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SPCA gives the gift of free spay/neuter for cats

Charlottesville, Virginia: The SPCA is giving the community yet one more gift this Holiday Season. After offering incredible adoption specials, the SPCA is now offering to spay or neuter cats for free for low to middle income Charlottesville-Albemarle residents in certain local zip codes. Executive Director, Susanne Kogut, explained, “it is quite simple, we looked at where most of our kittens come from and we are targeting our spay/neuter efforts in those areas. With this gift of spay/neuter, we hope everyone caring for a cat in these zip codes will contact us to get it altered.” The SPCA is able to offer this free spay/neuter service due to a donated funds specifically for spay/neuter. Kogut stated that “the SPCA is targeting its spay/neuter programs by identifying a segment of the community with a critical need for low-cost spay/neuter services. Strategic ongoing spay/neuter programs are the answer to reduce the cat and kitten overpopulation.”

The SPCA urges anyone with a cat in the following zip codes (22901, 22902, 22903, 22911, 22932 and 24590) to go to the SPCA’s website at caspca.org and fill out a spay/neuter application. Priority in returning phone calls will be given to those that have already filled out an application.

The mission of the Charlottesville-Albemarle SPCA is to provide a safe and nurturing environment for the lost, abandoned, and homeless animals of the City of Charlottesville and the County of Albemarle and to increase the number of these animals being placed in appropriate, loving, and permanent homes through adoptions, foster care, and outreach, and to set a standard of excellence and leadership in shelter animal care, humane education, and progressive animal welfare programs. For more information about the SPCA call 434-973-5959 or visit our website at www.caspca.org.

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