

Thursday February 28th

6:00pm – 9:00pm Early Registration (1st Floor) – *Complimentary Cocktail Sponsored by DocuPet Corp.*

Friday March 1st

7:00am – 8:00am Breakfast in “*Legacy North*” (2nd Floor) *Sponsored by Bacon Group Architecture*

7:00am – 8:30am Registration & Vendors Open

7:30am – 8:00am Annual Meeting of the Members (*Everyone Welcome*) – “*Legacy North*”

8:30am – 10:00am *Legends 1* **Animal Cruelty Investigations: A Veterinary Forensic Pathologist’s Approach** – Dr. Adam W. Stern, University of Florida
Legends 3 **Creating License Programs that Pet Owners Love** – Grant Goodwin, DocuPet Corp.
Traditions **Euthanasia Technician “Re-Certification”** (*Separate 4 HOUR CEU Session*) – Amy Wade-Carotenuto, Flagler Humane Society

10:00am – 10:20am Morning Break / Meet with Exhibitors

10:20am – 12:00pm *Legends 1* **Animals as Evidence: Mitigating Long Hold Periods for Seized Animals** – Jennifer Chin, ASPCA
Legends 3 **Managed Intake at Florida’s Municipal Shelters: Positive Approaches to Preventing Animal Homelessness, Optimizing Outcomes, and Serving Communities** – Panel discussion moderated by Cameron Moore & Chrissy Sedgley, Maddie’s Shelter Medicine Program at University of Florida
Traditions **Euthanasia Technician “Re-Certification”** (*Separate 4 HOUR CEU Session Continued*) – Amy Wade-Carotenuto, Flagler Humane Society

12:00pm – 1:00pm Lunch in “*Legacy North*” (2nd Floor) *Sponsored by Custom Fiberglass Coaches*

1:00pm – 2:00pm *Legends 1* **Evidence considerations for animal cruelty prosecutions** – Jamie A. McManus, Office of the State Attorney
Legends 3 **Officer Safety: Effective Communication** – Master Deputy Stanley Murray, Orange County Sheriff’s Office
Traditions **Euthanasia Technician “Re-Certification”** (*Final Segment of a Separate 4 HOUR CEU Session*) – Amy Wade-Carotenuto, Flagler Humane Society

2:05pm – 3:05pm *Legends 1* **From Guide Dogs to Therapy Squirrels: The Americans with Disabilities Act and Animal Welfare Professionals** – Nick Lippincott, National Animal Care and Control Association & Orange County Animal Services
Legends 3 **Workplace Violence: Dealing with an active assailant** – Master Deputy Stanley Murray, Orange County Sheriff’s Office
Traditions **2019 Legislative Update: A Panel Discussion** – Featuring representatives from FACA, ASPCA, HSUS, and FAAWO

3:05pm – 3:25pm	Afternoon Break / Meet with Exhibitors	
3:25pm – 4:25pm	<i>Legends 1</i>	Rabies and Zoonotic Disease Update – Dr. Danielle Stanek, Florida Department of Health
	<i>Legends 3</i>	Education on the welfare and care of domestic rabbits – Dr. Crystal Ramsey, Rabbit Rescue Network
	<i>Traditions</i>	Grant Writing: A Panel Discussion – Featuring representatives from PetSmart Charities, Petco Foundation, and Maddie’s Fund
4:30pm – 5:30pm	<i>Legends 1</i>	Coyotes in Florida: The Good, The Bad and the Ugly – Catherine Kennedy, Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission
	<i>Legends 3</i>	The State of the State in 2019: Florida’s Animal Sheltering Trends and the Road Ahead – Cameron Moore & Chrissy Sedgley, Maddie’s Shelter Medicine Program at the University of Florida
	<i>Traditions</i>	Hurricane Michael Preparation, Response and the Role of the Animal Control Community – Wanda Merling, Humane Society of United States

