





The Charity Nine AI-Assisted Report



A detailed structured report covering The Charity
Nine for a charity of your choice



Summary Report Card

Section	Evaluation (See details below)
1. Identity of the Organization	SPCA INTERNATIONAL INC EIN: 870773320
2. Public Charity Status Screen Test	 Green
3. Timely IRS Filings	 Green
4. Program Spending Percentage	 Yellow
5. Top Program Focus	 (For Your Review)
6. Highest Paid Employee Spending	 Green
7. Top Contractor Spending	 Yellow
8. Financial Reserve Ratio	 Yellow
9. News & Publicity Check	 (For Your Review)

1. Identity of the Organization

- **Name:** SPCA INTERNATIONAL INC
- **EIN:** 870773320
- **Address:** 242 WEST 30TH ST, NEW YORK, NY 10001-4903
- **History:** Tax-exempt since August 2006
- **Fiscal Year Ended:** December 31, 2024
- **Filing Date:** April 15, 2025
- **Total Revenue:** \$23,933,757
- **Total Expenses:** \$24,587,751
- **Net Income:** -\$653,994
- **Net Assets:** \$4,700,528
- **IRS Form 990 Version:** This organization filed IRS **Form 990** for its most recent fiscal year. **Form 990** provides a wealth of information about the charity's operations and finances, with a focus on public support, programs, governance, and spending.
- **Website:** <http://WWW.SPCAI.ORG>
- **CharityCheck101.org Report:** [Go to Report](#)
- **ProPublica.org Report (many 990s available):** [Go to Report](#)
- **Report Generated:** May 13, 2026 at 2:16 PM PDT

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2. Public Charity Status Screen Test

Goal: Verify the organization's tax-exempt classification and charitable contribution deductibility status.

Evaluation: ● Green (Public Charity)

IRS Classification: 501(c)(3) Public Charity — Organization Supporting a Government College or University, Church or Religious Organization. Contributions are generally tax-deductible as charitable contributions.

Listed Relationships:

None listed

3. Timely IRS Filings

Goal: Check if the charity files its tax returns on time.

- **Tax Year Ending Date:** December 31, 2024
- **Today's Date:** May 13, 2026
- **Days Elapsed:** 498 days

Evaluation: ● Green

Current.

4. Program Spending Percentage

Goal: Determine how much of the budget goes directly to programs vs. overhead.

Gifts-in-Kind Adjustment: This charity reports that the value of non-cash donations (gifts-in-kind) it received exceeded 40% of its total revenue. Treating the distribution of those gifts-in-kind items as program expenses would unsuitably inflate Program Spending. We have removed the value of those gifts-in-kind from both Total Functional Expenses and Program Spending in the following calculations.

- **Total Functional Expenses:** \$14,173,241
- **Program Spending:** \$7,220,073 (50.9%)
- **Administrative Spending:** \$832,636 (5.9%)
- **Fundraising Spending:** \$6,120,532 (43.2%)

Evaluation: ● Yellow

Program Spending: 50.9%

The ● Green zone is from 60% to 80%. Find more details in the Guide.

5. Top Program Focus

Goal: Ensure the charity's spending matches your personal giving goals.

- **Top Program:** GLOBAL ANIMAL VETERINARY ASSISTANCE - EACH YEAR, THE SPCAI DISTRIBUTES CRITICAL VETERINARY MEDICAL SUPPLIES TO ANIMAL SHELTERS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. AS A RESULT, ORGANIZATIONS WITH A FOCUS ON DEVELOPING COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN ABLE TO TREAT MORE SICK AND INJURED ANIMALS. THESE DONATIONS, ALONG WITH FINANCIAL GRANTS, HAVE ALLOWED ORGANIZATIONS TO PROVIDE SUCCESSFUL SPAY AND NEUTER EVENTS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR. THROUGH THIS PROGRAM, THE SPCAI HAS DISTRIBUTED MILLIONS OF DOLLARS IN VETERINARY MEDICAL SUPPLIES TO SHELTERS ON ALMOST EVERY CONTINENT.

[Text capitalization, punctuation, and spacing are from the return as filed.]

- **Program Cost:** \$10,414,570 (42.4% of Total Spending)

Top Program AI Summary:

The GLOBAL ANIMAL VETERINARY ASSISTANCE program provides critical veterinary medical supplies and financial grants to animal shelters around the world, particularly in developing countries. This enables these organizations to treat more sick and injured animals and conduct essential spay and neuter events, significantly improving animal welfare globally.

Evaluation: 🔍 (For Your Review)

Does this top program align with what you want to support?

6. Highest Paid Employee Spending

Goal: Assess dependence on a single employee and management costs.

