

Resolution No. 2025-110

RESOLUTION OF THE SOLANO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS RECOGNIZING MAY 20, 2025, AS NATIONAL RESCUE DOG DAY IN SOLANO COUNTY

WHEREAS, each year, approximately 3.1 million dogs enter shelters nationwide, according to the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals; and

WHEREAS, when you adopt a rescue dog, you're saving more than just one life. By adopting, you're helping make space for another animal in need and helping to give them the opportunity to become beloved pets. Beyond just helping an animal in need, you're giving a rescue an opportunity to find their voice; to be themselves and get a second chance to become a dog beyond the walls of a shelter or rescue; and

WHEREAS, National Rescue Dog Day was created to bring awareness to the amazing dogs living in shelters that eagerly anticipate the day they meet their new owners and leave for their forever homes. Lisa Wiehebrink, a rescue dog owner who authored a book series called "*Tails That Teach*," to teach young children how to be kind and gentle with their beloved dogs, founded National Rescue Dog Day; and

WHEREAS, the Solano County Sheriff's Office Animal Care and Control Division operates the County animal shelter at 2510 Claybank Road in Fairfield. There, staff can assist the public with adoptions, spay/neuter of adoptable animals and dog licensing. In 2024, the shelter staff helped 1,472 animals connect with their forever homes; and

WHEREAS, animal care and control staff are critical to the success of adoptions of animals, including dogs, in Solano County. Several non-profit animal and breed-specific rescue organizations are also located in Solano County. Through their hard work, they perform outreach to the community, provide low-cost vaccination, microchipping, and spay/neuter services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Solano County Board of Supervisors hereby recognizes May 20, 2025, as National Rescue Dog Day in Solano County.

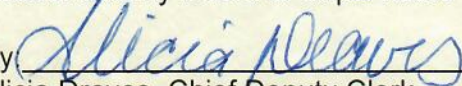
Dated this 13th day of May 2025





MITCH H. MASHBURN, Chair
Solano County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:
BILL EMLÉN, Clerk
Solano County Board of Supervisors

By 
Alicia Draves, Chief Deputy Clerk