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The City of Wichita Falls Animal Services is excited to announce the grand opening of the 18 kennel adoption wing at a ceremony on February 14, 2017 at 11:00am. The new wing is an addition to the original Animal Services Center located at 1207 Hatton Road.

Mayor Stephen Santellana will be the host of the ceremony followed by a reception.

Animal Services receives an average of 350 dogs and cats each month. The new adoption wing will allow for more of these animals to be held for adoption at Animal Services. This is one more step in decreasing the euthanasia rate which has steadily been dropping since Animal Services opened its facility in January 2011.

In honor of the grand opening and as an adoption promotion for Valentine's Day, Animal Services will also be offering \$14 adoptions on animals eligible for adoption. Staff encourages the public to stop by and adopt their furry Valentine.

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