



Dear Supporter,

SpayMart will hold its 8th “Stars and Strays” **Spring Gala and Auction** on Saturday, May 15, 2010 from 7-11 P.M. This year’s event will be held at the Soniat-Duffosat Plantation House, home of Dr. and Mrs. Tim Pettitt. We will offer delicious food, an open bar, music and unique and exciting auction items. This yearly fundraiser provides a substantial percentage of SpayMart’s operating funds which allow us to continue to provide low-cost spay/neuter and adoption services for the homeless animals of New Orleans.

Thanks to supporters like you, our last auction was highly successful and we were able to offer over 200 items. We are again seeking your help in procuring donations of art, merchandise, services, jewelry, etc.

Could you please contact your generous contributors of past years as well as new donors? A donation packet, consisting of a letter which can be presented to prospective donors, a copy of the event flyer and a donation form, is enclosed. Forms and other information are also posted online at www.spaymart.org. Please feel free to make copies of the forms or give the web site address to the donor.

It helps us greatly if forms are filled out completely and correctly. All of the info is very important. If you leave the donation form with a prospective donor, please follow up with a repeat visit and/or a phone call. We would like for all donation forms to be collected by **May 1, 2010**. Later donations may not make it into this year’s auction. Remember, you can always call the numbers listed below and on the donation form with questions or help with pick-ups.

Please be sure to thank donors generously for contributing to the very important work that SpayMart does for homeless animals in the New Orleans area. On behalf of the animals who will benefit from your kindness we thank you for being a part of this event. For more information you can call (601) 749-0268 or (504) 669-7600 (email: lavaluv@cox.net auction questions only).

Most sincerely,

Lynn Chiche, President