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Volunteers Start Removing 200 Cats From N.Y. Home

Volunteers have started removing an estimated 200 cats from a Long Island home. Robert Misseri, a volunteer with animal rescue group Rescue Ink, says 25 kittens and 10 female cats were removed from the home in Moriches on Wednesday afternoon. The volunteers also brought food for the remaining cats. Acting on a tip, the group met last month with the family, who were about to lose their home and were struggling to buy cat food, *Newsday* (N.Y.) reports.

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Puppy/Kitten Mill Bill Faces 2009 Legislature

A Puppy/Kitten Mill Bill will be introduced in the 2009 Minnesota legislative session to regulate dog and cat breeders and protect animals from harm. A similar bill was introduced in the 2007-2008 Minnesota legislative sessions, the Perham (Minn.) *Enterprise Bulletin* reports.

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Cats Looking for Christmas Angels

Feral cats are a problem on Molokai, Hawaii, but Katy Gomez Madrigal is taking action. Last year, six kittens began begging at her residence. But instead of closing her door on them, Madrigal resolved to do what she could about the island's cat overpopulation, *The Molokai Dispatch* reports.

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