

MEET THE ANIMALS IN YOUR 2018 'RESCUED!' CALENDAR

Every animal we rescue, rehabilitate and re-home has a unique story about how they came into our care – whether they were abandoned, abused or neglected, all animals get a second chance at finding happiness with their forever family. Without support from our donors, sponsors and partners we can't continue this life changing work. Please donate today – give a voice to those who cannot speak for themselves.

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Edison's journey began at the HBSPCA Companion Animal Hospital. After being picked up as a stray and transferred to the shelter by Hamilton Animal Services, Edison was immediately assessed with a broken hind leg. No obvious trauma was visible on this sweet 11-month old kitty and he had no other injuries so vets were unsure as to how his accident happened; many cats who are found wandering stray are actually abandoned. Feral cats who've grown up without a home or human contact can take better care of themselves than a cat like Edison, who was obviously not feral but was found living on the streets, a dangerous place where injuries, starvation and death are the realities street cats face. Edison's leg was so badly broken it had to be amputated. His recovery process was speedy, likely due to his positive and friendly demeanor. In just two

weeks, Edison was rescued from the streets, rehabilitated after major surgery and re-homed to a loving family. Through the whole process he was calm, cool and collected; always happy to give a passing head-butt to anyone who stopped to give him a pet or some chin scratches. Now fully recovered and in his happy forever home, Edison moves around like any other cat, like he's not even missing that fourth leg! He's affectionate and social, loves playing with his toys, and is always happy to make new friends. Edison's story ended happily, thanks to the support of volunteers, staff and donors like you.