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Special Recipient for Fall *for* Art 2018 Announced: Ulster County SPCA

Kingston, NY, January 2018: **The ULSTER COUNTY SPCA** will be the special recipient at the 22nd annual Jewish Federation of Ulster County's **Fall *for* Art** popular art show and cocktail reception fundraiser scheduled for **Thursday, September 6, 2018** at The Chateau in Kingston from 5:00-8:00pm. This fundraising event, which last year attracted more than 400 attendees and raised more than \$20,000, supports many local not-for profits, including: the Hudson Valley Food Bank, Family of Woodstock, CASA, People's Place, Angel Food East, Jewish Family Services, and area synagogues, among others.

Thirty of the area's leading professional artists will be featured at the 2018 juried **Fall *for* Art** event. On September 6th, representatives from the Ulster County SPCA will be invited to select \$1,000 worth of art from the show to be permanently exhibited at their facility at 20 Wiedy Road in Kingston, NY. The Ulster County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is a private, nonprofit organization that has been serving its namesake county since 1891. Their mission is to prevent cruelty to animals by providing temporary shelter and finding adoptive homes for homeless, abused and neglected animals; conducting cruelty investigations; eliminating the crisis of homeless animals by providing low-cost spay/neuter services for cats and dogs and by spaying or neutering all animals offered for adoption; providing humane education and by working to improve laws to end animal cruelty.

Fall *for* Art is made possible thanks to the generous support of corporate and individual sponsors, patrons, ticket buyers and contributors. Sponsorships at various levels are now available and event tickets will go on sale during the summer. Additional information about **Fall *for* Art** is available at: www.fallforart.org or from the Federation office at 845-338-8131. End