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ABOUT ANIMAL HOPE UGANDA

Animal Hope Uganda is a 501(3) non-profit organization registered in the United States and in Uganda as charity, since 2020. It was born out of community concern for animals living in cruelty, abandoned and with passion for animals and educating communities where animal welfare and rights are not primary concern.

In Uganda: Animal Hope Uganda limited is a registered charity. (Non-Governmental Organization). Our registration number in Uganda is BRS 9-20/586.

Mission and Vision

Our Mission is to enhance the lives of all animals in need, and to create a holistic society where all animals are treated humanely: We believe in a world where people treat animals with respect, empathy and understanding. To move continuously closer to such a reality, Animal hope Uganda consistently follows its mission of revealing inappropriate and life-threatening conditions for animals under direct human influence, rescuing animals in need and protecting them..

Animal hope Uganda is actively committed to the humane treatment of stray dogs and cats, as well as to better living conditions for animals.

Animal hope Uganda takes a problem-solving approach and offers animals in distress swift and direct aid. Its aim is also to achieve and establish changes in politics, society and the economy that will benefit animals – through projects, campaigns, missions, partnerships and education.

PROGRAMS ASSESSMENT AND ACHIEVEMENTS

Dog welfare and population management program;

We managed to carry out Animal population management through Neutering and Spraying in several villages. Whereas over 977 animals were sprayed, 321 Dogs and cats were neutered. This is very important to prevent countless unwanted puppies from being thrown away.

Puppies suffer from a variety of physical and emotional ailments, often stemming from early health vulnerabilities, poor living conditions, or premature separation from their mothers. Understanding the specific ways they suffer is essential for identifying distress and providing proper care.



Physical Suffering and Illnesses

- **Fading Puppy Syndrome:** Newborns are highly vulnerable in their first weeks of life. They can suffer from rapid weakness, hypothermia, low blood sugar, and umbilical infections, which can tragically lead to death.

- **Infectious Diseases:** Because their immune systems are immature, puppies are highly susceptible to deadly and painful viruses like Parvovirus and Distemper. These cause severe gastrointestinal and respiratory distress.
- **Parasites and Neglect:** Puppies reared in poor environments (such as puppy mills) frequently suffer from internal parasites, ear infections, painful eye conditions, and severe matting or skin issues.

Behavioral and Emotional Distress

- **Early Separation Trauma:** Separating puppies from their mother and littermates before they are fully weaned (typically before 8 weeks of age) can cause immense emotional trauma. This deprivation limits their ability to learn critical social cues and self-control, leading to life-long issues.
- **Separation Anxiety:** Puppies are social animals that naturally rely on their pack. Being left alone can cause a severe stress response, leading to pacing, trembling, crying, and destructive behaviors because they feel terrified.

Rabies Vaccination,

We organized static health camps and vaccinated 833 dogs and 258 cats against rabies to save the lives of dogs and prevent infection to the population. It's paramount to note that unvaccinated animals roaming in towns are suspected of spreading rabies, we have seen victim dogs beaten severely or killed after reports of dog bites.



School Children Education program;

We educated and trained Students and staff at makulubita Church of Uganda Primary School, kalasa AL NOOR Moslem School and Ssanga vocational training institute on how to be responsible, respectful and kind to animals to reduce dog bites and make them aware of rabies, responsible dog ownership, to prevent abandonment of puppies and mass poisoning of homeless dogs. We also offered advisory services to them, answered community queries concerning their animals in order to promote animal welfare. We also sensitized them on animal birth control methods to reduce over proliferation.



Hope Nourish Relief

We were unable to reach out to a relatively bigger audience this year donating free dog and Cat food to over 883 households. Giving out free food to struggling pet owners is vital for keeping beloved animals out of overcrowded shelters and ensuring vulnerable families stay together. It alleviates economic burdens, allowing owners facing financial hardship to allocate their limited resources toward housing, utilities, and human food rather than surrendering their pets



Through the Hope Nourish Program, we have managed to achieve the following

1. Improve Animal Health

Consistent access to balanced, high-quality food keeps pets healthy and energetic. Organizations and food pantries supply nutrient-rich meals that support digestion and immunity, ensuring that even underfunded pets can thrive.

2. Prevent Pet Surrender

When pet owners fall on hard times, the cost of proper nutrition can become overwhelming. Free pet food pantries directly reduce shelter intake by preventing owners

from having to make the heartbreaking choice to give up their animals due to economic hardship.

3. Protect the Owner's Well-Being

Pets provide critical companionship, purpose, and comfort. Many struggling individuals, including those experiencing homelessness, will routinely sacrifice their own meals and personal safety to ensure their pets are fed. Donating pet food ensures that caregivers do not have to choose between their own survival and the health of their furry companions.

4. Alleviate Financial Strain

Caring for a pet involves compounding expenses. By removing the immediate cost of dog cat food, these donations ease the household budget, giving owners a better chance to stabilize their financial situations or transition into permanent housing.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT 2024

INCOME

	UGANDA SHILLINGS	US DOLLARS
Charity Shops	3,341,000	902.97
Local Donors	4,271,000	1154.32
International Donors	10,888,027	2942.71
TOTAL	18,500,027	5000

EXPENDITURE

Facility maintenance and food costs	10,539,000	2848.37
Vaccinations and Sterilization	3,805,000	1028.37
Treatments	2,987,000	807.29
TOTAL	17,331,000	4684.03

DONORS & SPONSORS

Thank you

Without the generous support of our donors and sponsors we would not be able to realize our vision and increase our impact. Thank you for helping Animal Hope Uganda to fulfill its mission and for assisting to sustain our critical animal welfare and outreach programs in 2024.

Special thanks goes to all our donors both local and international, for your continued support to the animal hope. We have reached this far because of you. We are extremely grateful.

Our future is bright, each year more and more people get to know about us and our helping hand has reached villages. Our priority is still on transport and taking our services to a broader community, we need reliable means of transport to respond to emergencies and also extend all other programs.

Your donation goes directly to support the animal's nutrition. Donations are used to provide medical care, purchase necessary supplies such as deworming, Flea powder, and equipment. With as little as \$2, you can feed an animal or monthly donations of \$30 can feed an Animal for 3 meals a day.

We pay local vet visits to spray and neuter and carry out age-appropriate vaccinations. We do welcome foster families to donate time and to help improve the quality of life at the shelter.



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