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The Colorado Humane Society & SPCA Bringing Animal Welfare Investigations to Underserved Areas of Colorado

DENVER (November 29, 2010) – Good news for dogs, cats and horses living on the Eastern plains... a new Colorado-based organization is bringing animal welfare investigations to several underserved areas of the state. In August, the Colorado Commission of Agriculture approved three Bureau of Animal Protection agents through the new Colorado Humane Society & SPCA.

The Colorado Humane Society & SPCA will work with local law enforcement and government agencies to investigate and prevent the cruelty and neglect of companion animals and horses (excluding livestock) within the state. In addition, its mission is to serve as an advocate for animals through education. The Colorado Humane Society & SPCA is an independent, Colorado-based nonprofit organization not funded or managed by national advocacy groups or government agencies.

“We are honored to assist local law enforcement and the Colorado Bureau of Animal Protection (BAP) in protecting companion animals and horses in counties that are not served by BAP agents,” says Duane Adams, Associate Director for the Colorado Humane Society & SPCA. “If you suspect cruelty or neglect involving dogs, cats or horses, we encourage you to file a report with the Colorado Humane Society & SPCA.”

The Colorado Humane Society & SPCA will provide animal welfare investigations to the following counties:

- Bent
- Crowley
- Fremont
- Huerfano
- Kiowa
- Kit Carson
- Las Animas
- Lincoln

- Otero
- Phillips
- Prowers
- Washington
- Yuma

For more information on the Colorado Humane Society & SPCA or to report animal cruelty or neglect, contact the Colorado Humane Society & SPCA at info@chs.org, (800) 249-5121, or visit www.coloradohumane.org.

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