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## SPCA Florida hosts the 27th Annual Auction for Animals

Lakeland, FL— SPCA Florida will host its much anticipated 27th Annual Auction for Animals on Saturday, November 16th, 2019 at Haus 820 in Downtown Lakeland. The theme for this year's auction is Mission Impawsible and attendees are encouraged to have fun dressing up in spy wear for the event. This festive affair will include a silent auction, sit down dinner, live auction, raffle and bar. The auction is sponsored by Publix Super Markets Charities, Anne Watkins, The Carol and Barney Barnett Family within the GiveWell Community Foundation, and many other generous supporters.

"This may be our best Auction for Animals to date," stated Shelley Thayer, Executive Director, SPCA Florida. "We've changed up our event to add a few fun surprises, and we are serving a delicious threecourse dinner provided by Terrie Lobb Catering. For anyone who wants to help Polk County's homeless animals, you won't want to miss this fun filled evening," said Thayer.

Every year SPCA Florida offers a unique 1 in 1000 chance to win \$5,000 cash or a choice of five fabulous vacations. Winner's Choice tickets are one for \$50 or three for \$100 and can be purchased by calling 863.577.4603 or visiting spcaflorida.org/auction.

SPCA Florida's goal is to raise over \$300,000 to care for the more than ten thousand homeless dogs and cats in our community. To learn more and to purchase tickets, visit https://spcaflorida.ticket.qtego.net/tickets/list

## About SPCA Florida

Founded in 1979, SPCA Florida is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization headquartered in Lakeland, serving all of Polk County and the surrounding communities. Dedicated to improving the lives of pets and people, SPCA Florida provides caring, compassion and hope to more than 4,000 homeless animals entering our doors each year.

Simplistically, every \$100 donated to SPCA Florida, or essentially the cost of an average adoption, equates to \$3,000 worth of positive economic impact throughout Polk County, Central Florida, and the state. Additionally, we are proud of the fact that 91% of every dollar goes to program resources and helping homeless animals.

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