



- ◀ **ANIMAL ABUSE:** Animal/Human Violence Link, Legal Issues, Anti-Cruelty Laws, Cases in Court...
- ◀ **COMPANION ANIMALS:** Puppy Mills, Overpopulation Crisis, Spay/Neuter, Pet Theft...
- ◀ **WILD ANIMALS:** Hunting, Trapping, Endangered Species, Tax-Funded Killing Of Wildlife...
- ◀ **ANIMALS IN FASHION INDUSTRY:** Fur, Leather, Wool...
- ◀ **ANIMAL EXPERIMENTATION:** Product Testing, Biomedical Research, Animal-Free Research = Human-Focused Results...
- ◀ **ANIMALS IN ENTERTAINMENT:** Circuses, Rodeos, Zoos, Aquariums, Bullfights, Cockfighting, Dogfighting...
- ◀ **ANIMALS USED FOR FOOD:** Agribusiness Animal Abuse, Environment/Health/Resources Impacts, Plant-Based Diets...
- ◀ **ANIMAL VICTIMS IN DISASTERS:** Kinship Circle Disaster Animal Response Team / Crisis Rescue - Care - Resources



# Kinship Circle

**ANIMAL ADVOCACY • EDUCATION • DISASTER AID**

**ANIMAL CRUELTY INVESTIGATIVE RESEARCH & ACTION ▶ EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS & OUTREACH ▶ ANIMAL DISASTER AID**



**KINSHIP CIRCLE** is a nonprofit that promotes animal protection and freedom by rallying voices worldwide to seek legislative, industry and societal reforms for animals. Founded in 1999, our focus is investigative research and action campaigns designed to end cruel practices or enforce/enact animal laws. Kinship Circle also advocates education as a pathway to change. We produce educational materials for use in humane instruction, student projects, leafleting/demos, presentations, letter writing, articles, press kits...

**KINSHIP CIRCLE DISASTER ANIMAL RESPONSE** is a specialized division that activates emergency aid for animal victims of natural or human-made disasters. Our U.S./international volunteers reflect a range of certification and training in areas such as search-rescue, field first aid, veterinary care, crisis sheltering, fire and water rescue, large animal rescue, technical rescue, wildlife rehab...and more. Kinship Circle deploys globally and has sent aid for: Japan Earthquake-Tsunami-Radiation Crisis; Brazil Floods-Mudslides; Chile Quake-Tsunami; Gulf Oil Disaster; Iowa Floods; Hurricane Gustav and Ike; Hurricanes Katrina and Rita...



## Action • Education • Disaster Aid

### INVESTIGATIVE RESEARCH & ACTION CAMPAIGNS

Kinship Circle researches cruelty situations, digging for stats, studies and factual evidence that make a persuasive argument to end animal abuse. We investigate which decision-makers are empowered to enable humane strategies or laws. We then create sample letter alerts that work best when many speak out in different ways. Automated petitions alone can fail or worse, provoke an adverse outcome for animals. We provide tools to email, webmail, postal-mail, phone, fax or meet with policymakers. We urge advocates to be heard — by not just personalizing their words, but also choosing HOW to send them.

■ **Join Kinship Circle for breaking animal news, updates and action:** [www.kinshipcircle.org/email](http://www.kinshipcircle.org/email)

### EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS & OUTREACH

Knowledge empowers people to make cruelty-free choices. Conversely, choices motivated by pressure or guilt rarely last. The facts don't lie. How a person responds to those facts is an autonomous decision. Kinship Circle educational materials cover 50+ animal-related topics. All Fact Sheets feature compelling photos and text. Anyone may download them (free) for high-resolution printing.

### DISASTER ANIMAL RESPONSE TEAMS

Yes, rights and rescue can go hand in hand. If fact, Kinship Circle did both for Hurricane Katrina, saving lives on the ground and contributing to passage of Louisiana's Pet Evacuation law. **LEARN MORE:** [www.kinshipcircle.org/disasters](http://www.kinshipcircle.org/disasters)

■ **Volunteer as an disaster animal responder:** [www.kinshipcircle.org/disasters/volunteer](http://www.kinshipcircle.org/disasters/volunteer)



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