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## Angels Among Us Pet Rescue Hires Chief Executive Officer

**ATLANTA, GA (March 10, 2014)** - Angels Among Us Pet Rescue announced this morning that Lance H. White, former President of the Humane Society of Forsyth County, has been named Chief Executive Officer of Angels Among Us Pet Rescue (AAUPR). As CEO, Mr. White will operate under the direction of the Board of Directors for AAUPR.

Mr. White grew up in Roswell, Georgia, and holds a degree in Marketing and Advertising from Georgia State University. His many accomplishments include owning and operating a successful private business for many years prior to accepting the position of President of the Humane Society of Forsyth County (HSFC).

During his five (5) years as President of HSFC, Mr. White increased the number of lives saved from an average of 300-400 annually to over 1,700 animals saved in 2013, on an operating budget of less than \$500,000. Additionally, Lance was instrumental in opening a thrift store in 2010 which directly supports the HSFC and continues to make a strong financial contribution to their organization.

*"I am extremely excited about the opportunity to work with such a great organization," Lance said. "The volunteers who work with Angels are the reason they have accomplished so much in just five short years. They have the biggest hearts of anyone – giving time, money and endless devotion to benefit the animals. I look forward to meeting all of the Angels and hearing their wants, needs so I can help make this organization the best it can be. Thank you to the founders and the core group who run Angels Among Us for your support during this time of change."*

A board member at the Humane Society of Forsyth County said, *"While we as the board are sad at his leaving, we are also very excited for Lance as he pursues a lifelong dream."*

LuAnn Farrell, Co-Founder of Angels Rescue, also expressed enthusiasm concerning the addition of Lance White as the new CEO. *"We are excited about the experience, talents and vision Lance brings to Angels Among Us, and we look forward to his leadership in saving even more lives in 2014"*.

### **About Angels Among Us Pet Rescue: "Rescue One Until There Are None"**

Founded in 2009, Angels Among Us Pet Rescue is a rapidly-growing volunteer-based 501(c)(3) non-profit charity dedicated to the rescue and rehabilitation of dogs and cats from high-kill shelters in Georgia. Operating through a network of over 350 foster homes in the metropolitan Atlanta area, the organization saved nearly 2,000 animals in 2013.

For information on how to donate and/or volunteer, please visit [www.angelsrescue.org](http://www.angelsrescue.org). Also, please "follow" and "like" us on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/angelsrescue](http://www.facebook.com/angelsrescue) and [www.facebook.com/angelsrescue.cats](http://www.facebook.com/angelsrescue.cats), and on Twitter at [www.twitter.com/angelsrescue](http://www.twitter.com/angelsrescue).

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