Massachusetts Film Company teams up with German Shepherd Rescue of New England to Present New, Critically-Acclaimed Family Film Saturday, December 10, 2011 at the Showcase Cinemas in Dedham

<u>WHAT</u>: Special fundraising event presentation of New Shepherd FilmsøõFOOTPRINTS: ANGELS ARE REAL. SOME EVEN HAVE FUR.ö--an engaging true story about the power of love to transform lives.

WHEN: Saturday, December 10, 2011 at 10am

WHERE: SHOWCASE CINEMAS DE LUX

670 Legacy Place Dedham, MA 02026

WHO: Cast members and filmmakers expected to attend:

Emma Lancaster-Huggins (Sarah)
Rocket (Cadie) *K9 actor*Jim Huggins (Director/co-Producer)
Russ Dougherty (Director of Photography/co-Producer)

ABOUT: "FOOTPRINTS" is based on the true story of a man who finds the healing power of love only after he lost everything he had valued and given up. It is a true story of a dog who learned to trust and serve only after sheød been abused and discarded as worthless. It is the true story of a journey the two of them took that neither knew would bring them together. But God did. Through His guidance, a man and a dog experience the transformation of being unwanted to becoming cherished. And in the process, they impact lives around them in ways only God could have imagined. New Shepherd Films presents a Huggins/Dougherty Production. The film is directed by Jim Huggins and introduces German Shepherd Rescue of New England alumni Rocket in the lead K9 role! Reviewers and movie-goers alike have all compared Rocket to \pm Rin Tin Tinø, the definitive German Shepherd from the big screen!

This special showing is being hosted by New Shepherd Films in honor of German Shepherd Rescue of New England and the wonderful work they do at finding forever, loving homes for these exceptional dogs. A portion of the proceeds of every ticket will go directly to GSRNE to enable them to continue their labor of love. As seen in the movie, the power of love can save livesô both two and four legs.

"FOOTPRINTS" was filmed in 15 cities and towns across Massachusetts and Rhode Island. The movie features eleven German Shepherds, seven of which are rescued GSDs.

ROCKET, a RESCUED GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG from GERMAN SHEPHERD RESCUE of NEW ENGLAND, makes his debut as the lead K9 actor in this film.

TICKET INFO: Tickets are available for purchase online at www.footprintsmovie.com and click on õshowingsö. Tickets may also be ordered from GSRNE volunteers (payment will be required at time of order). Regular seating is \$10/adult and \$7/child and senior (65+). Lux level (Seating is limited to only 50!) is \$15/adult and \$12/senior (the theater will not allow children in the Lux level). Tickets are non-refundable.

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