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Goodwill Service Dog Program in Need of Foster Parents

Canton, OHIO - Fostering a Service Dog in training is one of the most rewarding experiences an animal lover can have. All it takes is a little love and affection, combined with some basic obedience training to raise a confident, gentle Service Dog which can provide a better quality of life for someone with a mobility-limiting condition.

Goodwill's Service Dog Training Program begins with the kindness of volunteer foster families. These people offer their homes and time to a young Golden or Labrador retriever pup for approximately six to nine months. During this time, the foster family is responsible for training basic obedience and appropriate household conduct. There is no cost to foster a dog, as Goodwill provides the funds needed for food, supplies and vet costs.

If you are interested in fostering a dog or would like more information, please contact the Service Dog Training Program Office at (330) 454-9461 ext. 345. Help Goodwill improve the quality of life for someone in your community today!

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