

**House Agriculture, Water & Natural Resources**

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**HB26-1198 Access to Veterinary Care**

**Typed Text of Testimony Submitted**

<b>Name, Position, Representing</b>	<b>Typed Text of Testimony</b>
Ingrid Moore For themselves	<p>I strongly support this bill - PLEASE VOTE YES TO PASS!</p> <p>I think the added benefits this bill will add to veterinary care availability far outweighs the risks that opponents will claim. Licensing those from other states will require equivalent or substantially equivalent licensing requirements as Colorado.</p> <p>The prescription drug donation program will lower costs to pet owners and shelters. When my elderly cat passed away after going through kidney failure, there were several expensive medications, some unused, that I could have donated back to help someone else. The bill defines safety measures to ensure control over these medications.</p> <p>This bill is an important improvement to veterinary care in Colorado. PLEASE VOTE YES!</p>