



The 2019 Spay & Neuter Fundraiser was a huge success. Almost \$23,000 was raised and nearly 300 people attended this fourth annual event. For our 5th year, we want to break all the records!! To do that, we ask that you join us in this effort.

There are two possible ways to support. As a sponsor of the event with a cash donation and/or a silent auction donation. Douglas County Humane Society is a 501(c)3 charity and our Federal Tax ID is 58-1246675. We can also provide an IRS letter if necessary.

Silent Auction/Estate Sale

Items do not need to be dog or cat related. We are happy to promote your donation on our social media platforms of website, Facebook, Instagram and Twitter. We will have some items for auction and other items for sale. Please let us know if your item can only be used in auction. 2019 we raised \$5000 and we want to break that record in 2020!

Cash Sponsorship

We offer increasing benefits across Blue Ribbon \$100, Best in Breed \$500, Best in Class \$1000, Best in Show \$1500, and Grand Champion \$2500. A representative would be happy to sit down with you and discuss. Last year we were short by one month for Douglas County Animal Service surgeries. We would love to have that fully funded and begin work on 2021. Let's grow together!

How is the Money Spent?

It's important that we are transparent with you on how your financial support is used. First, we have no expense for the venue. The only costs other than very small incidentals are rentals, food and entertainment. *Every penny after these bills are paid goes to spaying and neutering dogs and cats* through the Douglas County Animal Services (DCAS) and the Humane Society (DCHS).

How is Your Contribution Used?

In-house surgeries are completed at DCAS weekly and 582 dogs and cats have been sterilized before adoption 2019. Through community engagement, DCHS has gone from 12 pets sterilized to 111 pets in just one year. DCHS continues to promote state-of-the-art medical equipment to meet all the shelter animal needs. Along with neutered adoptions from the shelter, feral cat colonies are being trapped, neutered and released rather than being euthanized. The "Barn Cat" Program is an established success.

The Fundraiser Party

Getting back to the party, our goal is to have this event be a feature date in everyone's April calendar for many years to come. **This year, the date is SATURDAY, APRIL 25TH, from 6PM to 10PM at the Deer Lick Gym.**

Can the Dogs and Cats Count on You?

We hope to include your sponsorship and that you and your employees will be at the table this fun evening. We hope you will be able to donate items for our Silent Auction/Estate Sale.

The broad base of support from the Douglas County business community, large and small, has been essential to moving Douglas county forward. On behalf of Douglas County Animal Services and the Douglas County Humane Society we want you to know how important *and effective* your help is.

You believe that animals deserve compassion and good quality of life. You also love your community and want to act on behalf of the pets and people in it. This is the way!

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