

## HorseChannel Newswire

**Tennessee may increase penalty for equine neglect; New Hampshire rescue facility shutting down and seeking homes for horses; Arizona horse helps park rangers with rescues**

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### Equine Welfare

#### Lawmaker Wants To Stiffen Penalty For Horse Neglect

It's already a felony to abuse companion animals. Horses could soon be included in that group if a new bill passes, but the piece of legislation is facing opposition from the Farm Bureau. From NewsChannel 5. [Read more >>](#)

#### Horse rescue facility shutting down

The tough economy is forcing a local organization that spent years rescuing homeless, neglected and abuses horses to shut down. From The Union Leader. [Read more >>](#)

### In Other News

#### Young horse learns to live without best friends

A young horse in Hinesburg, Vermont is alive thanks to the friendship of two barnmates, her owners say. From NECN. [Read more >>](#)

#### Street A-rabs might get seized horses back

Seventeen horses, which were seized by the city Health Department in the fall, would be returned to Baltimore's traditional A-rab produce merchants under a deal set to be approved by the city's spending board today. From The Baltimore Sun. [Read more >>](#)

#### Boomer to the rescue: Equine ranger for Fort Bowie and Chiricahua made 7 rescues in 2009

As the sun rises over the Chiricahua Mountains, a lone bay horse stands in his field facing east. From Wilcox Range News. [Read more >>](#)

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