



DESPERATE HOUSECAT MOCHI A904252



Would you like to adopt a very special cat? **MOCHI** needs a very special home! She has a severe heart murmur and brief ultrasound findings include a ventricular septal defect, very enlarged pulmonary artery, and possible mitral dysplasia. Currently **MOCHI** is doing very well and she had no obvious complications after she was spayed. To know her prognosis and whether or not there is any treatment (medical or surgical), that could help her live longer, **MOCHI** would need to be seen by a veterinary cardiologist. At any time, she could find herself in heart failure, or she could throw a clot to a vital organ. Sudden death could also result from her serious heart condition. **MOCHI**'s family would need to monitor her closely for any changes in breathing, activity level or appetite. We think **MOCHI** is worth the extra effort that adopting her will require! She has a good appetite and is energetic. She loves to snuggle (she's a very affectionate lap cat), and she is playful (her fave is a laser pointer).

- ◆ 1 year old, orange tabby, spayed
- ◆ INTAKE: 5/8/2024
- ◆ Playful and a Lap Cat
- ◆ Deserves a loving home
- ◆ Extremely sweet and affectionate
- ◆ Good with other cats; Unknown with dogs; Probably fine with older children



The adoption fee is **WAIVED** for **MOCHI** and **ALL** Desperate Housecats!
To adopt **MOCHI**, visit www.austintexas.gov/department/adopt-pet
For information about **DESPERATE HOUSECATS**, visit www.desperatehousecats.info and Facebook: **DHCAustin**