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CITY OF EL MONTE TO PROVIDE ANIMAL CONTROL SERVICES WITHIN CITY

LONG BEACH, Calif. – The City of El Monte (City) will now be handling animal control services within its city limits. Effective **January 17, 2017**, residents of El Monte should contact their City for animal control issues Monday through Thursday between 7:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

The County of Los Angeles Department of Animal Care and Control (DACC) will temporarily assist the City with emergency animal control situations outside of the hours mentioned above as well as on holidays. Please contact DACC directly during these periods for emergent issues. Nonemergency animal control requests will be handled by the City the next business day. DACC will continue to house animals for the City and its residents.

For more information about the City's Animal Control Division, please visit their website at www.ci.el-monte.ca.us/Government/EconomicDevelopment/AnimalControl.aspx. You may also contact them at 626-580-2080 or animalcontrol@elmonteca.gov.

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