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On behalf of Pet Partners and the millions of people visited by our registered therapy animal teams each year, I would like to recognize and applaud the efforts of Laurie Patton.

Laurie's leadership and passion led TICA to become the first registry organization to establish a Therapy Cat Title and Recognition Program. Pet Partners is grateful to be the recommended therapy animal organization and official partner of the TICA Therapy Cat Title Program.

Our organizations have the shared goal to increase the number of registered therapy cats, while celebrating the unique contributions that therapy cats and their handlers make to our communities. These special animals and their human handlers have the unique ability to brighten the days of seniors living in nursing homes, motivate patients who are facing health challenges, comfort families who are facing the loss of loved ones, and assist children who may be struggling with literacy challenges or traumatic life experiences.

Together, TICA and Pet Partners are committed to recruiting and supporting additional therapy cat teams so that more lives can be enhanced by the love, comfort and healing that these special animals bring to our community.

Thank you for making this all possible Laurie!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Traci Pryor".

Traci Pryor
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