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Fees waived for pet adoptions ONE DAY ONLY for 'Clear the Shelter' Day, Saturday

FARMERS BRANCH ~ The Farmers Branch Animal Adoption Center will be offering all adoptable pets without adoption cost for one day only on 'Clear the Shelter Day,' Saturday, August 15.

The Center will be open from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. that day and will be hoping to 'clear the shelter' of all adoptable pets.

The effort comes as part of the second annual such event where more than 50 shelters across north Texas will be attempting to adopt as many pets as possible.

Although the normal \$85 pet adoption fee will be waived, all regular services remain the same for pets adopted that date. Those services include microchipping, first round of vaccinations including for rabies, spay or neutering, a free veterinarian exam at participating local clinics, and, for adult dogs and cats, testing for heart worm and feline leukemia.

Last year, 38 participating shelters adopted more than 2,200 pets.



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About the City of Farmers Branch: The City of Farmers Branch, with a residential population of 28,800 and a daytime employment population of 66,000, is located on the northwest border of the City of Dallas. The City's 27 parks and lush greenbelts feature nationally-acclaimed, award-winning soccer fields, football facilities as well as baseball and softball complexes. The city's location in the center of the Metroplex and only 15 minutes away from both DFW Airport and Love Field, along with the 2,200 hotel rooms within the city, make Farmers Branch an ideal location for residents and for business. For more information on the City of Farmers Branch, visit www.farmersbranchtx.gov or call 972.919.2515.