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RHODE ISLAND PARROT RESCUE ANNOUNCES PLAN TO MOVE TO NEW FACILITY LOCATION

RIPR is hosting a fundraiser to gain the \$65,000 needed to secure a new facility location in West Warwick by September of this year

WARWICK, RI – August 8, 2022 – Rhode Island Parrot Rescue (“RIPR”) has announced that their offer on a new facility location was accepted, with a planned closing date of September 14, 2022.

The property, which boasts 11,616 square feet of space, is located at 173 Washington Street in West Warwick, RI, is in the Arctic Village Redevelopment District. The town is reportedly looking for organizations that will serve a much-needed purpose within the community.

The rescue has been at their current location, at 2141 West Shore Road in Warwick, RI, since 2014, when the organization was formerly known as Lazicki’s Bird House and Rescue. Unfortunately, the rescue has since outgrown the Warwick location.

According to Corrie Butler, Facility Director at Rhode Island Parrot Rescue, “This is the only space we’ve found that covers all facets of our multi-function property need in our price range. Animal housing, retail space, an on-site resident, an educational center, and a veterinary space; we will have it all here.”

The nonprofit launched a public fundraiser in July 2022 to facilitate the move, with a goal set at \$65,000 for the necessary down payment ahead of the closing date. Starting on August 1, 2022, donation matches up to \$17,500 was announced.

For more information about the current fundraiser, visit the donation page at <https://rhodeislandparrotrescueinc.networkforgood.com/projects/163975-the-case-for-space>.

About Rhode Island Parrot Rescue

[Rhode Island Parrot Rescue](#) is the only 501(c)3 nonprofit rescue in the state of Rhode Island to focus exclusively on rescuing, rehabilitating, and re-homing exotic birds to qualified homes for adoption. A small, independent rescue, RIPR houses an average of 60 parrots at any given time and adopts on average up to 85 per year into loving homes.