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It is with great pleasure and happiness that I am able to announce after 21 years FTEA has a new home to call our own. During the past year, the FTEA members of the board of directors and staff, along with the assistance of legal and real estate professionals, have collaborated on an extensive search for a suitable home to accommodate our therapeutic horseback riding program.

This ideal property was secured in unincorporated DuPage county, a short distance from our current location. Situated on over 5 acres and just minutes from Route 59, FTEA will be moving to 4N681Munger Road, Wayne, IL. A beautiful and spacious indoor arena will facilitate our riding sessions with ease, and with a clear view of our nearby lush, green pastures.

Like any new home owner, as we make our transition to the new stable we will have some home improvement projects along the way. We will be counting on our "FTEA family" to pitch in and help wherever your expertise will allow. With the transition in mind, the last day of Summer Session, August 19<sup>th</sup>, will be canceled. A makeup lesson will be provided at a later date for those Saturday program participants. On August 19<sup>th</sup>, our larger possessions will be loaded onto a delivery truck and moved to the Munger Road stable; help will be needed that day in full force.

The start of the Fall Session will be delayed until Tuesday, September 12<sup>th</sup>. Time will be needed to execute the entire move, and to provide an adjustment period for our horses to acclimate to their new surroundings. Fall Session registration will be distributed immediately with a new program participant friendly schedule. There may be an opportunity to modify your riding time if needed.

I ask that you please contain your excitement and refrain from visiting the new property except on designated project days which we will arrange, or the start of the Fall Session. While the property is in a transition period we do not wish to encroach on the current residents as they relocate from the property.

Please join us as we look forward to a new home - an outstanding finale to 2017 - and to an even better 2018!

Very truly yours,

Jim Winkelman  
FTEA President