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“Green Living” Seminar Scheduled to Benefit Catty Shack Ranch Wildlife Sanctuary

Jacksonville, FL, December 1, 2006: On Saturday, January 20, from 10 A.M. to 2 P.M. at the Catty Shack Ranch Wildlife Sanctuary, 1860 Starratt Road, in Jacksonville FL, a “Green Living” seminar and barbeque will take place, with proceeds to benefit the Catty Shack Ranch Wildlife Sanctuary. The seminar will be presented by Eco-\$mart, Inc, a supplier of healthy, efficient, disaster resistant construction materials. The seminar will introduce attendees to a wide variety of methods for reducing energy costs, improving indoor air quality, improving hurricane, mold and fire resistance, and reducing insurance costs, both for remodeling existing homes and commercial buildings, and in new construction. Hands-on displays will be set up for attendees to see, touch and explore many different “green” materials including poured concrete wall and roof systems, windows, lighting, bamboo and coconut palm flooring, soy based foam insulation, green roofing, solar water and pool heating, solar electric systems, recycled rubber porous paving, recycled plastic decking, fabric hurricane panels, and more. Jacksonville Electric Authority (JEA) will also educate attendees about energy and water saving ideas and incentive programs available.

Eco-\$mart, Inc. was founded in 1993, in Sarasota, FL, in partnership with the nonprofit Florida House Institute for Sustainable Development, and has recently opened a regional office in Jacksonville, in the Summer of 2006.

The Catty Shack Ranch Wildlife Sanctuary is dedicated the rescue and care of big cats. The Sanctuary provides care and shelter to cats confiscated by the state for illegal ownership, improper enclosures or maltreatment. They also educate the public to discourage illegal, private ownership, as wild animals, especially big cats, do not make good pets.

To raise money for the Catty Shack Ranch Wildlife Sanctuary, a full barbeque lunch has been donated by Mojo Bar-B-Que, whose restaurant is located at 1607 University Blvd. West, in Jacksonville, and soon opening a new location at 1500 Beach Blvd., Jacksonville Beach. The price for the lunch and seminar is \$15.00 per person, with all proceeds going to the Catty Shack Ranch Wildlife Sanctuary, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit (donations are tax deductible). Seating is limited, reservations are required.

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