- **Highest Paid Employee:** Anne Abbot, Dir. Of Development
- **Compensation:** \$141,180
- **Percentage of Total Expenses:** 0.57%

Evaluation: ● Green

The ● Green zone is from 0% to 5%. Find more details in the Guide.

7. Top Contractor Spending

Goal: Check for heavy reliance on outside contractors.

Evaluation: ● Yellow

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- **Top Contractor:** Moore Dm Finance Group
- **Service:** Direct Mail Marketing Strategy
- **Compensation:** \$6,556,925 (26.67% of total expenses)

8. Financial Reserve Ratio

Goal: Determine if the charity has appropriate financial reserves.

Gifts-in-Kind Adjustment: This charity reports that the value of non-cash donations (gifts-in-kind) it received exceeded 40% of its total revenue. Treating the distribution of those gifts-in-kind items as expenses would unsuitably inflate Total Expenses. We have removed the value of those gifts-in-kind from Total Expenses.

- **Net Assets:** \$4,700,528
- **Total Expenses:** \$14,173,241
- **Ratio:** 0.3

Evaluation: ● Yellow

The ● Green zone is from 0.5 to 2.0 (six months to two years). Find more details in the Guide.

Financial Reserve Ratio: 0.3

This means the charity has only 0.3 years of spending saved. This is low; ask about stability.

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9. News & Publicity Check

Goal: Search for news coverage, ratings reports, and public red flags — including lawsuits, fraud, allegations, financial mismanagement, and other legal or reputational concerns — using AI-assisted analysis.

Direct Rating Links:

Charity Navigator

GuideStar

CharityWatch

Ratings Warnings

✓ **No rating warnings found**

AI News Summary

SPCA International Inc. has faced historical scrutiny regarding its debut, fundraising practices, and a recent lawsuit over its web domain. While financial transparency profiles exist, these reports highlight past and ongoing reputational and operational challenges.

AI Search Results Analysis

Date	Source	Headline	Sentiment	Summary
2021-05	animals24-7.org ↗	Montreal SPCA sues SPCA International to try to get back web name	Negative	Report of a lawsuit filed by the Montreal SPCA against SPCA International Inc. regarding the ownership and use of the web domain .

Date	Source	Headline	Sentiment	Summary
2007-11	ANIMAL PEOPLE NEWS ↗	SPCA International debut raises questions	Negative	Article from 2007 indicating that the debut of SPCA International Inc. raised questions within the animal welfare community regarding its formation and mission.
2006-11	The Globe and Mail ↗	Montreal SPCA fundraising draws criticism	Negative	Report from 2006 detailing criticism surrounding SPCA International Inc.'s fundraising activities in Canada, which were perceived as potentially causing confusion with the Montreal SPCA.

Date	Source	Headline	Sentiment	Summary
Undated	Charity Navigator ↗	Rating for SPCA International	Neutral	Profile verification for the organization, confirming its EIN, location in New York, NY, and 501(c)(3) status.
Undated	GuideStar ↗	SPCA International, Inc. - GuideStar Profile	Neutral	Profile verification for the organization, identifying it as 'Global Animal Rescue' based in New York City, NY with EIN 87-0773320.
Undated	ProPublica ↗	Spca International Inc - Nonprofit Explorer - ProPublica	Neutral	Confirmation of SPCA International Inc.'s tax-exempt status in New York, NY, since August 2006, along with its

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				EIN 87-0773320.
Undated	ProPublica ↗	Sempra Energy Foundation - Form 990PF - Nonprofit Explorer	Neutral	SPCA International Inc. is listed as a recipient of grants from the Sempra Energy Foundation, based out of New York, NY.
Undated	ProPublica ↗	W M Keck Foundation - Full Filing - Nonprofit Explorer - ProPublica	Neutral	SPCA International Inc. is identified as a recipient of a grant for general charitable support from the W M Keck Foundation, located at 242 W 30th St, New York, NY.
Undated	SPCA International (spcai.org) ↗	FIGHT PUPPY MILL CRUELTY - SPCA International	Neutral	A call to action by SPCA International Inc. against puppy mill

Date	Source	Headline	Sentiment	Summary
				cruelty, demonstrating their advocacy and public awareness efforts.

Risk Assessment

SPCA International Inc. faces ongoing reputational risks stemming from historical questions about its formation and fundraising practices shortly after its establishment in 2006-2007. A recent lawsuit (2021) regarding the ownership of a general SPCA web domain also presents legal and brand confusion risks, particularly concerning its relationship with other SPCA entities. Donors should be aware of these potential issues related to organizational identity and historical operational transparency.

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Many churches and government units do not file with the IRS (not being required to do so) — so they're not included in the IRS master list of nonprofits. Also, there are often delays in the IRS updating information in the list and the IRS list may contain errors, omissions, or inaccuracies.

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