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**FULTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS ANNOUNCE NEW DOG ADOPTION
PAGE ON DOG WARDEN WEBSITE**

November 13th, 2013, (WAUSEON, OH) The Fulton County Board of Commissioners is pleased to announce that the Dog Warden's Office is now posting pictures of dogs for adoption directly on their webpage at www.fultoncountyoh.com/dogwarden.

"We've been looking to enhance our website to better inform Fulton County Residents and dog owners of information regarding our services such as adoption, licensing, lost and found dog information, and general questions," states Brian Banister, Fulton County Dog Warden. The adoption page allows the department to post pictures of the dogs directly to the website in a proactive and timely manner, and also provide information that might be helpful to someone who is looking for their lost dog, or looking to adopt a dog. Although there are some limitations to adoption based on Ohio Revised Code and policy guidelines that must be followed, generally dogs that are housed in the kennel for more than 3 days are available for adoption.

We welcome the community to visit our kennel at the Fulton County Dog Warden's Office to meet a dog or to allow us to answer any questions that you may have.

The Dog Warden's Office mission and goal is to protect the public from canine-related problems with utmost compassion, professionalism and respect for all parties involved.

The Fulton County Dog Warden's Office is operated under the direction of the Fulton County Board of Commissioners and is located at 9200 County Road 14, Wauseon, OH, 43567. They are now also operating new extended office hours from 8:00am-3:00pm, and are available by appointment. You may reach them at 419-337-9219 or visit their website at www.fultoncountyoh.com/dogwarden.

The Fulton County Board of Commission is the legislative body and its members are the community's decision makers. Power is centralized in the elected board, which approves the budget for all offices. Their office is located at 152 S. Fulton Street, Suite 270, Wauseon, OH 43567. Their office may be reached at 419-337-9255 and their website is www.fultoncountyoh.com/commissioners.

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