



CENTRAL DAKOTA HUMANE SOCIETY

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Central Dakota Humane Society Reminds People to Take Pets if They Must Evacuate

Central Dakota Humane Society is reminding people that if the need arises for them to evacuate their homes due to rising flood waters that they evacuate WITH their animals and NOT leave them behind. Pet owners are encouraged to find a place to stay with their pets, if at all possible. Take food, medications that your pet is currently taking, collars, leashes, kennels, litter pans and litter, as well as some familiar items, (i.e. favorite blanket, favorite toys, chew toys).

If you cannot find accommodations to move to along with your pet, check with local pet boarding facilities for space availability. Check with your veterinarian who may be able to board pets for clients.

CDHS will do all we can to help people with their pets. Details are still emerging regarding options for temporary animal care services. We will keep people informed as additional options become available.

CDHS is a no-kill animal shelter that serves Bismarck-Mandan and the surrounding communities by housing and finding homes for lost, strayed or abandoned animals, promoting spaying and neutering and offering educational opportunities. The shelter is open Tuesdays through Saturdays from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. and is located just three miles north of Mandan on Highway 1806. People may also visit the CDHS website at www.cdhs.net to view pictures of adoptable animals.