

# Tehama Together's Listos program recognized for pet preparedness



Steve Shoub and Brewster join Hannah Brown in showcasing the pet go bag she developed as part of Listos, Tehama Together's emergency preparedness program. (Contributed)

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During the statewide February meeting of the 28 Community Based Organizations contracted to implement California's Emergency Preparedness program, Tehama Together's pet preparedness materials were recognized during show and tell as a state model.

Tehama Together, a United Way of Northern California Listos subgrantee, has spent the last nine months providing emergency preparedness training for local vulnerable populations in preparation for disasters. Realizing the important role pets play in a family, it was decided to develop a special set of materials so pets are ready for disasters, such as wildfires, floods and power blackouts.

Just as family members are encouraged to prepare go bags, Tehama Together designed and ordered pet go bags. In addition, tri-fold how-to brochures and window stickers were produced. The stickers are intended to be filled out by residents and mounted on doors so first responders will be aware of pets needing to be rescued.

In creating public awareness of the need for preparing for emergencies, Tehama Together has found that having these pet materials has helped to motivate families to become involved in this training effort. Collaborating with PETS, Providing Essentials for Tehama Shelter, has been especially helpful in involving the public.

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