to generous donors, we've already raised **\$28,000**, with another **\$20,000 pledged**. We estimate needing up to **\$125,000** to move forward. With the support of compassionate, community-minded businesses like yours, we believe we can get there.

Wings is proud to be:

- **The only equine rescue in Montana verified by the Global Federation of Animal Sanctuaries (GFAS)**, meeting the highest standards of care and ethics.
- **A Platinum-rated nonprofit on Candid/GuideStar**, recognized for transparency and impact.
- **The only local facility currently accepting equines**, as others downsize or shift focus.
- **A critical safety net** for the Bitterroot Valley's **senior agricultural population**, who often must part with beloved animals as they retire or transition out of ranching and farming.



Our Impact Goes Beyond Rescue

In addition to direct animal care for 30+ equines—each receiving tailored medical, dental, dietary, and behavioral support—we serve the wider community through:

- **Mini-horse visits** to senior centers and community events, bringing joy and connection.
- **Youth volunteer and education programs**, introducing young people to careers in animal care and instilling compassion.
- **A thriving volunteer base** that welcomes individuals of all ages and backgrounds to find purpose and community through service.

Most of those who have looked at the property so far are interested in development, and our purchase would prevent that. Our fields are flood irrigated spring and summer and provide wetland habitat for numerous migratory and local birds.

How You Can Help

Your donation—of any size—will directly support our Capital Campaign and help ensure a stable, permanent home for the animals and people who count on us. Whether you can give \$100 or \$10,000, sponsor a portion of the land, or provide in-kind services, every contribution brings us closer to a future where no equine in the Bitterroot is left without care.

All donations are fully tax-deductible. We would be proud to recognize your support publicly—unless you prefer to remain anonymous. You can donate online at wingsprograms.org/donate, or mail a check to the address above with “Capital Campaign” in the memo line. If you’d like to learn more, schedule a visit, or discuss

