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Joint Powers Agency Meeting Notice

Thursday March 16, 2023, Stanislaus Animal Services Agency, 3647 Cornucopia Way, Modesto, CA

The Joint Powers Agency welcomes you to its meetings, which are held by announcement, and your interest is encouraged and appreciated.

The agenda is divided into two sections:

CONSENT CALENDAR: These matters include routine financial and administrative actions. All items on the consent calendar will be voted on at the beginning of the meeting under the section titled “Consent Calendar.” If you wish to have an item removed from the Consent Calendar, please make your request at the time the Agency Chairperson asks if any member of the public wishes to remove an item from consent.

REGULAR CALENDAR: These items will be individually discussed and include all items not on the consent calendar, all public hearing and correspondence.

ANY MEMBER OF THE AUDIENCE DESIRING TO ADDRESS THE AGENCY ON A MATTER ON THE AGENDA: Please raise your hand or step to the podium at the time the item is announced by the Agency Chairperson. In order that interested parties have an opportunity to speak, any person addressing the Agency will be limited to a maximum of 5 minutes unless the Chairperson of the Agency grants a longer period of time.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIODS: Matters under the jurisdiction of the Agency, and not on the posted agenda, may be addressed by the general public at the beginning of the regular agenda and any off-agenda matters before the Agency for consideration. However, California law prohibits the Agency from taking action on any matter which is not on the posted agenda unless it is determined to be an emergency by the Joint Powers Agency for Stanislaus Animal Services. Any member of the public wishing to address the Agency during the “Public Comment” period shall be permitted to be heard once for up to 5 minutes.

Materials related to an item on this Agenda submitted to the Agency after distribution of the agenda packet are available for public inspection in the Clerk’s office at 3647 Cornucopia Way, Modesto, CA during normal business hours.

NOTICE REGARDING NON-ENGLISH SPEAKERS: Joint Powers Agency meetings are conducted in English and translation to other languages is not provided. Please make arrangements for an interpreter if necessary.

REASONABLE ACCOMMODATIONS: In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance to participate in this meeting, please contact the Executive Director of Animal Services at (209) 342-1740. Notification 72 hours prior to the meeting will enable the Agency to make reasonable arrangements to ensure accessibility to this meeting.

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1. **Welcome:** Scotty Douglass
2. **Roll Call (Silent):**
3. **Presentations:**
 - A. Operations overview - Connie
4. **Public Comment Period: (Limit of 5 minutes per person)**
5. **Minutes of Previous Meeting:**
 - A. Approve the Agency Board Meeting Minutes from January 19, 2023
6. **Correspondence:**
7. **New Business:**
 - A. Approve staff to accept the California for All Animals grant for \$238,000 and approve the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Dogwood, so as to move forward with implementing a low-cost public spay/neuter program beginning in July 2023 for the 2024 FY. The budget will be adjusted to reflect the income from the grant and the expenditure to Dogwood in the FY2023 budget.

B. Approve a new schedule for public adoptions hours as follows:

	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
New	Closed	10am – 5pm	10am – 5pm	1pm – 5pm	10am – 5pm	10am – 5pm	9am – 5pm
Old	Closed	10am – 6pm	10am – 5pm	1pm – 6pm	10am – 5pm	10am – 5pm	12pm – 5pm

Staffing impacts: Consistent with the requirements of the Meyers-Milias-Brown Act (MMBA), the County will comply with any meet and confer labor obligations brought to the County’s attention by employees or the unions regarding these management decisions.

- C. Proposal to direct staff to bring a draft amendment to section 3.3 of the Stanislaus Animal Services Agency Joint Powers Agency (SASA JPA) Agreement, with respect to the Agency’s manner of exercising its powers currently subject to the restrictions applicable to the City of Modesto being replaced by restrictions applicable to the County of Stanislaus.
8. **Committee Reports:**
 - A. Executive Director Report - Vaughn
 - B. FY2024 draft budget discussion - Brian

9. **Informational:**

10. **Adjournment:**

