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## "Claws for Paws" Crab Feed Fundraiser

## Presented by Akland Pump & Irrigation

**YAKIMA, WA** – The Yakima Humane Society is hosting its' annual "Claws for Paws" Crab Feed on Saturday, February 4<sup>th</sup> at the Harman Senior Center in Yakima.

The fundraising event will include an all you can eat feast of fresh Dungeness crab, baked potatoes with all the fixings and coleslaw. Enjoy an evening full of great food & drink, music and dancing all while supporting the great programs we have at the shelter. Opporutities for great prizes in the Balloon Pop and delectable desserts in the Dessert Frenzy are also on the list of festivities.

"We create a feast featuring delicious freshly caught crab and then add music, games of chance, beer, wine cocktails and dancing to round out the evening for our guests", reports Mike Morrisette, Development Manager for the Yakima Humane Society.

Presented by Akland Pump & Irrigation, the event seeks to raise money to support the homeless cats and dogs at the Yakima Humane Society. "With the snow and frigid conditions we are facing this winter, the need for community support to care for homeless cats and dogs is greater than ever," stated Mr. Morrisette.

**WHEN** – February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017 5:30 pm – 11:00 pm

WHERE – Harman Senior Center 101 N. 65<sup>th</sup> Ave. Yakima, WA 98908

**HOW** – Tickets are still available! We hope that you will considering joining us for a delicious meal and great fun, all to support our community's furry little creatures. Tickets can be purchased online at <a href="www.yakimahumane.org">www.yakimahumane.org</a>, or by calling the shelter at (509) 457-6854. Table sponsorships are also available, please call Mike Morrisette at (509) 426-2686 for more information and reserve your table today.

**ABOUT YAKIMA HUMANE SOCIETY** – The Yakima Humane Society is a 501c3 independent nonprofit organization serving the Yakima County since 1904 as the only open-admission, full-service animal shelter. We provide care for more than 6,000-8,000 animals on an annual basis. Our mission is to end animal suffering and cruelty, reduce animal overpopulation, and educate the public regarding responsible pet ownership while promoting community kindness and commitment to their welfare.