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**MEDIA ALERT**

**Fresno Chaffee Zoo Welcomes Baby Wallaby**

**WHO:** Fresno Chaffee Zoo

**WHAT:** Fresno Chaffee Zoo Welcomes Baby Wallaby

**INFO:** Fresno Chaffee Zoo has welcomed a new baby wallaby. Tammar wallabies are born about the size of a jellybean and are then carried in their mother's pouch for 8 to 9 months as they continue to grow and develop. The young wallaby is now out of mom's pouch and can be seen in Roo Walkabout.

**ABOUT:** Centrally located in Fresno, California, Fresno Chaffee Zoo is a 39-acre Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA) accredited zoo. It is home to over 200 different species and features exhibits—from Sea Lion Cove to African Adventure—that teach guests about animals all across the globe and the conservation efforts to protect them. The Zoo welcomes over 800,000 guests annually, offering a world-class guest experience and conservation education to all who visit. The mission of Fresno Chaffee Zoo is to inspire wonder of our natural world, provide an engaging learning environment, and create a passion for conservation.

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