

ANIMAL RESCUE LEAGUE of BOSTON



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Family of Geese Rescued Atop WGBH Building *Fourth Straight Year Geese Have Nested on Rooftop*

It's become a late-May tradition for the Animal Rescue League of Boston's (ARL) Rescue Services Department – a family of geese nesting on the roof of the WGBH building in Brighton needing to be rescued and relocated.

The rescue unfolded around 11 this morning, as ARL rescue agents, armed with bread, corralled the adult geese and rounded up the five goslings. The animals were placed into crates and prepared to be relocated.

Once off the rooftop, ARL transported and released the family into the Charles River, off Greenough Blvd., at the base of the Eliot Bridge behind the American Legion post.

Protecting the safety of the goslings is at the crux of this rescue. Goslings can't fly, so aside from falling over the edge, if something happens to their parents, they are unable to get off the roof on their own and would have no access to a food source. ARL responds to several rooftop geese rescues each and every spring.

STILL PHOTOS AND RAW VIDEO IN BELOW LINK:

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/siub3g0vc0ivwec/AADthONsCoL0f5Kc8isa1M-Qa?dl=0>

ABOUT THE ANIMAL RESCUE LEAGUE OF BOSTON:

The Animal Rescue League of Boston (ARL) is an unwavering champion for animals in need, committed to keeping them safe and healthy in habitats and homes. Founded in 1899, ARL provides high quality veterinary care, adoption, and rescue services; while also confronting the root causes of animal cruelty and neglect through

innovative community programs, police investigations, and public advocacy. In 2017, ARL served more than 18,000 animals throughout Massachusetts. ARL is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization. We receive no government funding and rely solely on the generosity of individuals to support programs and services that help animals in need. For more information please visit us online at www.arlboston.org; and be sure to follow us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#).

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