

Spay-neuter clinic returning March 25-26

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The Del Norte Humane Society will host a grant-funded spay-neuter clinic at the Yurok Tribe's Community Room in Klamath March 25-26 at the Yurok Tribe's Community Room in Klamath.

According to the California for All Animals grant program, lawful and effective spay and neuter programs are needed to stabilize the massive overpopulation of dogs and cats destined to end up in overwhelmed and beleaguered animal shelters.

The UC Davis Veterinary School through its California for All Animals Koret Shelter Medicine Program has distributed \$45 million to organizations such as the Humane Society of Del Norte (HSDN) to assist and provide spay and neuter services to shelters in need. HSDN received a three-year grant for \$385,000 with the first installment of \$128,000 disbursed in January.

The Humane Society of Del Norte (HSDN) has contracted with PUB VET, a mobile spay and neuter service called Neuter Scooter to conduct spay and neuter services on Tribal land.

Four Paws performs limited spay and neuter service from the Humane Society.

The Yurok Tribe issued a statement, Jan. 27 declaring the following: "Individuals and groups may rent out the Tribe's Community Room. The Humane Society of Del Norte rents the space for it spay and neuter clinic. The organization (HSDN) is responsible for all aspects of the clinic."

According to the PUB VET website, Dr. Aria Armendariz Peavy, DVM will be the assigned veterinarian who will conduct all spaying and neutering procedures for both dogs and cats at the Klamath event.

According to the California State Board of Veterinary Medicine, Dr. Aria Peavy is in good standing.

Those intending to register their pet for this service are required to bring their animal crated, bathed, no food given for 12 hours and provide two clean towels at the spay-neutering event.

The Yurok Tribe's Community Room is located at 190 Klamath Boulevard, in Klamath.