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**Ten Thousand Pounds of FREE Pet Food to Give Away to  
Local Pet Rescue Partners on Friday**

**Encinitas, CA – Nineteen pallets of pet food arrived at your Rancho Coastal Humane Society (RCHS) at 389 Requeza Street in Encinitas late Wednesday morning. It will be distributed to AT NO COST to local rescue groups on Friday. The food is donated through Rescue Bank ® operated by Greater Good.org, a non-profit organization that supports animal rescue and rehabilitation groups by providing services and supplies.**

**RCHS President Judi Sanzo says, “Our food distribution since the COVID 19 crisis began will be more than 70,000 pounds. Under normal circumstances the rescue groups pay for shipping. Rescue Bank tells us the cost of this shipment has been paid. This food is absolutely free to qualified rescue organizations.”**

**“This truckload includes mostly cat food and treats.** Past shipments have contained mostly dog food. This is great news for cat rescue groups. We plan to distribute the food and treats to 501 (c) (3) non-profit pet rescue groups starting at 9:00 on Friday morning.”

There are about 200 rescue groups in San Diego County. All of their animals deserve proper nutrition. Greater Good.org and Rescue Bank trust Rancho Coastal Humane Society to carry out their intentions and help feed animals waiting to be adopted.

**For more information rescues should contact [info@sdpets.org](mailto:info@sdpets.org).**

*The pet food arrived at RCHS late Wednesday morning. The pallets were organized according to the products they contain.*

*Rescues are reminded NOT to block the driveway entering RCHS to allow pickup and so rescues who have picked up their food can leave the parking lot.*

**Rescue group representatives must remain in their vehicles.**

**They must provide their 501 (c) (3) nonprofit number.**

**The food will be loaded into their vehicles by RCHS staff and volunteers.**