



# The Bird Rescue Center of Sonoma County

*Restoring wings to the wild*

## WE HAVE A LOCATION FOR OUR HOME!!!

Hello, Everyone!

We have an exciting update for you regarding our relocation project. We have come to an agreement on a long-term lease for the use of approximately 2 acres in Cotati!!! What this means is, **WE HAVE A LOCATION FOR OUR HOME!!!**

This beautiful rural property is in a great location with very easy access to both northbound and southbound Hwy. 101. While it is further south than where we are currently, it is literally 3 minutes to the freeway. Septic, well and utilities are already on the property (although we will have to cover the expense of hooking into them). Our portion is part of a larger parcel. The remainder of the property is being developed as a private equestrian facility.

Since the property doesn't have any existing structures for us to use, the next step in the relocation project will be the design and construction of a new facility. The design part of that undertaking is already underway.

Our biggest need right now is funding. We have set a target for Phase I at \$600,000. Please share the news – and our need – with everyone you know. And if you come across anyone who is able to help us financially, please get their contact information and share it with Ashton or any Board member.

We will continue to provide updates about our progress, so stay tuned!

### **YOU'RE INVITED**

As well as providing an update about what is going on, we also wanted to invite you to our Lease Signing Ceremony, Friday, April 5<sup>th</sup> at 2:30 at BRC.

We will be hosting this ceremony to celebrate this massive first step in our relocation project. We have invited Supervisor Zane and Supervisor Rabbitt to attend to signify that we are leaving one District and moving to another. Their presence could be really important to our future fundraising activities. We are also arranging for press coverage. This will definitely be the perfect opportunity for all of us to express our appreciation to the very generous property owners who are giving us the use of their land.

See you there!

BRC Board

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## ***RSVP***

Please RSVP here if you haven't already responded to our earlier email.

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