



RECIPIENTS NAMED FOR ANIMAL SHELTER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Lexington, KY – August 22, 2018– The Kentucky Cattlemen’s Foundation on Wednesday, announced the 6 winners of the Animal Shelter Assistance program totaling \$5,000.

The Animal Shelter Assistance program is in its eighth year and was funded by the Kentucky Cattlemen’s Foundation. Foundation Chairman, Mike Bach recognizes the important role animal shelters serve in our communities and encourages everyone to get involved at the local level. “Find out who your local shelter is and how you can help,” stated Mitchell. “All cattlemen understand the need to take care of our animals and it is nice to support others who are doing the same thing.”

The winners of the grants were presented this week to shelters around the state. Winners include:

Oldham County Animal Control, LaGrange, KY - \$800 will be used to repair older kennels to build a storage shed to store food and equipment needed for the animals in their care.

Allen County Scottsville Animal Shelter, Scottsville, KY - \$1500 will be used to repair fences and kennel gates.

Estill County Animal Shelter, Irvine, KY - \$700 will be used to purchase two new exhaust fans to keep it cooler in the summer and for general airflow.

Breckinridge County Animal Shelter, Hardinsburg, KY - \$650 will go towards buying new outdoor kennels to give dogs outdoor time.

Pulaski County Animal Shelter, Somerset, KY - \$500 will be used for purchasing a microchip scanner and to replace medical supplies.

The Bath County Humane Society, Inc., Owingsville, KY - \$850 will be used to control and combat parasite infection and parvo disease.

The Animal Shelter Assistance program received 19 applications from across the state and plans to continue the program in the future.

The Kentucky Cattlemen’s Foundation mission is to pursue opportunities that promote the profitability of the cattle industry in Kentucky through educational and philanthropic endeavors. For more information visit www.kycattle.org or call 859-278-0899.