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## LA in midst of CAT-TASTROPHE

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**Los Angeles** – LA Animal Services is calling upon all Angelenos to help the City of Angels reach a No-Kill status. During this time of year LA's Animal Care Centers are inundated with lost and homeless cats. These cats have little chance of survival unless loving Angelenos find room in their heart and homes to adopt a cat or two. Cats are social animals and two are always better than one!

Many incoming cats are orphaned neonate kittens; kittens too young to survive without their mother unless they are cared for by a foster care giver. LA Animal Services is asking for people unable to adopt a cat to consider caring for these young ones until they are old enough to be placed through adoption.

"Fostering orphaned kittens is a great family project," said Ed Boks, general manager of LA Animal Services. "It teaches our kids the value of life and the importance of caring. It also demonstrates how we can all make a difference."

For more information on LA Animal Services Foster Care Program visit: [http://www.laanimalservices.com/volunteer\\_fostercare.htm](http://www.laanimalservices.com/volunteer_fostercare.htm).

If you have a cat who is looking for a friend, or if you are looking for that special someone to give you unconditional love, please visit any one of LA's six Animal Care Centers to adopt a cat today!

LA Animal Services offers the best deal in town for cat adoptions. Each cat comes with a microchip (a \$50 value in most veterinary clinics) and the cats are spayed or neutered and vaccinated (another \$100 plus value)! **All this for just \$68!** Please help LA Animal Services save the lives of our feline friends.

For more information or assistance call LA Animal Services at  
1-888-452LA-PET1/1-888-452-7381  
(TTY Hearing impaired: 877-875-8205) or visit the website at [www.LAAnimalServices.com](http://www.LAAnimalServices.com).

*We create happiness by bringing pets and people together!*