Law Enforcement

can help create a Socially Conscious Animal Community by:



Recognizing that pets are vital to a family's wellbeing and integral to the family unit



Partnering with welfare organizations and human service providers to provide resources that support pets and their people



Understanding animal welfare laws and policies



Understanding whether education, support, or enforcement is the most appropriate response to animal welfare concerns



Acknowledging limitations, barriers and disparities in access to care for animals



Thoughtfully responding to situations involving animal cruelty and neglect

