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PRESS INFORMATION

Tehama County Sheriff's Office (TCSO) Purchases 2 new Animal Regulation Trucks.

The Tehama County Sheriff's Office purchased 2 Animal Regulation Trucks from Yolo County. The two 2015 Ford F250's are equipped with "Deerskin" animal boxes. These boxes are bigger, more insulated and air conditioned for the comfort of the animals being transported. The old TCSO Animal Regulation trucks were aging and both had well over 300,000 miles.

Due to the lack of space for the animals and heat/cold ARO's had to make several trips to the Animal Care Center every shift. This was a waste of time and fuel, by having more spaces and air conditioning the ARO's can now handle multiple calls for service before heading to the Animal Care Center.

The trucks purchased from Yolo Co. have 36,000 and 53,000 miles on them, by buying these trucks TCSO saved the about \$20,000 per truck. TCSO had to only change the graphics and put police radios in the trucks to get them on the street. Sheriff Hencratt was able to purchase the vehicles using funds that are not part of the County's general fund; therefore the purchase of the vehicles did not impact the County's general fund.

