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Red Dog Spa & Boutique™ Hires Tracy Smallwood as Lead Groomer

Fairfax, VA, April 24, 2010 - Red Dog Spa & Boutique—Northern Virginia’s only cage-free, upscale pet salon—announced today that it has hired Tracy Smallwood to manage its growing grooming salon. Ms. Smallwood is the former owner of the highly successful Muddy Paws Pet Salon of Bealeton, VA. In her new position, she is responsible for overseeing Red Dog Spa’s grooming operations, including staff and grooming services.

Ms. Smallwood has over 20 years of experience grooming a wide variety of dog and cat breeds. She is also well known for her generosity and support of pet rescue groups in Fauquier county. In her spare time, she is a busy mother, an avid Dressage rider and a pack leader to her own seven dogs.

Red Dog Spa’s Lead Dog, Terri Garretson, said: “Tracy’s industry experience and business savvy will be a tremendous plus for our organization. She is well respected by her peers in the grooming industry and her strong leadership and mentoring skills will help grow our talented staff.”

Red Dog Spa is the first pet spa in Northern Virginia to offer cage-free, “by appointment” pet grooming services. Salon clients enjoy individual suites with cots, bottled water and an option for a light spaw lunch. Bath-and-dash express service and walk-in pawdicures are also available. Focused largely on dogs, Red Dog Spa also offers salon services and products for our feline friends.

Short-term, by-the-hour pet sitting is available during business hours to assist customers who would like to reduce their carbon ‘paw-print’ by walking to the center with their dog. Curbside carry-out is an added customer convenience.

Red Dog Spa & Boutique is conveniently located at the intersection of Route 50 and West Ox Road in Fairfax Towne Center.

About Red Dog Spa

Red Dog Spa provides discerning pet parents with a variety of premium, organic, good-for-your-dog food and treats, stylish apparel, elegant pet accessories, cage-free salon-style grooming and wellness services. For more information about Red Dog Spa & Boutique, visit us on the Web at: www.reddogspa.com—where dogs rule.™