

# Lost and found animal protocol

## **LOST:**

After searching your own property, including hiding places your animal might be and checking your neighborhood, leaving your name and number with your neighbors. If they are not home, leave a note to call you.

1. Call Animal Services 754-6509 with detailed information.

Location where animal was lost, physical information (color, weight, sex), provide photo if possible via email.

2 Call Calaveras Humane Society 736-9417 and give same information that you gave Animal Services.

3. Notify local media, social media, Pine Tree, contact local vets, put up posters that contain a photo of the missing animal, detailed description and phone and email. Do not put your name or address. Place an ad in your local paper. Contact Animal Services daily to see if any animals brought in might be yours.

4. Get on Calaveras Humane Society website [www.calaverashumane.org](http://www.calaverashumane.org) and click on lost/found and post or read information already posted to see if animal on there.

## **FOUND:**

1. If possible take to local vet to see if micro-chipped or call Calaveras Humane Society as they have micro-chip readers, or take to shelter and the micro chip can be scanned for contact info.

2. Call Animal Services 754-6509 with detailed information.

Location where animal was lost, physical information (color, weight, sex), provide photo if possible via email.

3. Call Calaveras Humane Society 736-9417 and give same information that you gave Animal Services.

4. Notify local media, social media, Pine Tree, contact local vets, put up posters that contain a photo of the found animal, detailed description and phone and email. Do not put your name or address. Place an ad in your local paper.

5. Go to Calaveras Humane Society website [www.calaverashumane.org](http://www.calaverashumane.org) and click on lost/found and post or read information already posted to see if animal on there.

6. Keep the animal secure – In a garage, kennel, crate. Make sure to give it water and limited dry food - give more food gradually if animal seems comfortable.