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## Beaufort County Breaks Ground for New Animal Campus

Earlier this week, representatives from Beaufort County, Hilton Head Humane Association, Glick Boehm Architecture and Nix Construction participated in a groundbreaking ceremony for the new Beaufort County Animal Services Campus, set to be built on a six-acre site in Okatie. The new facility is expected to take slightly more than a year to build.

The \$7 million project will include a facility for [the County's Animal Services Department](#) to house and treat animals brought there or picked up by animal services staff, as well as a spay-neuter clinic and adoption center to be managed by Hilton Head Humane Association.

According to Tallulah Trice, director of the Animal Services Department, the vision of the County and Hilton Head Humane Association is to become a model open-admission shelter that turns no animal away. Goals of the new campus include expanding programs and services and continuing to raise awareness and community support to grow life-saving programs, while creating a more humane environment for all animals in Beaufort County.

To see event photos and learn more about how you can help, visit [www.takeushome.org](http://www.takeushome.org).