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Ventura County Animal Services Modifying Adoption Hours

CAMARILLO, Calif. – Ventura County Animal Services will be reducing its pet adoption hours by limiting them to six days a week. On Mondays, the shelter will be open for those who have found lost pets, but not for adoptions.

The move comes as a result of a shift in resources to better manage the County's two seven-days-a-week shelters. By redeploying employee and volunteer resources, the shelters will be in a better position to properly care for and enrich the lives of the animals in their care on a daily basis.

The new schedule will take effect every Monday beginning March 1, 2018, for pet adoptions at both the Camarillo Animal Shelter at 600 Aviation Drive, and the Simi Valley Animal Shelter at 670 W. Los Angeles Avenue.

For more information, please contact Ventura County Animal Services at info@vcas.us or (805) 388-4341.

About Ventura County Animal Services

Ventura County Animal Services (VCAS) operates two shelters within the county. The large main shelter in Camarillo houses over 400 pets and the administrative offices. Our smaller facility in Simi Valley houses nearly 40 pets at a time.

Each year, Ventura County Animal Services cares for more than 10,000 animals. Our goal is to reunite lost pets with their owners and find life-long homes for as many animals as possible, while providing proper care during their stay.

Ventura County Animal Services provides contract services for eight cities within our community: Camarillo, Fillmore, Moorpark, Ojai, Oxnard, Port Hueneme, Simi Valley and Ventura. VCAS enforces local ordinances and state laws within our service areas, including animal cruelty/neglect investigations, leash law compliance, rabies suppression efforts and providing medical care for sick and injured animals.