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Humane society plans temporary move

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The Suffolk Humane Society will open a temporary office at 3118 Kings Highway, next to Arthur's General Store in Driver village. This becomes effective April 6.

Volunteers will be on site Monday through Friday.

The building, which was severely damaged in the April 2008 tornado, has been repaired and will be multi-purpose.

"We will accept donations, store our materials, hold adoption events and humane education presentations/seminars, sponsor the Neuter Scooter, adopt cats, and much more," said Angela Chandler, president of the Suffolk Humane Society Board of Directors. "Having an official location will give us so many new opportunities."

The group also requests donations of office equipment, including a copy machine and fax machine. Donations are tax deductible. In December 2008, three acres of land on Pruden Boulevard were donated to Suffolk Humane. The group hopes to use the land eventually for an office, and one day as a possible site to build an environmentally friendly animal shelter in Suffolk.

For details, call 374-1476 or visit www.suffolkhumanesociety.com.

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