



The information below are frequently asked questions that could assist you and your rescue group if interviewed by a member of the media.

What is Countdown to Zero (C2Z)? C2Z is a public-private community collaboration, initiated by Palm Beach County Animals Care and Control, the Board of County Commissioners, and Peggy Adams Animal Rescue League, to bring animal welfare organizations together to end the euthanasia of adoptable animals in Palm Beach County.

What is the Belief of C2Z? The belief is that our community has the expertise, the means and thus the obligation to aggressively implement strategies that will reduce the number of animals needing temporary shelter and end the euthanasia of adoptable animals in Palm Beach County.

What is the Mission of C2Z? At all times and in every way, we are advocates for animals. We ensure their safety and comfort, strive to alleviate their suffering and work to place and keep them in homes that provide a responsible lifetime commitment to them. We speak out publicly to promote and defend their interests. We oppose all forms of animal cruelty. We promote spay/neuter and other critical programs focused on our goal of preventing the euthanasia of adoptable animals in Palm Beach County by 2024. We oppose taking the lives of healthy or treatable animals. We provide services that promote responsible pet ownership and humane attitudes toward all life because we understand the critical role people play in improving the welfare of animals in our community as well as the critical role animals play in improving quality of life for people.

How many years has the C2Z Adoption Event been held? This is our sixth year.

What is the date, time and location? Saturday, September 28, 2018 from 10 am to 4 pm at the air-conditioned South Florida Fairgrounds, East Expo Center, 9067 Southern Blvd. West Palm Beach, FL 33411

How many adoptable animals will be at the event this year? Over 1,000 of Palm Beach County's best dogs, cats, puppies, kittens, and other small animals will be available for adoption from more than two dozen local animal rescue organizations.

How much does it cost to attend C2Z Adoption Event? Admission and parking is free for the Countdown 2 Zero Adoption Event. Many of the rescue groups will be offering special discounts and adoption incentives, and all new pet parents will receive special gifts. Plus rabies tags will be complimentary for each adopted pet courtesy of Palm Beach County Animal Care and Control.

How many animals have been adopted from the past four C2Z Adoption Events? Over 1,300

Where can I learn more about C2Z? To learn more visit www.countdown2zero.org; or email info@countdown2zero.org.