

2011 Annual Report

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MISSION STATEMENT

The Seattle Animal Shelter Foundation supports the programs and initiatives of the Seattle Animal Shelter by engaging our community, increasing awareness and raising funds.

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Dear Friends,

As I reflect back on the past year, what a year it has been!

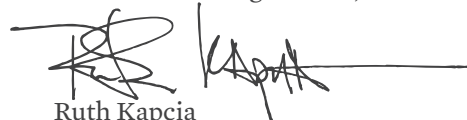
It has been very exciting to see so many animal lovers in our community come together to help us support the Seattle Animal Shelter. **Without your generosity, we would not be able to provide additional financial help to the shelter to care for the many animals in need.**

In 2011, the Seattle Animal Shelter Foundation (SASF) granted \$72,000 to the shelter to help pay for spay and neuter assistance for low income families, adoption events for special needs animals, and dog houses for animals left outside in inclement weather. A grant from the Seattle Animal Shelter Foundation also funded training for Shelter staff and volunteers to ensure the ongoing success of its outreach programs.

Your trust in us to be good stewards with your donations has allowed us to have a positive impact on the animals and community we all love.

We look forward to having an even greater impact in the future in partnership with you and our many supporters. As you read the information in this report, I hope you will see how your investment has helped the animals at the Shelter, and how your continuing support can help them in the coming year. Together we can and will make a positive difference in their lives.

With thanks and gratitude,



Ruth Kapcia
President, SASF Board of Directors



Ruth Kapcia



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THANK YOU Donors and Volunteers!

Over 200 individuals and businesses supported the Seattle Animal Shelter Foundation in its first full year of operation, and volunteers gave over 23,000 hours of service to the Shelter. With your support, hundreds of dogs, cats, and critters were rescued, restored to health, and placed into loving homes.

Financials

REVENUE

Individual Donations: \$18,949
Event Income: \$83,030
In Kind Donations: \$883
TOTAL REVENUE: \$102,861

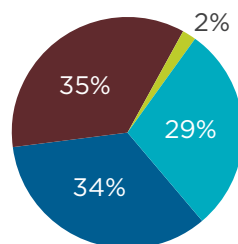
Value of Auction
Items Donated: \$52,290

EXPENSES

Grants to Shelter: \$72,000
Event Expenses: \$15,870
Administration: \$5,027
Total Expenses: \$92,897

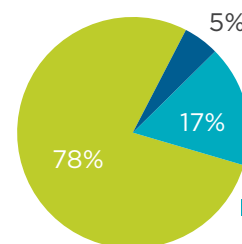
NET ASSETS: \$9,964

GRANTS TO THE SHELTER



- 29% Training & Outreach
- 35% Spay & Neuter
- 34% Adoption Events
- 2% Doghouses

FOUNDATION EXPENSES



- 17% Event Expenses
- 78% Grants to Shelter
- 5% Administrative Costs

2011 Seattle Animal Shelter Achievements

CATS ADOPTED: **1,271**
REUNITED WITH FAMILY: **91**

CRITTERS ADOPTED: **259**
REUNITED WITH FAMILY: **10**

DOGS ADOPTED: **557**
REUNITED WITH FAMILY: **539**



Jack

Ginger

Queenie

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Your Gifts Support:

ANIMAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

The Seattle Animal Shelter Spay and Neuter Clinic prevents pet over-population by providing low-cost spay and neuter surgeries. A grant from SASF paid for 304 spay and neuter surgeries for pets whose human companions could not afford the service. SASF funds also paid for 185 microchips and 325 vaccinations for animals in need. Clinic services are available to all individuals regardless of income or place of residence.

SPONSORED ADOPTIONS

The Seattle Animal Shelter takes in thousands of animals every year. Some require ongoing medical care or behavioral training; some just don't spark the interest of adopters because of their age, color or breed. SASF helps to promote adoption of these overlooked animals by subsidizing adoption fees. To date, SASF has sponsored adoption fees for 239 cats, 7 dogs and 1 rabbit.

OUTREACH AND TRAINING

In 2011, 726 shelter cats and 96 shelter dogs were cared for in foster homes. The special people in this all-volunteer program provide food, exercise, and a quiet place for these animals to be until they find their forever homes. They help animals recovering from illness or injury and train dogs that have not been well-socialized. With a grant from SASF, 100 foster parents and Shelter volunteers received training on how to work with fearful, stressed dogs. Shelter staff also received training in animal cruelty investigation and innovative programming with assistance from SASF.

Donate:

YOUR GIFTS CHANGE LIVES. Please consider donating by either:

> RETURNING THE ENCLOSED ENVELOPE

> SCANNING AND DONATING



Thank You!