

Yolo County Sheriff's Office Press Release

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Sheriff's Office Looking for Biting Dog in Woodland CA

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

The Yolo County Sheriff's Office, Animal Services Section, is asking for the public's help in attempting to locate a biting dog in Woodland, CA.

The incident occurred on Saturday June 7, 2014 at approximately 8:00 pm. An adult female was walking in the area of Nugget Market at 157 Main Street, on the Court Street side, when she reportedly attempted to pet a loose stray dog and was bitten. The victim reports she has not seen the dog before and there was no owner or responsible with the dog at the time of the bite. The bite was reported to Animal Services by the victim's medical provider. Efforts to locate the animal by Animal Services have been unsuccessful.

The victim describes the dog as a multi-color Cattle Dog of medium size, but could not recall any other information.

Anyone having knowledge about this bite incident or the location of the owner of the dog is encouraged to report it to Animal Services or the Yolo County Sheriff's Office. Identifying the dogs to verify current rabies vaccination will help possibly prevent the victim from post exposure rabies treatment.

The Yolo County Sheriff's Office Animal Services Section wants to take this opportunity to remind the public how important it is to not allow your dogs to run loose in the community and to vaccinate your pets for rabies. Keep the public and your pets safe!

Anyone having any information please contact Yolo County Sheriff's Office, Animal Services Section 24 hours a day at (530) 668-5287 or email animal.bite@yolocounty.org.

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