



## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## LIFE SAVING ADOPTATHON FOR ANIMALS CAUGHT IN PERFECT STORM

Reductions of more than 60% in adoption fees offered

**Los Angeles** – LA Animal Services is responding to a perfect storm that has resulted in an extraordinary influx of animals into the City's six Animal Care Centers. The storm includes animals surrendered in record numbers as a result of the tragic housing crisis in LA, animals lost as a result of the 4<sup>th</sup> of July celebrations, and the fact that the summer is typically a high volume time for animal intakes into shelters.

LA Animal Services' response to this perfect storm is a special Pet Adoptathon at all its

## Animal Care Centers Saturday and Sunday, July 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>. 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Sunday

## Dogs and cats will be available for adoption at an unprecedented low price of \$43 for a dog and \$28 for a cat. This is more than a 60% savings off regular adoption fees.

During this event, these low adoption fees include spay/neuter surgery, microchip, vaccinations and in the case of dogs a license.

North Central 3201 Lacy Street Los Angeles, CA 90031

South LA 3612 11th Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90018 West LA 11361 West Pico Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90025

**East Valley** 14409 VanOwen St. Van Nuys, CA 91405 Harbor 957 N. Gaffey Street San Pedro, CA 90731

West Valley 20655 Plummer Street Chatsworth, CA 91311

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.

We create happiness by bringing pets and people together!