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Dear FoCCAS Supporter,

Great things are happening in Colleton County!

On behalf of the entire FoCCAS Board of Directors, thank you for your support during the past year. No matter your level of involvement, you are part of the team helping the animals of Colleton County.

This year has brought many changes to FoCCAS and Colleton County Animal Services. The county added a position for a rescue/adoption coordinator. FoCCAS volunteers previously oversaw some of these duties. FoCCAS now promotes volunteering and supplements the budget for spay/neuter, vaccines, and medicines. The close relationship between FoCCAS and CCAS has grown stronger and we are accomplishing more than ever.

In the last few months, several animals came into the shelter needing to see an outside vet specialist. FoCCAS paid for these visits. Each of these pets went on to rescue or were adopted. The most "famous" of the shelter animals was Serenity. She arrived at the shelter with gunshot wounds. The staff thought she might need her front leg amputated. FoCCAS agreed to pay the bill, but Dr. Bianucci of Veterinary Specialty Care was able to save her leg. All this was captured on National Geographic Wild's Animal ER Live. Serenity's plight was broadcast across the United States!

FoCCAS continues to offer community spay/neuter initiatives to reduce the number of unwanted litters of puppies and kittens who might end up in the shelter. Our Colleton Animal Commitment Education team again reached 4<sup>th</sup> graders across Colleton County teaching responsible pet ownership.

FoCCAS turns 10 years old in October and we THANK YOU for the success we've had. Your support helped us grow into a team of dedicated volunteers making a difference in the lives of the animals in Colleton County.

As you can see, we were able to accomplish a great deal because of members like you, and we can continue to do more over the next twelve months! We hope that you will support our efforts by renewing your FoCCAS membership. Your support is truly appreciated.

For the Animals,

Billie Clark,  
Membership Chairperson