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## SPCA Florida – Kittens Hitch A Ride to Lakeland

Lakeland, FL—Kittens, three weeks of age, were surrendered to SPCA Florida after hitching a ride on a semi-truck from Miami to Lakeland.

A 53 foot semi-truck hauling a storage unit from Miami to Herc Rentals in Lakeland had four small surprises waiting for them as they unloaded.

As the crew from Herc Rental carefully maneuvered a forklift to lift the storage unit off the truck bed, four little kitten heads popped up from a pocket in the truck bed – something that they don't see every day while unloading trucks.

The mother cat could have placed the kittens in the truck bed in Miami or the truck did make a stop at a repair facility for a day while enroute. Either way, the kittens had a sightseeing tour of Florida before making their way to Lakeland.

Two of the kittens found their forever home with a Herc Rental employee and two kittens were surrendered to SPCA Florida.

The surrendered kittens are in foster care being bottle fed and are thriving. Once they are old enough to be spayed or neutered they will be placed up for adoption.

SPCA Florida is asking for financial, foster, and adoption support. To help, go online at <a href="https://www.spcaflorida.org">www.spcaflorida.org</a> and donate, foster or check out our available dogs and cats.

## **About SPCA Florida**

Founded in 1979, SPCA Florida is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization headquartered in Lakeland. Dedicated to improving the lives of pets and people in the community, SPCA Florida provides caring, compassion and hope to more than 6,000 homeless animals entering our doors each year. Open to the public, our McClurg Animal Medical Center is a state-of-the-art veterinary facility that heals and helps 50,000 patients annually. Thousands more pets and people are served through our community outreach and education programs.

