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Humane Society of Sonoma County Announces New Partnership with Sonoma County Animal Services to Provide Animal Control Field Services to the City of Healdsburg

Healdsburg, CA – The Humane Society of Sonoma County (HSSC) is pleased to announce a new partnership with Sonoma County Animal Services (SCAS) to provide animal control field services for the City of Healdsburg, effective March 1, 2025.

SCAS has a long-standing reputation for excellence in animal control, including pet licensing, emergency response, disaster relief, animal bite investigations, and cruelty and neglect cases throughout Sonoma County. By joining forces, HSSC and SCAS aim to elevate animal welfare and public safety in Healdsburg.

“We’re thrilled to strengthen our partnership with HSSC by providing pet licensing and field services in Healdsburg,” said Brian Whipple, Director of Animal Services for SCAS. “By combining our professional field services with HSSC’s exceptional sheltering expertise, we are setting a new standard for animal welfare in Sonoma County.”

HSSC will continue to work closely with the Healdsburg Police Department, Fire Department, and other city agencies to support animal-related concerns.

“The Healdsburg Police Department values our ongoing collaboration with HSSC and welcomes this new partnership with SCAS,” said Matt Jenkins, Chief of Police for the City of Healdsburg. “Together, we are ensuring compassionate care and safety for both animals and our community.”

For the past nine years, HSSC’s Healdsburg Campus has been dedicated to serving the community through stray animal intake and redemption, pet adoptions, a pet food pantry, spay/neuter referrals, and animal control field services. This new partnership will further strengthen HSSC’s mission to provide compassionate, community-centered animal welfare services.

For any questions regarding this transition, please contact Karrie Stewart, RVT, HSSC Senior Manager Santa Rosa Adoptions and Healdsburg Campus, Humane Society of Sonoma County, (707) 542 -0882 x205, (707)431-3386 x103, kstewart@humanesocietysoco.org.

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About the Humane Society of Sonoma County

Serving the community since 1931, the Humane Society of Sonoma County is a donor-supported safe haven for animals. They provide shelter, medical care, behavior support and adoption services to homeless animals on their journey to happy and healthy lives. Last year, HSSC placed 1,747 animals into loving homes through their Santa Rosa and Healdsburg campuses. And adoption is just the beginning. As a resource to our community, they offer dog training classes and pet behavior support to help ensure the success of each adoption and strengthen the human/animal bond. Their weekly Low-Cost Spay/Neuter clinics, Community Veterinary Clinic, Community Action Team, and donation-supported Pet Food Pantry help owned pets stay safe, healthy and with the families who love them. HSSC’s Humane Education Program nurtures compassion for animals through youth summer and winter camps. Additionally, their outreach efforts and volunteer opportunities foster engagement and sustained support for their lifesaving programs. Visit humanesocietysoco.org and follow all their feel-good stories on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#).