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The SPCA is Celebrating Seven Years As a No Kill Community With the Freedom Adoption Special

Charlottesville, Virginia: Maintaining Charlottesville/Albemarle as a No Kill Community for the last seven years is an incredible achievement that requires the effort and commitment of a large group of supporters. To celebrate this milestone, the Charlottesville-Albemarle SPCA is holding the Freedom Adoption Special to thank the community for their continuing support. From July 1st through July 14th the SPCA is waiving its adoption fees for all regularly priced adult dogs and cats. This means adopters can take home an adult cat or dog for FREE from the SPCA, the SPCA Rummage Store and Purrin' at Pantops.* The best part is knowing that by adopting you have saved a life! In addition, your free pet will have received services normally costing hundreds of dollars like spay/neuter, age appropriate vaccinations, de-worming, FIV/Felv testing, plus you will receive a free medical exam from participating vets, an ID tag, a free animal behavior CD and a lifetime of priceless companionship and fun.

“Charlottesville/Albemarle is a great, safe place to be a pet thanks to the SPCA’s thousands of supporters,” says Director of Marketing and Development, Lisa Lane. “Maintaining our No Kill community for the last seven years has been no easy task—it takes a community of animal lovers who support the SPCA annually by volunteering, adopting, fostering and donating. We are so grateful for this support and this adoption special is our way of saying thank you.”

The Charlottesville-Albemarle SPCA is a non-profit animal welfare organization whose mission is to provide a safe and nurturing environment for the lost, abandoned and

homeless animals of the City of Charlottesville and Albemarle County. The SPCA sets a standard of excellence in animal care, humane education and animal welfare programs. Since embarking on a No Kill mission in 2005, the SPCA has found homes for more than 24,000 animals; spay/neutered over 41,000 animals; provided life-saving medical care for more than 16,000 animals; and reunited more than 5,000 lost pets with their owners. For more information about the SPCA's life-saving programs call 434-973-5959 or visit our website at www.caspca.org. The SPCA's main adoption center is located at 3355 Berkmar Drive in Charlottesville and is open seven days a week from Noon– 6 PM.