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Moozie the Cow is as kind as can be. Not one other creature is kinder than she. She gently played with Rainbow the calf one morning when the mail arrived. Farmer Ted went to check it.

“Moozie, there is something for you!” Farmer Ted called from the mailbox. At the sound of her name, Moozie ran to Farmer Ted, careful not to step on anything. Farmer Ted handed her an envelope.

The paper inside said,

Dear Moozie,

My name is Talia, and I need your help! Please come to 154 Attle Road in Nevergreen City.

Sincerely,

Talia

“Hmmm ... I wonder what is wrong, said Moozie. “It would be kind to help Talia.” And so Moozie, Rainbow, and Farmer Ted drove off to Nevergreen City in their truck.

Before the three even saw the city, Moozie could smell the horrible stench of Nevergreen City. It was terrible! And while Moozie wouldn't say it out loud, she already see, er, smell why Talia wrote. Soon, they entered the city.

In the city, they found Attle Road. Farmer Ted knocked on the door of house 154, and Talia opened the door. “Thank you all for coming!” Talia said hopefully.

“We're happy to help, but what should we do?” asked Rainbow. Everyone thought.

Then Moozie peeked curiously into a trash can. It was empty except for an apple core.

“THAT'S IT!” Moozie mooed happily. [Colin would like to animate this phrase in a picture.]

“What do you mean?” asked Talia.

“We can use the trash cans to pick up the trash!” Moozie replied.

“That might be a bad idea,” said Rainbow. “We don't know where that stuff's been.”

“Hmmm... Ah! I have just the thing in the truck!” said Farmer Ted, getting gloves and grabbers from the truck.

Once they finished Attle Road, the team cheered! Then they saw the rest of the town.

“We'll never finish now!” moaned Talia. “No way, no how!!”

“We shouldn’t give up,” said Moozie. “Maybe we should get help from the city.”

“Great idea, Moozie! But how?” asked Talia.

“Don’t worry, Talia, I have a plan,” assures Moozie.

Moozie walked and walked, all the way to town square,

And slowly but surely began to fill up with air,

And once Moozie’s body was a giant sphere,

A small sound let out, at first hard to hear.

Then the sound became louder and louder still

Until it was very high and super shrill

The population came out, hearing the sound that was new

The sound Moozie had made, the sound known as

MOOOOOO! [Colin would like to animate this word in a picture.]

When Moozie’s moo stopped, all the people walked toward her asking questions. Then Talia came out and explained the problem. The townsfolk realized that their city was a mess and decided to help.

Finally, the whole city was clean, and the townsfolk cheered for Moozie.

“Hip, hip Hooray for Moozie!”

And so, Moozie and Talia shared their goodbyes.

“Goodbye, Moozie,” said Talia.

“Goodbye, Talia,” said Moozie. “If you ever need help, feel free to ask us.”

And so Moozie, Rainbow, and Farmer Ted leave Nevergreen City. ...

... though Moozie felt the need to change the name.

**About the Author:**

Colin Barca is a twelve-year-old with a heart of bronze, maybe silver. He wanted to create a book for fun, though he has no experience.

**About Farmer Ted:**

Yes, Farmer Ted is real, and he created the Moozie brand! He is very kind, and he was very happy to let Colin make a Moozie book.

**Back of the Book:**

When Moozie, Rainbow, and Farmer Ted get a letter from someone named Talia asking for help, they know they have to help her! Can Moozie and friends cleanup Nevergreen City? Or is it too much of a mess?