



Marion County
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Marion County Dog Shelter Assists Willamette Humane Society

Beginning March 3, the Marion County Dog Shelter will begin accepting stray dogs from Polk County that otherwise would be taken to the Willamette Humane Society (WHS) on Tuesday and Wednesday of each week.

The WHS announced on February 25 that they would close their doors to the public two days a week, and the Marion County Dog Shelter has agreed to accept and temporarily house these dogs until they can be transported to WHS. The Marion County Dog Shelter does not accept surrendered dogs or any other companion animals.

The dog shelter is open for business Monday through Saturday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and is located at 3550 Aumsville Highway SE in Salem. For more information you may contact the dog shelter at (503) 566-6966.

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