

# HSUS by the numbers

The Humane Society of the United States

All numbers are as of December 31, 2009 unless otherwise stated

# NEVER

Number of hands-on pet shelters operated by the "Humane Society" of the United States



# 0.8%

Percentage of HSUS's income donated to hands-on pet shelters in 2009

# \$50,000

Amount of a Philadelphia Eagles "grant" paid to HSUS before Wayne Pacelle began rehabilitating the image of convicted dogfighting kingpin (and Eagles quarterback) Michael Vick

# 50%

Percentage of HSUS's budget consisting of fundraising and other overhead costs

# 0

Total number of humanely raised meat, dairy, and egg products that HSUS has endorsed since Wayne Pacelle became CEO

# 35

Number of U.S. states where pet shelters received **NO** financial support from HSUS in 2008

# \$191.3 MILLION

Net assets of the Humane Society of the United States and its affiliates

# \$1.82

Amount of a \$19-per-month recurring donation to HSUS that reaches pet shelters over the course of an entire year

# 2

Number of stars (out of four) that HSUS earned for organizational "efficiency" in 2009

# 80.9%

Percentage of money collected by "Ohioans for Humane Farms" that actually came from the DC-based HSUS

# \$1.77 MILLION

Amount of money HSUS has spent on its fleet of automobiles

# \$18.5 MILLION

Money HSUS has diverted from animal-related programs into its employee pension plan

# \$190,000

Amount HSUS and other organizations allegedly funneled to a dubious witness to coerce his false testimony in a federal lawsuit against the Ringling Brothers circus, according to a 2011 RICO countersuit filed against the animal rights groups

# 11 MILLION

Number of "members and constituents" HSUS claims to represent

# 4

Number of other animal rights groups that have merged with HSUS since 2004

# \$123 MILLION

HSUS's annual income, including contributions, grants, and bequests

# \$8.4 MILLION

Amount HSUS spent between 2006 and 2010 on ballot-initiative campaigns in Arizona, California, Missouri, and Ohio

# 29

Number of HSUS employees who earned more than \$100,000 in 2009

# \$66.1 MILLION

Amount of HSUS investments parked in hedge funds

# 1.3%

Percentage of the (ASPCA-estimated) 5,000 U.S. dog and cat shelters that belong to HSUS's "National Federation of Humane Societies"

# 1-866-720-2676

Phone number HSUS donors can call to cancel monthly financial pledges

# 555

Number of people on HSUS's 2008 payroll

# 629

Number of people on HSUS's 2009 payroll

# 487

Number of people on the White House's 2008 payroll

# 1

Ranking of Humane Society International on Charity Navigator's 2010 list of "Ten Charities in Deep Financial Trouble"

# \$17.3 MILLION

Money HSUS spent lobbying governments between 2005 and 2009



# \$26.6 MILLION

Cost of the land and buildings owned by HSUS

# 868,000

Number of children in grades K-6 HSUS claimed to reach in 2009 with its animal-rights messages, through newsletters distributed in schools