



February 22nd - 24th

# MOAB 2012



Dear Animal Control Officers and Shelter Workers:

The 2012 Annual Conference will be held February 22nd – 24th 2012 at the Moab Valley Inn. The Conference is Wednesday through Friday and is a full three days. The cost of the Conference is \$180 which includes tuition for the conference, your U.A.C.O.A. and N.A.C.A. memberships, a banquet held on February 23rd.. If you fail to pre-register and pay at the door the tuition is \$200. The deadline for tuition is January 17th 2012. If you do not pay tuition by this date you will not be able to attend the banquet as they need the exact head count at that time. Please make sure that if you say you are bringing your spouse that you do. We will be having Prime Rib banquet. A copy of the conference agenda is enclosed for your reference. The classes will be very interesting and applicable. This will also be a time for us to enjoy getting together once again.

Again this year on Thursday February 23rd we will hold a special 8 hour training for Shelter Workers. This class will be for those who work in the shelters and or Animal Control. This class is available for \$90 for those who wish to attend just that class or they can pay \$180 and attend all three days.

During the Shelter class Animal Control Officers will also be trained in areas that pertain just to them. We will each be meeting in separate meeting rooms for these classes.

We are continuing the program of waiving the tuition cost for two nominated animal control officers. (See attached form.) Please review the form and offer comments and most importantly, nominations.

The earlier you confirm you're attending the conference, the better prepared we can be for each of you. We ask that you make your hotel reservations as soon as possible to ensure you get the type of room you want. Moab Valley Inn asked that the rooms be booked by January 17, 2012. The cost per room this year is \$77.00 per night.. The toll-free number is 1-800-831-6622. Let them know that you are with the Utah Animal Control Officers Association for this rate. They are giving us the \$77 room rate on Monday to Friday evening for those who would like to see the area before Conference starts.

Remember to nominate a shelter worker or volunteer for the Civilian employee/volunteer of the year award. Form is included in this information. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Jim, Pam or Justin at the agency numbers listed below. We look forward to seeing you in February in Moab!

Sincerely,

Jim Barker - U.A.C.O.A. President

<i><b>Jim Barker/ President</b></i>	<i><b>Pam Rasmussen, Vice President</b></i>	<i><b>Justin Hatch/ Treasurer</b></i>
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# 2012 U.A.C.O.A. Annual Conference In Moab REGISTRATION FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Number for Dinner on Thursday Evening    1            2 (Circle one)\*

\*Please let us know if you desire a vegetarian plate instead of meat, for one or two

Tuition: \$180 for all 3 days (Includes U.A.C.O.A. & N.A.C.A. Memberships)

Shelter Class Tuition \$90.00 includes Membership fees and dinner

## AUCTION ITEMS NEEDED!

This year is our 11th annual silent auction, held to help raise money for UACOA's Training Fund (*these monies are used for organizing other training functions and conferences so that we may offer them at low cost to you*). So bring your new or nearly new items for our auction. For every item you donate, you will be registered to win a major prize – What a deal!!!

These items will be on display on Wednesday and Thursday for all to bid on. They will then be claimed at the end of Dinner on Thursday evening after the awards are presented.

Please Send Registration Fee to UACOA

c/o Justin Hatch  
301 South Main Street  
Heber City, Utah 84032

# Moab Valley Inn



UTAH ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICERS ASSOCIATION  
TRAINING ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

OFFICIAL GRANT NOMINATION FORM

This program has been established to assist an Animal Control Officer in need of financial assistance for desired professional training conducted or sponsored by the Utah Animal Control Officers Association. The nominee must be an Animal Control Officer or Police Officer having ACO duties. The nominee can be nominated for assistance by a UACOA member, a professional associate, an administrator, or him/herself. The UACOA. Presidency will meet after a specified nomination closure date to evaluate the nomination forms and select a recipient for each available assistance grant (alternates may be selected for standby). The final decision of the Presidency is not subject to challenge. A recipient is eligible to act upon only one grant, to allow for as many individual opportunities as possible.

Training: UACOA Conference February 22-24, 2012 in Moab

Specific Assistance: \$180.00 Conference Tuition Waived

Exceptions: Any other expenses incurred, such as room, lodging, mileage, etc.

