

Joan Winograd

Joan Peppard Winograd is the Southeastern Director of Bequests for The Humane Society of the United States (HSUS). She assists people in making legacy gifts through their estates, which sustain HSUS's advocacy for animals throughout the 50 states. Joan believes strongly in HSUS's mission and its power to make transformational change, saving animals from cruelty and celebrating the human-animal bond. Her travels on behalf of HSUS take her to major metropolitan areas and to remote corners of the South. She is also an attorney and a member of The Florida Bar Animal Law Section.

Her tenure at HSUS follows many years as an executive in the sectarian, non-profit sector. Joan sees her dedication to animal welfare as an extension of her work on behalf of people victimized by racism, anti-Semitism and discrimination during her years as Southern Area Civil Rights Director for The Anti-Defamation League. Earlier in her career, she served as judicial research assistant to the late Florida appellate judge Natalie Baskin. In their own right, Joan and her family have been animal lovers and rescuers for many years, saving and adopting dogs and cats from shelters and the street.