



CITY COUNCIL STAFF REPORT

ITEM NO. 5.6

DATE: May 12, 2025

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council

FROM: Jeramy Young, Police Chief

SUBJECT: Resolution authorizing the execution of an agreement with the East Bay Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA) for Animal Welfare Shelter services for the term July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2028 in an amount not-to-exceed \$1,287,870.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Staff recommends the City Council adopt a resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute an agreement with the East Bay Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA) for the Animal Welfare Shelter services for the term July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2028 in an amount not-to-exceed \$1,287,870.

SUMMARY

The City of Livermore requires animal welfare shelter services for animals within the City limits to provide a range of animal services including boarding, licensing, medical services, adoption, and euthanasia. The Police Department previously contracted with Alameda County for these services through the East County Animal Shelter and now wishes to enter into an agreement for these services with the East Bay SPCA.

DISCUSSION

The Police Department's Animal Services Unit is responsible for responding to animal related calls for service, and taking animals for redemption, adoption, or quarantine to a shelter for care, and if applicable, medical attention. Shelter services include the following: providing live animals at the shelter with food, water and veterinary care when necessary; euthanizing animals not otherwise adopted, redeemed, sold, or donated to adoption organizations; disposing of dead animals; providing all building maintenance services including utilities, and supplying all necessary labor including training, supervision, and equipment necessary to operate the shelter.

The East Bay SPCA has a modern shelter facility that can provide all the necessary animal welfare services to Livermore animals, as well as a robust community education and training program available to Livermore residents and staff.

FISCAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE IMPACTS

This Agreement is for a three-year period with an amount not to exceed \$1,287,870. This amount has been included in the proposed Police Department General Fund budget for the FY 2025-26 and 2026-27 budget years. Future years' budgets will continue to include funding for the Agreement.

COMMUNITY PILLAR

1: A Safe Community That Thrives

GOAL

2: Public Safety

ATTACHMENTS

- 1. Resolution
- 2. Exhibit A - Agreement

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