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IACS ASKS THE PUBLIC FOR HELP AFTER CAT FOUND STABBED WITH PLIERS

INDIANAPOLIS – Indianapolis Animal Care Services (IACS) is asking for the community's help in finding the person who injured a cat in a near Southeast side neighborhood.

The unnamed female gray and white short-haired cat was rushed to IACS after a resident who has been feeding the animal found she had been stabbed in the head with a pair of needle-nose pliers.

The shelter's veterinarian was able to remove the pliers and provide emergency care as soon as the cat arrived at IACS. The cat is in critical condition, the next 24 hours will give the medical staff a better idea of the cat's prognosis.

The cat was known to frequent the area surrounding Sandorf Park (State, Minnesota, S. Keystone, E. Raymond). Anyone with information about the cat's injuries is asked to call CrimeStoppers at 317-262-TIPS.

Indianapolis Animal Care Services is focused on improving quality of life by protecting human and animal welfare through the proper promotion of animal stewardship in our city.

Attachments: X-ray of injuries, photo of cat in recovery

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