

DOCCS Acting Commissioner Attends “Puppies Behind Bars” 20th Anniversary Celebration

DOCCS Acting Commissioner Anthony Annucci recently attended a celebration honoring the 20th anniversary of the “Puppies Behind Bars” (PBB) program. The event was hosted by actress and activist Glenn Close, who has volunteered with the program and produced a documentary in 2010 that highlights the positive effects the program has on those with post-traumatic stress disorder and traumatic brain injuries. During the event, Acting Commissioner Annucci participated in a panel discussion and answered questions regarding balancing innovative programs with security needs, as well as the positive impact of PBB on inmates and prison staff.

