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From left to right: Amy Hokkanen, Mary Catherine Tompkins, Emily Robinson, Chris Shewmaker, and Kim Myrick.

Atlanta, GA – The University of Georgia Alumni Association, Fulton County Chapter, in conjunction with Loco's Deli and Pub-Buckhead, donated \$465.00 to Atlanta Pet Rescue & Adoption, a non-profit, no-kill pet rescue group, on January 13, 2009 at their adoption center on 14th Street in midtown Atlanta.

The money was raised by officers of the chapter at football game watching parties at Loco's. The program is called ***Dawgs Feeding Dogs*** and is a national fundraising event chapters participate in during football season. The officers took a bucket around to tables during the game and asked for donations. Loco's-Buckhead manager, Chris Spivey, said they would match the funds raised by the chapter during the season.

Emily Robinson, Community Service Coordinator states “We all hope Atlanta Pet Rescue will continue to do good work in the area. We appreciate their diligence and commitment to animals.”

“Our heartfelt thanks go out to The University of Georgia Alumni Association, Fulton County Chapter, for their generous commitment to Atlanta Pet Rescue, and their concern for the health and care of our pets awaiting adoption” says Judith Price, executive director and founder of Atlanta Pet Rescue.

Atlanta Pet Rescue is a 501(c)(3) non-profit, no-kill, volunteer-based animal shelter operating on a limited budget. The shelter rescues and finds adoptive homes for about 1,200 homeless dogs and cats each year. Pets are available for adoption five days a week, Tuesday through Saturday at 720 14th Street in midtown, Atlanta. For more information on Atlanta Pet Rescue, please visit our web site, www.atlantapetrescue.org.