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## Fwd: New LAAS SHELTERING AT HOME Policy

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From: Yoav Getzler <yoavgetzler@gmail.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 13, 2018 at 5:31 PM

Subject: New LAAS SHELTERING AT HOME Policy

To: Sharon.Dickinson@lacity.org

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To Whom it May Concern,

Please register our support for this positive change to the inadequacies of the current 4-day shelter hold policy that doesn't leave a pets family enough time to locate and retrieve their lost pet for so many reasons. My wife and I are lifelong LA residents, homeowners with rescued cats we chipped. We live in a neighborhood where everyone on our block has some kind of pet. If they go out of town for a week or two and the pet gets out there just isn't enough time to be reunited with their lost pet if it was found and made it to a shelter. Shelters are crowded and with volunteers ready to offer to shelter at home this is a creative way to solve multiple issues simultaneously.

I understand this type of home sheltering has been successful in some kind of pilot or grassroots movement in Laurel Canyon. I think this could be a positive in many neighborhoods and we as a city should be looking for ways to ease over-regulation and find ways to be more creative in ways that give our neighbors more flexibility when it comes to lost, stray or abandoned animals.

Please implement this positive and innovative change Citywide.

Thank you,

Yoav and Theresa Getzler 5934 Carpenter Ave Valley Village, CA 91607

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