



June 30, 2007

Dear Friends and Supporters,

I am writing on behalf of the Zihuatanejo Humane Society whom you've been kind enough to support in years past. Your contributions have enabled us to continue the sterilization campaign that we began in 2005. To date we have sterilized more than 500 domestic animals in our service area, approximately from Barra de Potosi to Troncones. With your help we have prevented the birth and suffering of thousands of unwanted pets. We are proud of what we've accomplished and proud to have you as a supporter.

I speak of the success of the sterilization campaign but of course our day to day activities have not abated. We continue to accept animals that are in need or unwanted. We treat them, feed them, and help to find them a suitable home.

In addition to our sterilization campaign we are in the process of rolling out an educational campaign. Too many in our community don't understand the importance of vaccinations, sterilization, training, etc. In fact too many know little or nothing about basic animal needs. As a result too often we find animals that are maltreated - tied out all the time on short lines, left to forage for food and water, abused by local children, ungroomed, etc. - and abused.

As you know the founding family of SPAZ also runs an active retail business, not to mention raising families. Due to their overwhelming work load we somehow failed to have our annual fund raising event this past winter. As a result we are in dire need of funds to get us through the summer and into early fall. The tourists who often support us in season are gone leaving us with no place to turn, but to you.

We need your help, more now than ever. Please find it in your heart to help us help those who can not help themselves, for today and into the future. If you are in the area please stop by or visit the local Banamex to make a donation. If you are out of the area you still may help us by asking your bank to wire funds to our account at **BANAMEX Bank: Branch 0018, ABA: 002282001880050202, Account #:8005020**

I close by thanking you once again for your past and hopefully future support of the Zihuatanejo Humane Society (aka SPAZ).

Sincerely,

David Rubenstein

Volunteer

P.s. If you'd like to see some photos from our recent events I'd be happy to send them to you!