



Raising the Roof

Raising Hope for Animals

A Campaign for the Monroe County Friends of Animals



Almost Home!

Construction of the new Eastbourne Animal Center proceeds on schedule with completion in the summer of 2024.

-All the preliminary site preparation has been completed

-All the footings have been poured

-The waste drain pipe



Why I Support MCFA and the Eastbourne Animal Center

Regina & Bob Elgin

Bob and I have supported MCFA and the animals of Monroe County Animal Shelter for many years. We have volunteered to help both cats and dogs.

We believe it is also important to provide financial support for the Animal Shelter through the years.

We are impressed by the immense efforts of the volunteers and staff at the shelter since day one.

I first volunteered at the shelter in 2013 with special needs cats and soon helped at cat adoptions

has been laid with over 125 stub outs in the concrete for drains as well as connection to the city sewer system

-Much of the concrete has been poured and erection of the block walls has started.

We continue to work with our contractor, Rouse Construction, concerning various ways we might reduce construction costs as we move along. Both parties have been dealing with each other in good faith.

With the walls now going up, it will be exciting to see the Eastbourne Animal Center begin to take form in the coming weeks.

**Please join us in
Raising the Roof
for animals!**



The *Raising the Roof* Campaign is only 5% away from our \$4,700,000 goal.

DOUBLE

events at PetSmart. Starting the winter 2015, we fostered dogs and later switched to cats.

During Covid restrictions, Bob and I coordinated and managed several adopt-a-thons for cats and kittens with help from some close friends. This was in response to cat foster homes having no outlet for their feline "house guests" because the shelter was full.

Additionally, we adopted our dog, Annie, from the shelter in early 2012 and cat, Princess, three years later.

The building of a new, larger Monroe County Animal Shelter is an exciting time to be involved.

Bob and I were happy to donate to make this new shelter a reality and strongly encourage others to do the same. This is a worthy cause!



**We gratefully
acknowledge**

Your Impact with Our Donor Challenge Match!

We're thrilled to announce an incredible opportunity to make your donation go even further! Thanks to the generosity of our matching donors, every dollar you contribute will be matched dollar-for-dollar **up to \$125,000**, doubling the impact of your support!

How It Works:

1. **Donate:** Contribute \$1,000 or more to our cause during the challenge match period.
2. **Match:** Our amazing donors will match your donation up to \$125,000, doubling its value!
- 3 **Impact:** Your support will have twice the impact in creating positive change.

Now is the perfect time to make a difference. Your donation will help MCFA to close our 5% gap in funds to build the new Eastbourne Animal Center.

Spread the Word:

Share this newsletter and let your friends and family know about this exciting opportunity to amplify their impact!

Together, we can achieve something incredible.

Challenge Match Period:

August 1, 2023, through
October 31, 2023

Visit our website by clicking [here](#) to contribute now and be a part of this transformative initiative.

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Thank you for being a changemaker and joining us in making the world a better place for Monroe County's homeless dogs and cats!



DONATE TODAY!

**YOU make it possible for us
to Raise this Roof!**



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