Saturday March 2nd

7:00am – 8:30am	Registration & Vendors Open	
7:00am – 8:00am	Breakfast in “ <i>Legacy North</i> ” (2 nd Floor) <i>Sponsored by Maddie’s Fund</i>	
8:30am – 10:00am	<i>Legends 1</i>	Problem Oriented Response – Scott Giacoppo, Best Friends Animal Society
	<i>Legends 3</i>	Snot Nothing, It Could Be Something – Dr. Nicole Ferguson-Morrison, Lee County Domestic Animal Services
	<i>Traditions</i>	Leadership from the Inside Out – Leigh Anne Garrard, ASPCA
10:00am – 10:20am	Morning Break / Meet with Exhibitors	
10:20am – 12:00pm	<i>Legends 1</i>	Wildlife Smuggling and the use of detection dogs – Investigator Steve McDaniel and K-9 Officer Jeff Sidor, Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission
	<i>Legends 3</i>	Shelter Safety – Instructor K.D. Hearst, Law Enforcement Training Institute, University of Missouri
	<i>Traditions</i>	Losing the Dog Catcher & the Pound – Daniel Ettinger, Denver Animal Protection
12:00pm – 1:00pm	Lunch in “ <i>Legacy North</i> ” (2 nd Floor) <i>Sponsored by IDEXX</i>	
1:00pm – 2:00pm	<i>Legends 1</i>	Leveraging Relationships: A Guide to Engaging Your Prosecutor, Law Enforcement and NGO’s when you need them the most – Adam Leath, Volusia County Animal Services
	<i>Legends 3</i>	Mitigating Feline Nuisance in the Field - Scott Giacoppo, Best Friends Animal Society
	<i>Traditions</i>	Beagley Blonde: Legal Myths in Animal Welfare – Brian Chase, Michelson Found Animals Foundation

2:05pm – 3:05pm	Legends 1	Leveraging Relationships: A Guide to Engaging Your Prosecutor, Law Enforcement and NGO's when you need them the most (<i>Continued</i>) – Adam Leath, Volusia County Animal Services
	Legends 3	Pet Massage: A Tool to help shelter dogs – Susan K. Miller, Certified Canine Massage Practitioner
	Traditions	Emotional Intelligence: It could save your life and enhance your career – John Thompson, National Animal Care and Control Association
3:05pm – 3:25pm	Afternoon Break / Last Chance to meet with Exhibitors	
3:25pm – 4:25pm	Legends 1	Personal self-defense for the ACO – Miguel Abi-hassan, CAWA, Halifax Humane Society
	Legends 3	Empathetic Approach to Animal Shelter Design – Nicole J. Mirabelli, AIA, Bacon Group Architecture
	Traditions	Using Communication Styles to Get What You Want – Dr. Rachel Barton, Tallahassee Animal Services
4:30pm – 5:30pm	Legends 1	Tactical Animal Handling – Instructor K.D. Hearst, Law Enforcement Training Institute, University of Missouri
	Legends 3	Prison Dog Programs – Julie Sanderson, CEO of Patriot Service Dogs
	Traditions	Using Communication Styles to Get What You Want (<i>Continued</i>) – Dr. Rachel Barton, Tallahassee Animal Services
7:00pm	Pre-Banquet Social in “Legends 2” - Sponsored by DocuPet Corp	
7:30pm	Awards Banquet in “Legends 1”	
9:00pm	Post-Banquet Casino Themed Party in “Legends 3”	

Sunday March 3rd

7:00am – 8:00am	Registration Opens	
7:00am – 8:00am	Breakfast in “Legends 2” (1st Floor)	
8:00am – 12:00pm	Legends 1	Exotic Bird Investigations (4 Hour Session) – Doug & Stephanie Eddins, American Animal Cruelty Investigations School
8:00am – 12:00pm	Traditions	The Link: What would you do? (4 Hour Session) – Dr. Rachel Barton, Tallahassee Animal Services
12:00pm	Conference Adjourned	