PROCLAMATION of the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors

RECOGNIZING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 2016 AS "Spay and neuter month" in mendocino county

WHEREAS, spaying and neutering is the method the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors prefers to prevent the birth of unwanted animals, as opposed to the need to euthanize animals, and is the humane approach to controlling the population of cats and dogs, and the problems that result from their overpopulation; and

WHEREAS, the Spay Neuter Assistance Program (SNAP) provides funds to assist lowincome persons to spay or neuter animals within their care and for spaying or neutering of feral cats; and

WHEREAS, the Animal Care Services Clinic and Care-A-Van offer affordable and accessible spay and neuter services to residents of Mendocino County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mendocino, hereby proclaims the month of February 2016 to be "Spay and Neuter Month" in Mendocino County, and calls upon the citizens of Mendocino County to spay and neuter animals within their care.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors recognizes the Spay Neuter Assistance program (SNAP) for their dedication and commitment to providing these services in Mendocino County.

Dated: February 2, 2016

Dan Gjerde, Chair Board of Supervisors

