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## Fwd: NO to Budget Cuts for LA Animal Services

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Subject: NO to Budget Cuts for LA Animal Services

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As a constituent of Los Angeles, I am demanding that the City Council **not move forward with any cuts to LA Animal Services**. LA is already one of the deadliest cities in the country for shelter animals. Slashing funding and staff will result in even more cruelty, suffering, and preventable death. It is unconscionable.

*"The greatness of a nation and its moral progress can be judged by the way its animals are treated."* — Gandhi.

What does it say about us if we choose budget convenience over compassion? These animals are helpless. They rely entirely on us. Their lives are in your hands.

**Do not balance the city's budget by sentencing thousands of animals to die. Do better. Cut elsewhere.**

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