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Goodbye 2022

Local trans couple and cat happy to see the end of the year.

They said it couldn't be done but it happened. Cass Casarez and Addie Chernow have made it through what was yet another unprecedented year. The couple and their cat Finn are thrilled by this, though they say they're tired of living through these truly extraordinary times.

Here's just a glimpse at what happened this year.

Cass

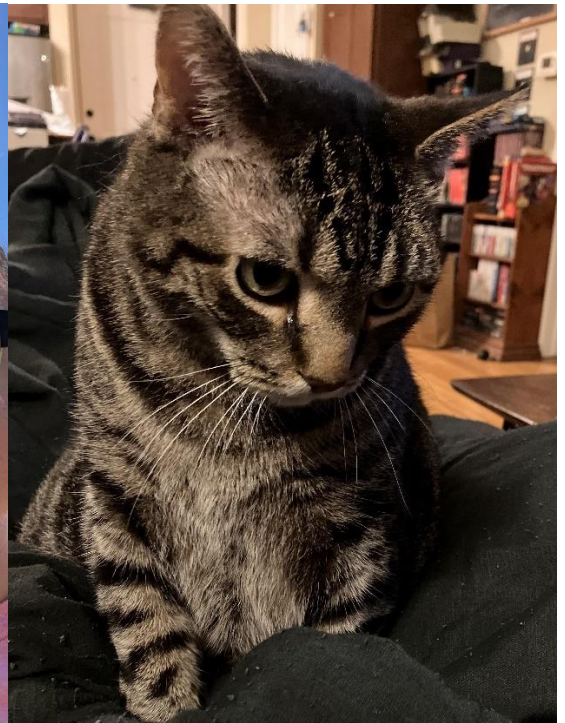
Despite their thoughts suggesting otherwise, 2022 was not a wasted year for Cass Casarez - far from it. Mx. Casarez, 33, started the year in a software engineering bootcamp before obtaining a Google IT Support Professional Certificate in October (yes, the one from the commercials). They are currently looking for full-time work while doing freelance web design.

Mx. Casarez continued to develop their love of video game speedrunning this year. They got to go to their first in-person Games Done Quick event in the summer where they helped behind-the-scenes and met some online friends. They also got in two marathons of their own by playing a Dora the Explorer video game. Stay tuned to see what they'll play next.

And most important of all, 2022 was also Mx. Casarez's first full year on testosterone, and they love who they're becoming more and more each day.



Addie & Cass



Finnegan

Addie

Addie Chernow continued her greatness in all ways possible in 2022. Ms. Chernow reached an important milestone in June when she turned 40 (yes really). She also obtained another regional Emmy nomination for her continued stellar work in the director chair. Ms. Chernow completed a successful eleventy-year run as the director of Esme Murphy's Sunday Morning political show this year as well. She continued volunteering her time at Free Geek Twin Cities when her schedule allowed and when she's gotten enough sleep. Ms. Chernow has been the most supportive and wonderful partner and cat mom and we hope she can continue to grow herself in 2023.

Finn

Finnegan the cat has had a tough year adjusting to his parents' new schedules but has made sure they hear about his struggles when they come home. Mr. Cat, 11, has gotten closer to his stepdad Mx. Casarez this year which pleases Ms. Chernow, even when he decides to sleep with them instead of her. Mr. Cat hopes to remain the only pet floof in the house next year.

From everyone at the Caddie House Post-Times-Tribune-Leader, we wish you all a happy holidays and a merry new year.



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Of all the inventions over the past 100 years, the dry erase board has to be the most remarkable.

