Humane Society of Elmore County News – 25 Jun '18 Rea Cord Executive Director

It is only five weeks until our 13th annual <u>Wags & Whiskers Auction</u> on Friday, July 27th, 2018 at the <u>Wind Creek Wetumpka</u> Entertainment Center, 100 River Oaks Drive, Wetumpka. This is a don't miss event as we will have hundreds of items up for auction (both silent and live), great food, door prizes, and more. All the proceeds go to our humane shelter to help ensure we can continue our work and be there to help all the pets brought to us in need of our help.

We are still accepting items for our auction until the end of June and are open to just about anything in our categories of: Antiques & Collectibles; Artwork & Wall Décor; Gift Certificates/Tickets; Household Items; Jewelry; Pet Related; Sports, Outdoors & More. If you would like to donate an item to our auction, please contact Chris Sisson at 334-313-2155 or call the shelter at 334-567-3377 and ask for the Director. All donated items are tax-deductible and help us do even more to help the animals in our care.

You can see items that will be in our auction at our special auction website – <u>www.elmorehumane.auction</u>. Item photos and descriptions are still being added so make sure to check back weekly until the auction so you can plan your bidding strategy. There really is something for everyone – how about this always popular package for two tickets for the Talladega Superspeedway NASCAR Truck Series Race, Saturday, October 13 AND two tickets for the NASCAR Monster Energy Cup Sunday, October 14 AND two pre-race Pit Passes for Sunday, October 14! Or a highly coveted and valuable hand carved Nativity Set by local artist Peggy Brown (may she rest in peace), or a Magna Silver Canyon 26" Men's Mountain Bicycle or a Luke Skywalker's Land Speeder, 12 Volt Battery powered ride for one or two riders, battery and charger included. These are just a few examples of the wide variety of items we will have and since we tend to cater to a pet loving audience – best check out the large selection of simply wonderful items for all those pets we love!

This is both a silent and live auction so plenty of opportunities for everyone to find one or more treasures. The fun, food & bidding begins at 6 pm when we open the Entertainment Center doors. <u>Wind Creek Wetumpka</u> will ensure a great layout of food for everyone and you will want to have your paddles ready for the always exciting live auction portion headed up by Scott & Michelle Williams from <u>High as the Sky llc. Premier Estate Services</u>. Silent Auction bidding will then continue until the cowbell clangs and our many auction volunteers will then help everyone collect their items and do the final payment processing.

You can pre-purchase individual tickets for \$25 person at our shelter (255 Central Plank Road, Wetumpka) or at the door. We also have a limited number of tables seating TEN for \$300 – come to the shelter or call us at 334-567-3377 to pay for your table before they are all gone!