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Chico Police Department's Animal Shelter Garner's Rave Reviews in Fans' Choice Award
-- It's official. Chico loves the Chico Animal Shelter --

Chico, CA – The Chico Animal Shelter, located at 2579 Fair Street, Chico, CA 95928, is a division within the Chico Police Department. The facility is dedicated to offering shelter and care primarily to stray or lost dogs but also assists sick or injured cats. The staff of the Chico Animal Shelter is proud and honored to have been nominated in the 2017 Fans' Choice Award competition. As part of the recognition, the public has submitted reviews of the Chico Animal Shelter over the past several weeks.

"The Chico Animal Shelter is somewhat of a well-kept secret so it has been satisfying to see the range of positive reviews from the public," explains Shelter Manager Tracy Mohr. "Our goal is to offer loving care to homeless animals and quickly find the rightful owners for lost pets. The kind words are a bonus."

One Fans' Choice reviewer wrote, "Chico Animal Shelter is very welcoming of new volunteers and are happy to work with everyone. They truly care about their animals, especially the long timers who still deserve a chance."

Another said, "I appreciated the Chico Animal Shelter because it is full of loving and hard-working staff members. I once adopted a kitten and was amazed to receive a follow-up note card. Thank you for all that you do for the four-legged."

The Chico Animal Shelter began operations as a division of the City of Chico Police Department in February of 2012. The shelter cares for and provides temporary shelter to dogs and some cats until they are physically and emotionally prepared to be placed for adoption in suitable homes. The Chico Animal Shelter works closely with its adoption partner, the Butte Humane Society, to identify as many acceptable households as possible for adoption placement.

On-site services at the Chico Animal Shelter include walk-in micro-chipping for dogs and cats for \$26 dollars. The fee includes a lifetime registration. Dog owners can also obtain a city-required animal license. A valid proof of rabies vaccination is required. Fees range from \$12.50 to \$57 dollars depending on whether the animal is spayed or neutered and the time length for the license requested.

Animals found only within the Chico city limits are eligible to be housed at the Chico Animal Shelter.

The Chico Animal Shelter is open seven days a week from 12:00 PM until 6:00 PM. For more information visit www.chicoanimalshelter.org or call 530.894.5630.

To learn more about the Chico Animal Shelter and its programs view the [Chico Animal Shelter Video](#)



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