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## SPCA Florida Receives \$4,200 Empower Polk Grant from the GiveWell Community Foundation

Lakeland FL - SPCA Florida has been awarded an Empower Polk grant of \$4,200 from the GiveWell Community Foundation for its "Printer/Scanner for SPCA Florida's Medical Center" needs.

GiveWell Community Foundation's Empower Polk grant cycle aims to help local nonprofits invest in their organization's efficiency and sustainability. Funding from the Empower Polk grant will allow SPCA Florida to strengthen its efficiency in the Medical Center.

With the purchase of Canon DX C357iF Copier, SPCA Florida will be able to reach a new level of operating effectiveness. This improvement to SPCA Florida's Medical Center will enhance time management for the staff, reduce client wait times, strengthen internal capacity, and better serve the community.

The Medical Center is open six days a week, and we need to be efficient to maintain low-cost high-quality care.

SPCA Florida is grateful for the opportunity to give our communities animals a long life of unconditional love to the families who care for them.

## **About GiveWell Community Foundation**

The mission of the GiveWell Community Foundation (GWCF) is to champion charitable giving to improve the quality of life in the areas we serve, both now and for future generations. We accomplish this by working with individuals, families, businesses, and nonprofits to build stronger communities in Polk, Hardee, and Highlands counties through charitable funds and competitive grant cycles. Since its founding in 1997, the community foundation has awarded more than \$230 million in grants. Today, GWCF is home to more than 300 charitable funds and the Impact Polk and Empower Polk grant cycles. To learn more about GWCF, visit givecf.org or call 863-683-3131.

## **About SPCA Florida**

Founded in 1979, SPCA Florida exists to eliminate animal suffering and engage the entire community in the welfare and well-being of animals. SPCA Florida will help and heal 20,000 dogs and cats through its SPCA Florida Animal Medical Center and provide direct care for 6,500 animals through its Adoption Center this year. Ani-Meals and Food Assistance Programs, provide food and medical care for animals of homebound families and families who need supplemental food for thousands of dogs and cats each year.

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