Closure Date: December 15, 2011

Grants Available: Two

Name, Address and Telephone Number of NOMINATOR:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Name, Address and Telephone Number of NOMINATEE:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_



# UTAH ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICERS ASSOCIATION ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER OF THE YEAR

## *Nomination Form*

This award is presented by the Utah Animal Control Officers Association and they require that the nominees meet the following criteria established in order to receive the award.

1. Have been actively involved in the animal control profession for at least one year prior to December 31 of the year nominated.
2. Be a current member of U.A.C.O.A..
3. Can be nominated for a single outstanding achievement in animal control or for their exceptional performance for the years prior to December 31 of year nominated.

Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Office \_\_\_\_\_ Home \_\_\_\_\_

Agency \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Hire \_\_\_\_\_

*Narrative of accomplishments / performance. (additional pages may be added as needed)*

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*Statement of why I feel this person is the animal control officer of the year.*

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# Utah Animal Control Officers Association

## Civilian Employee / Volunteer of the year award

The Utah Animal Control Officers Association has established an award to be presented to an outstanding person who is not an Animal Control Officer. But has shown exceptional awareness in animal control matters that merit distinction. The recipient shall be recognized as a great benefit to Animal Control field officers, for contributions and outstanding actions that assist in furthering the positive image of animal control professionals through local or state animal control associations.

This award recognizes that individual who unselfishly contributes so much to the animal control profession. It is those special people who compound the value of the profession's work by giving their unique expertise to help animals.

(Please print or type name of nominee)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of person being nominated: \_\_\_\_\_

Your name and title: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Your phone number and E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominations must be submitted by January 1, 2012. Any questions contact Jim Barker at 801-491-5542 or [jbarker@springville.org](mailto:jbarker@springville.org) or contact Pam Rasmussen at 801-254-3742 or [prasmussen@sjc.utah.gov](mailto:prasmussen@sjc.utah.gov)

**Please send information and why you think this person should receive this award to:**

**Jim Barker  
UACOA President  
110 South Main  
Springville, Utah 84663**

# CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

## Conference Agenda February 22<sup>nd</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> 2012

### Wednesday February 22nd 2012

7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

Registration

8:30 A.M. – 9:00 a.m.

Welcome, Introductions & Elections

9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

Break

9:15 a.m. 10:15 a.m.

Reptile handling - Jerry Hansen (reptile aficionado)

10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Break

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 p.m.

Rabies - Diane Keay, Health Department

11:30 p.m.– 1:00 p.m.

Lunch on your own

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Rabies Continued

2:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.

Break

2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.

Dea Licensing (State, Mike Morgan)

3:15 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Break

3:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

Dea Licensing (Fed, Lynnette Wingert)

6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Social Time in meeting room.

### Thursday February 23rd 2012

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Livestock Cruelty training - Rick Bell & Debra Gustafson

9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

Break

9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

Livestock Cruelty training Continued

10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Break

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Livestock Cruelty training Continued

11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch on your own

1:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.

Meth Labs and ACO's - Utah County Sheriff's Department

2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Break

2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Meth Labs and ACO's - Utah County Sheriff's Department - Continued.

6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Dinner and Awards For ACO's & Spouse

Silent Auction closes

## Friday February 24th 2011

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Barking dogs and ACO's - Jim Barker

9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

Break

9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

Officer Safety (Jake Savage)

10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Break

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Evidence Collecting

11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch on your own

1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Bite Cases - Brian Smith & Jamie Stell

2:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.

Break

2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.

Animal Care & Equipment

3:15 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Break

3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Animal Care & Equipment- Continued

**\*\*Please no pets in the meeting room. Thanks for your cooperation\*\***

We will see you at our next training.

## SPECIAL (SEPARATE) SHELTER CLASS February 23rd 2012

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Sue Sternberg

9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

Break

9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

Sue Sternberg Continued

10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Break

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Sue Sternberg Continued

11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch on your own

1:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.

Tracy Roddom - Grants

2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Break

2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Cleaning Products, Kirk McDaniel from Jack Morris Company

6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Dinner and Awards For Shelter Workers & Spouse

Silent Auction closes

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