

## **Anti-Hunters' Financial Resources Continue to Swell-** (12/22) **National**

Animal rights organizations across the country rake in millions of dollars to fund anti-hunting campaigns. *Animal People Magazine* has again published the financial information for animal rights organizations based on the analysis of IRS reports for FY 2003.

Here are the figures for several leading anti-hunting groups, as presented by *Animal People*. In parentheses are the budgets for recent years. Comprehensive financial information on individual non-profit organizations, including tax records, is available online at [www.guidestar.com](http://www.guidestar.com).

Sportsmen reviewing this list are reminded that the Humane Society of the United States (HSUS) and the Fund for Animals will merge at the beginning of the year. According to a recent report by Scripps Howard News Service, the merger will result in a mega-anti-hunting group with available funds in excess of \$95 million and stated goals of ending hunting and trapping.

“These groups have been working to trample sportsmen’s rights for decades,” said U.S. Sportsmen’s Alliance Senior Vice President Rick Story. “They intend to invest their millions in campaigns to ban hunting and trapping and are refining their organization to get the job done.”

The newly merged anti-hunting group has launched an animal protection litigation department to challenge sportsmen in the courts. The newly restructured HSUS has announced it will also form a new legislative arm.

### **Animal Legal Defense Fund/ALDF**

Budget: \$3,120,780 (\$3,208,308/\$3,360,728/\$3,133,399)

Programs: 2,462,761

Overhead: 658,019

Net assets: 2,763,306

### **Animal Welfare Institute/AWI**

Budget: \$1,169,280 (\$1,260,416/\$1,072,951)

Programs: 989,124

Overhead: 180,156

Net assets: 3,090,519

### **Doris Day Animal League/DDAL**

Budget: \$2,740,123 (\$2,570,372/\$2,844,347/\$2,743,811)

Programs: 2,104,393

Overhead: 635,730

Net assets: 799,045

### **Foundation to Support Animal Protection/FSAP**

Budget: \$2,610,200 (\$2,192,281/\$2,430,555)

Programs: 13,830

Overhead: 2,596,370  
Net assets: 15,299,586

**Fund for Animals/FFA**

Budget: \$7,604,874 (\$7,358,158/\$5,600,721/\$5,386,201)  
Programs: 6,006,552  
Overhead: 1,598,332  
Net assets: 19,903,029

**Humane Society of the United States/HSUS**

Budget: \$69,548,619 (\$67,272,795/\$58,865,207/\$50,431,797)  
Programs: 47,635,118  
Overhead: 21,913,501  
Net assets: 99,997,471

**In Defense of Animals/IDA**

Budget: \$2,731,478 (\$2,304,433/\$2,339,784/\$1,841,705)  
Programs: 2,263,970  
Overhead: 467,508  
Net assets: 2,819,164

**People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals/PETA**

Budget: \$21,484,419 (\$16,414,174/\$13,499,614/\$17,668,699)  
Programs: 18,442,816  
Overhead: 3,041,603  
Net assets: 7,632,195

**Physicians Committee for Responsible Medicine/PCRM**

Budget: \$7,175,448 (\$2,667,912/\$2,915,847/\$2,533,289/\$2,350,143)  
Programs: 6,612,956  
Overhead: 562,492  
Net assets: 2,865,026

NOTE: These figures do not include \$4,000,153 given to The PCRM Foundation.

\*\*Information provided by the Americans for Medical Progress (AMP), a non-profit organization whose mission is to protect society's investment in research.

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