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Community Adoption Event and “Hip to Snip” Campaign

Wichita Falls, Texas- Wichita Falls, Texas. The Wichita Falls-Wichita County Public Health District would like to inform the public of our new spay and neuter campaign that will be rolling out soon across Wichita Falls to encourage owners to spay and neuter their pets.

The City of Wichita Falls Animal Services Center has partnered with Emily’s Legacy Rescue, Humane Society of Wichita County, Miss Fannie’s Friends, P.E.T.S. Underdog Express, and Texas Pit Crew to launch a spay and neuter campaign to help reduce the pet population and bring down the number of animals brought into shelters and euthanized in our community. It starts with the community.

In 2023, 589 cats and 966 dogs were euthanized in Wichita Falls due to health, behavior, feral, and lack of space.

Shelters and rescues are severely overpopulated this time of year, as this is high litter season. This stretches the resources we have in The City of Wichita Falls and Wichita County to take in homeless pets.

To alleviate the stress and educate the public, The City of Wichita Falls Animal Services Center and our rescue partners are releasing a campaign urging Wichita County residents to spay and neuter their pets, entitled “It’s Hip to Snip!” This campaign will also provide resources and ways to find resources to spay and neuter your pets.

The campaign will launch Saturday, May 4 with a Cinco de Mayo Adoption Event at the City of Wichita Falls Animal Services Center, located at 1207 Hatton Road. The event will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and the Animal Services Center will offer \$5 adoptions for dogs and cats from May 4 – 11, 2024.

Most other rescue partners will also be at the event, as well as a food truck and pet merchandise vendors.

For more information, please contact us at 940-761-8894.

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