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Southern California exploded with wildfires caused by severe Santa Ana winds and dry weather conditions in October, forcing thousands of people and animals from their homes. At least 15 separate wildfires destroyed over 200,000 acres, that evacuated more than 900,000 people and their pets, and destroyed hundreds of homes and displaced countless wildlife.

The American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (ASPCA) provided funding to the San Diego Humane Society for hay and other equine supplies.

“The ASPCA is happy to provide financial assistance for animals affected by this horrible tragedy,” said ASPCA President and CEO Ed Sayres

Animal welfare officials in the area said evacuees appeared to be taking their animals with them and that shelters, especially the Red Cross, have been very accommodating toward pets. However, larger animals, such as horses, can present special challenges, according to Sandy Monterose, the ASPCA’s Senior Director of National Outreach.

“The collaboration and support of animal and human welfare organizations nationwide is paramount during a relief effort like this, and the response so far has been very impressive and saved countless lives,” she said.

The American Veterinary Medical Association (AVMA) ensured that the animal victims of the California wildfires received veterinary medical care.

“Animals are too often the forgotten victims of a natural disaster, and the AVMA wants to remind pet owners to