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“A Home for the Holidays” **All Pet Adoptions ½ price Saturday December 13th**

To help homeless pets get a home for the holidays, County Animal Services is discounting all adoptions on Saturday, December 13th. For one day only, all animal adoptions will be discounted 50%.

Santa Barbara County Animal Services has been bursting at the seams in all three of the community shelters for most of 2008. By adopting your perfect match you can add a family member and save a life this holiday season.

A dog adoption will be \$38.00, a cat adoption will be \$28.00 and a rabbit adoption will be \$10.00. For the adoption fee you will receive a wonderful companion that has been spayed or neutered and is current with all vaccinations, and ready to bring an abundance of love.

All three Santa Barbara County Animal Shelters have been operating above capacity for much of the year. There are currently close to 1100 animals in our care. “Our staff and volunteers work very hard to find loving permanent homes for our animals. We are making it a little less expensive and hope that we can get as many animals as possible into loving homes in time for the holidays,” said Jan Glick, Director of Animal Services.

As the holidays quickly approach, consider if this will be the right time to bring a new addition into your home. Come by and meet your match on December 13, 2008 from 10am until 3:30pm at any of the three county shelters. Visit the Santa Barbara Shelter at 5473 Overpass Rd, the Lompoc Shelter at 1501 West Central, or the Santa Maria Animal Center at 548 West Foster Rd. We are sure, if they could, the animals would add their special “thank you”.

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