



Kindness to Animals has no Boundaries

May 2019

ANNOUNCING AKI'S 2019 [AFRICA-BASED ANIMAL WELFARE ORGANIZATION GRANT PROGRAM!](#) AKI's 2nd annual grant program will support worthy Africa-based organizations, beyond our 10 Partner Organizations. Organizations that fit the criteria are welcome to complete [a grant application](#) and submit it to AKI between 1 June-15 July 2019.

We are grateful for donations to our Africa-Based Animal Welfare Grant Program--the more money donated and designated for the 2019 grant program, the more great projects we'll be able to support. Interested? Donate and designate [here](#), or read about our 2019 grant program [here](#), where you can also donate, or get in touch with me at karen@animal-kind.org.

[Our 2018 grant program](#) funded 8 highly impactful, successful projects--for example, Funda Nenja's (see below). **Imagine what your donation to our 2019 grant program could accomplish!**

AKI 2018 Grant to Funda Nenja Dog House Project



AKI's 2018 grant to Funda Nenja funded construction and distribution of 30 dog houses to low/no income dog owners living in the community of Mpophomeni, KwaZulu Natal Midlands, South Africa. The Dog House Project is part of a larger effort of Funda Nenja's that incorporates Dog School for kids and their dogs, where the bonds between owner and pet are strengthened, home visits to ensure dogs are well-cared for, and sterilization.

Read Progress Reports from 2 more 2018 AKI grant recipients in the May AKI Blog.....

[The AKI Blog-May](#)

Through the AKI Blog, we keep you updated about how donations to AKI are used. This month we have 3 new AKI Blog posts:

- [TAWESO Donkey Outreach Clinic, Lake Zone, Tanzania](#) by Thomas Kahema: about TAWESO's week-long clinic held around Lake Victoria in April.
- [Save Animals \(Democratic Republic of Congo\) Reflects on the AKI Grant & Sums Up Achievements](#) by Ekwa N'tende Dieumerici: about SA-DRC's dog walk through Kinshasa, rabies clinic, and press conference.
- [SAWS-Somaliland's Mobile Vet Clinic reaches donkeys, camels, cows, and calves in need](#) by Hassan Aden: about the 6th SAWS mobile vet clinic funded by the AKI 2018 grant.



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AKI Partner Kingston Community Animal Welfare Saves Squat

Just last week, when KCAW's Deborah was driving along Spanish town road in Kingston, Jamaica, she spotted a tiny pup rummaging in a rubbish heap. **Being the weakest of the many stray dogs in the area, by the time she had her chance, no food was left; the pup found only a mound of burnt tires and bottles. She looked desperate.**

Deborah pulled over and offered a tin of cat food, all that she had left after a full morning of street dog and cat feedings. It worked, the pup came right over and began gobbling it up. Deborah was able to pick her up and put her in her car (picture above). **Squat, as Deborah named her, is now at Deborah's KCAW kennels, where she is quickly gaining strength and has settled in.**



Animal-Kind International donors provide the funds-about 95% of KCAW's costs-for KCAW to rescue, rehab, feed street animals, spay/neuter, and help poor people care for their pets. Deborah can't do this without you: please consider donating to the only organization that helps Kingston's huge population of street cats and dogs:

[READ ABOUT THE KCAW-AKI PARTNERSHIP & DONATE FOR KCAW](#)

We have a new eye-popping website!

Thank you SO much to Deb Newman of . Petite Taway for upgrading and updating the AKI website. It looks AMAZING, but we expect nothing less from Deb!

[SEE THE NEW & IMPROVED AKI WEBSITE](#)

Thank you to all of our donors. It's only because of your support that we're able to help so many animals in some of the poorest parts of the world where there are amazing animal welfare advocates.



AKI donors support our 10 Partner Organizations in: Uganda, Tanzania (2 Partners), South Sudan, Namibia, Liberia, Ghana, Armenia, Jamaica, and Honduras; and AKI's Grant Program for Africa-Based Animal Welfare Organizations (2018 grant recipients are located in: Cameroon, Democratic Republic of Congo, Egypt, Mozambique, Senegal, Somaliland, and South Africa (2).)

Please click the picture above & [Donate to AKI](#).

Gratefully,

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