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RHODE ISLAND SPCA TAKES IN ALMOST 30 GUINEA PIGS, TO HOST ADOPTION AND FOSTER EVENT THIS WEEKEND

[Riverside, Rhode Island, February 22, 2023] — The Rhode Island SPCA took in close to thirty guinea pigs last week from a single residence and is now seeking help from the public with their care.

Close to thirty guinea pigs of all ages, genders and condition were brought to the Rhode Island SPCA last Wednesday. Since their arrival, several of them even have given birth, adding to the current population. Many need socialization so short term foster homes are being sought, as well as adoptive homes for those that have been cleared medically.

Due to the large number of guinea pigs in their care, the Rhode Island SPCA is hosting Pigapalooza at Rumford Pet Express in East Providence this Sunday, February 26th, from 10am to 12pm. Potential adopters and fosters are welcome to join RISPCA staff members to learn about guinea pig care, visit with adoptable guinea pigs and guinea pigs needing foster, and shop for items from their wish-list to help care for the guinea pigs.

For more information or other ways to help, please visit www.rispca.com.

About the Rhode Island SPCA: Founded in 1870, the Rhode Island SPCA is not only the oldest humane organization in the state of Rhode Island but the third oldest in the United States. As a private, non-profit 501(c)(3) organization, we do not receive any local, state or federal funding nor are we affiliated with any national humane organization. We rely solely on donations from individuals, businesses and foundations.
