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## The Summit Hotel Sponsors Paws in the Park Event

MADISONVILLE, Ohio (September 8, 2022) – The Summit Hotel is proud to partner with United Pet Fund as the "Best in Show" presenting sponsor for the Paws in the Park event happening on September 24 in Summit Park.

"United Pet Fund is a cause that is near and dear to The Summit family. Anyone who's ever had a pet understands the impact they can have on a person, and even a community. We are proud to once again sponsor Paws in the Park and support UPF's mission to distribute resources and pet supplies to shelters and rescues," says Denise Bayless, general manager of The Summit Hotel.

Anyone who enters The Summit Hotel will likely encounter a golden dog sculpture that captures the legacy of Maxwell, a golden retriever who was a fixture at his owner's side. He loved running errands, riding in convertibles and generally loved everyone around him. When Maxwell succumbed to cancer, his family made a generous donation to UPF in his honor. At that time, UPF was still a small charity, and this donation allowed the team to secure and stock their warehouse distribution center.

To this day, The Summit Hotel continues to support UPF, as the hotel's owner had close ties to Maxwell. Guests can purchase their own mini Maxwell sculpture in the hotel with portions of the proceeds donated to UPF and matched by an anonymous donor.

During the Paws in the Park event, pups and their human companions can enjoy a market filled with pet and non-pet items, pup-centered activities like canine portraits, pup-art activities and a "Yappetizer" bar, stage performances, an agility course, food trucks, fall activities and more.

Paws in the Park will take place on Saturday, September 24 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., and everyone is invited to bring their furry friends and support UPF. Over the years, UPF has benefitted more than 30,000 animals, and they're always looking to help even more.

The Summit Hotel anchors Madison Square, located at the corner of Red Bank Expressway and Madison Road. This fall, the highly anticipated food hall, Element Eatery, will open next door. The 34,500 square foot dining venue will house a variety of local chefs, a 48-tap beer garden and many entertainment opportunities.

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## **About The Summit Hotel**

Named the #5 hotel in Greater Cincinnati by U.S. News & World Report in 2022, The Summit Hotel is an artful experience with 32,600 square feet of indoor and outdoor event space, making it the ideal location for group conferences and collaborative spaces, including 17 meeting rooms







with high-tech amenities and glowing natural light. In 2021, The Summit was voted Best Meeting and Banquet Center and Best Hotel in Ohio Weddings by Cincy Magazine.

Designed by hospitality design firm Hirsch Bedner Associates (HBA), guests enjoy sophisticated amenities including a Rooftop Terrace, state-of-the-art fitness center and yoga studio, Art Gallery, soaring nine-story Atrium, an ultramodern social library, and free Wi-Fi throughout the hotel. A variety of locally sourced dining, featuring house-made cocktails and extensive beer and wine lists, is available at the hotel's Overlook Kitchen + Bar, Brew & Barrel and The Market.

The Summit is a member of the Preferred Hotels & Resorts Lifestyle Collection and is designated a AAA Four Diamond hotel. All guests of The Summit are eligible to enroll in the I Prefer hotel rewards program, which extends points redeemable for cash-value Reward Certificates, elite status, and special benefits such as complimentary Internet to members upon every stay at more than 700 participating Preferred Hotels & Resorts locations worldwide. The Summit is managed by AT Hospitality Group.



