

PAWS Animal Rescue

FOSTER CARE AGREEMENT

Foster's Name: _____ Max. Capacity of Foster Pets: Cats _____ Dogs _____

Breed/Animal Type Preference: _____

Foster's Address: _____

Foster's Phone #: _____ Cell Ph: _____

Foster's Email: _____ Assigned Board Member/Coach: _____

Foster Agrees To:

- Allow PAWS Animal Rescue representative(s) to visit the foster home.
- Provide care, food, water, clean litter pans and a dry, clean, warm place to sleep.
- Keep cat/kitten (s) indoors only. Provide warm shelter for dogs and puppies. (Inside home for dogs is preferred, especially during winter months.)
- Seek medical attention as necessary for animals through approved PAWS Animal Rescue veterinary providers as needed. **(Veterinary authorizations must be obtained prior to a vet visit from a PAWS Board Member.)** Genesee County Authorizations can be obtained through Glenda Beatty @ 810-247-0356 or 810-635-9649
- Show animals as often as possible at the designated PAWS Animal Rescue public viewing locations.
- Ensure that animals are posted to the PetFinder web site through designated PAWS administrator.
- Relinquish all associated adoption fees and public donations to PAWS Animal Rescue.
- Follow up on all adoptions to be sure that the pet is safe, healthy and spayed/neutered as agreed to in the PAWS Animal Rescue Adoption Contract. (Recommended follow up is 2 weeks from adoption and again for verification of spay/neuter if applicable.)
- Ensure that any new cats/kittens have been Feline Leukemia tested prior to exposing to other animals in the household.
- Ensure that the recommended vaccination/medical schedule is followed while under foster care. (See also PAWS vaccination schedules.)
- Ensure that the number of fostered pets in the household does not exceed the maximum capacity listed above.
- Returned Animals: Fosters are responsible for accepting all previously fostered animals that need to be returned.

PAWS Animal Rescue Disclosure:

PAWS Animal Rescue encourages foster families to find homes for fostered animals. If you choose to keep a fostered animal, we require that you pay for the medical expenses and pound fees that the rescue has incurred and that the adoption contract be completed, signed and turned in to PAWS Animal Rescue.

PAWS Rescue cannot be held liable for any damages to household, personal property or personal injury. Further, I understand that the rescued animals are the sole property of PAWS Rescue. I understand that it is expected that I will be responsible for the fostered animal until it is adopted out. If a situation arises that I can no longer care for the rescued animals, I agree to work with PAWS Animal Rescue to find a new foster home.

Foster's Signature: _____ Date: _____

PAWS Representative. (Print): _____

PAWS Representative's Signature: _____

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FOSTER INTRODUCTION

This is an overview of what you will need to do as a foster. **Please read over the handbook** and if you have any questions please ask a board member to clarify. This is to be a helpful tool for you to use while fostering.

- **When you get a new foster:** 1st start a folder immediately, you will need any medical info that has been done to them. One of our regular volunteers or board members can help you get the folder together at Petsmart. You will need to keep track of medical (shots, de-wormers, etc..) and when they are due make arrangements with (Glenda, Tiffany, or Debbie) to give them.
 - New foster's pets need to be crated and introduced slowly to your family & pets
 - New foster's need to be kept quarantined for up to 14 days to make sure free of any virus or disease (ask for specifics if unsure)
- **Obtain food and/or litter** from Glenda / Farm.
- **When the foster is ready to get spayed/neutered** Glenda will put you on the schedule to go to Adopt-A-Pet in Fenton. You will need to have them to Adopt-A-Pet @ 7:00am and will have to pick up by 2:30pm the same day. ***Make sure no food or water is given to the animal after 6:00pm the night before surgery.*** Rabies, microchips, FELV/FIV test, Heartworm test, will also be done on day of spay/neuter, if age appropriate (check with board member if you are unsure what your foster needs)
- **Showing:** ***The more you show, the better the chance your foster has of adoption.*** You will need to bring your foster at least 2 times a month to our showings at Petsmart in Grand Blanc or Pet Supplies Plus in Ortonville. Bring your foster's paperwork to showings with them. Tiffany emails a schedule out weekly. Please reply to the email ASAP as there is a limited amount of space at the showings.
- **Petfinder:** Give Tiffany a description of your foster and pictures [head and body shot] so she can place them on Petfinder (adoption Website). If you cannot take the pictures let Tiffany know and other arrangements will be made.
- **Adoptions:** All adoption applications must be approved by a Volunteer that has been approved by the board. We ask you learn the adoption paper work so you will be able to complete your own foster's adoptions. You will need to watch and help with a couple until you feel comfortable completing one on your own. ***These are legal documents so it is VERY important it is done correctly.***

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