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## **Community Event Brings Free and Low-Cost Pet Services to Escondido**

PAWS San Diego Helps Keep Pets with their Families and Out of Shelters

SAN DIEGO — <u>PAWS San Diego</u> is hosting a community pet event at Grape Day Park in Escondido on Saturday, Nov. 10, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Families will have access to free and low-cost pet supplies and services, including vaccinations, microchipping and dog licensing.

PAWS San Diego, a safety net program offered by San Diego Humane Society, helps people and pets stay together by providing essential services. PAWS San Diego offers pet food and supplies like flea medication, vouchers to assist with



veterinary bills, and services like transportation to vet appointments, dog walking and referrals to other services.

The community pet event, sponsored by EDCO Disposal, KLQV 102.9 FM Mas Variedad and KLNV Que Buena 106.5 FM, is family-friendly and will include:

- Free pet supplies
- Free and low-cost spay/neuter appointments from SDHS and Animal Welfare Foundation
- On-site spay and neuter surgeries provided by Spay-Neuter Action Project (SNAP)
- Discounted vaccinations and microchipping for dogs and cats
- Free pet behavior and training tips
- Free dog licensing (proof of rabies vaccination required)
- Information provided by Association for The Human Animal Bond Studies about assistance with veterinary care
- Music and entertainment provided by Univision

## To schedule an interview or for more information, please contact Dariel Walker at 619-250-6801 or dwalker@sdhumane.org.



**Suggested Tweet:** Join PAWS San Diego on Nov. 10 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Grape Day Park in @Escondido\_CA for a community pet event! PAWS will be providing free and low-cost pet supplies and services like spay/neuter appointments, vaccinations, microchipping & licensing. sdhumane.org/pawssandiego

## **About PAWS San Diego**

PAWS San Diego – a program of San Diego Humane Society – provides essential pet services and support to low-income seniors, chronically ill, disabled and homeless individuals to help them keep their pets. The goal of PAWS San Diego is to help people in need so that falling into tough times does not mean having to give up your pet. The best thing we can do for pets is to keep them out of animal shelters and together with the people who love and need them. For more information about PAWS San Diego <u>schumane.org/paws</u>.

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