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*Our rescue is run on a volunteer basis – applications, phones calls, etc., are reviewed when possible.* 

### **Application to Foster**

(Please Email this application to <a>Fosterandforever@gmail.com</a>)

#### <u>PLEASE NOTE</u>: For the Safety of our Furbabies & Foster's Children We Do Not Foster Out to Families with Children Under Five Years of Age

#### Applicant:

Name:				Date:		
Home Phone:	Work #:		Cell #:			
Email Address:						
Home Address:						
City:	State:	State:		Zip Code:		
Date of Birth:	Age:	Driver's Lice	ver's License #			
Have you had a tetanus or booster shot within the last 5 Years? Yes				No		
Please list any allergies or physical, m might hinder you or any member of y	your family from safely	participating in	n any a	area of the		program:
Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor associated with animal abuse and/or neglect? If yes please explain below:			Yes		No	

#### HOME INFORMATION: please place a check mark in the appropriate category

Which best describes your home:	Condominium	Apartment	Mobile Home		
Live with parents	Single Family Home	Multi Family Home	Other		
If Other please describe:					
Is your Home Rented?		Yes	No		
If Yes, Please list your Landlord's name & contact information (Phone number and address)					
If you own, is the ownership listed in your name?		Yes	No		
How long have you lived at this address?					
Does your home have a yard?	Yes	No			
What type of fencing/containment do you have?					
Height of fencing:	Length ar	Length and width of fencing:			

#### **Family Information:**

List the names and ages of all children in the home and those who visit regularly:

List all other members of your household (names and ages), whether or not they are related to you:

#### Animals in the household:

List ALL animals that are currently in your home: Please list species (dog/cat/bird/etc.) Breed, age, gender, how long you have owned the pet:

Have all the animals in your home been vaccinated against Rabies?	Yes	No
Have all of the dogs been vaccinated against Parvo?	Yes	No
Do the dogs get monthly heartworm medication?	Yes	No
Do your indoor/outdoor animals get monthly flea and tick medication?	Yes	No
What other vaccinations do your animals have?		

#### **Reference (Vet Preferred):**

Name:		Address:				
City:	State:		Zip Code:	Code: Email address:		
Relationship/Comments (e.g. names of pets seen by a vet)						

#### **Fostering Logistics:**

Is everyone in your household in agreement about fostering?	Yes	No
If No, please explain:		
What hours (day and night) is someone in your home usually?		
What provisions will be made for the animal(s) when no one is home?		

#### **Dog/Puppy Experience and Fostering Availability:**

Have you ever owned or cared for a difficult dog? Please describe your experience:

Have you ever bottle fed puppies?

Would you be willing to foster a pregnant dog?

Would you be willing to foster a female dog with puppies?

Would you be willing to foster puppies? How many?

Would you be willing to foster a dog/puppy with special medical needs?

Would you be willing to foster a dog/puppy that needs socializing and/or training?

Would you be willing to foster a dog/puppy that needs hospice care:

Why do you want to foster dog(s)/ puppy(ies)?

What size (small, medium, large) type, sex of dog(s) are you interested in fostering?

Are you willing to foster until the dog(s) find a loving home? (sometimes this can take weeks or even months)

Do you have anything you want to add to this application or any questions that haven't been answered?

#### Cat/Kitten Experience and Fostering Availability:

Have you ever owned or cared for a difficult cat? Please describe your experience:

Would you be willing to foster a pregnant cat?

Would you be willing to foster a female cat with kittens?

Would you be willing to foster kittens? How many?

Have you ever bottle fed kittens?

Would you be willing to foster a cat that needs socializing and/or training?

Would you be able to foster a cat/kitten with special medical needs?

Would you be willing to foster a cat/kitten that needs hospice care?

Why do you want to foster cat(s)/ kitten(s)?

Would you be able and willing to ensure that fostered cat(s)/kitten(s) are kept indoors at all times? Are you willing to foster until the cat(s)/kitten(s) finds a loving home? Sometimes this can take weeks or even months.

Do you have anything you want to add to this application or any questions that haven't been answered?

#### **Certification:**

I certify that the information I have supplied above is true and that any false statements may result in nullifying this application. I further understand that this application is the property of Foster and Forever and will be retained by them. I also agree to contact a representative of Foster and Forever immediately to return any animal(s) that I may foster from them, should I need to relinquish fostering of the animal(s) at any time.

#### FOSTER FAMILY REQUIREMENTS:

THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS ARE MANDATORY FOR ALL FOSTER FAMILIES: IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED AS A FOSTER FAMILY TODAY, YOU MUST:

1. Be 18 years of age or older;

2. Have identification showing your present address;

3. Have the knowledge and consent to foster, of all adults living in your household;

4. Have the knowledge and consent of your landlord or the person owning the premises in which the animal will live;

5. Understand that this application is the property of Foster and Forever and will be retained in its files;

6. Understand that Foster and Forever has full authority to approve or deny your foster application;

7. Understand that Foster and Forever reserves the right to verify all information submitted on this application, including veterinary information;

8. Understand it is my responsibility to provide a safe, warm, indoor housing for fostered animals;

# 9. Understand that the fostered animal <u>WILL NOT</u> associate with any other animal(s) in the household <u>UNTIL</u> it has been vetted; <u>FOSTERS CAN BE HELD LIABLE FOR ANY & ALL VETERINARIAN COSTS INCURRED FOR FAILURE TO FOLLOW PROTOCOL</u> <u>REGARDING #9 RESULTING IN OUR ANIMAL(S) ACQUIRING AN ILLNESS</u>

10. Understand that I must provide food and access to water at all times;

11. Understand that despite best efforts, some animals may not survive due to physical or other health related complications;

12. Understand that I must spend as much time as possible socializing and playing with foster animal(s);

13. Understand that I must walk the dog(s) on a leash several times a day;

14. Understand that I am responsible for working with Foster and Forever to arrange for Vaccinations/spay/neuter and to determine where a foster animal should be brought for medical treatment;

15. Understand that I must closely monitor the condition of the fostered animal(s) and contact Foster and Forever immediately when problems are observed or when I have questions/concerns;

16. Agree to comply with Foster and Forever rules and regulations, instructions and mandates and understand that failure to comply may result in immediate termination as a foster family;

17. Understand that my services are provided strictly as a volunteer basis without any pay or compensation of any kind and without any liability of any nature on behalf of Foster and Forever, all services to be performed are at your own risk.

18. Understand that in handling animals there exists risk of injury, infection, disease including physical harm caused by animals to me, my family or my pets. On behalf of myself, my heirs, personal representatives and executors, I hereby release, discharge, indemnify, and hold harmless Foster and Forever Pet Rescue, its agents, servants, and board from any and all claims, causes of actions, or demands and any nature of cause, including costs and attorney fees incurred but not limited to: Animal bites, accidents, injuries, property damage and veterinary fees;

19. Understand that the foster animal(s) are temporarily in my care and belong exclusively to Foster and Forever. I also understand that the purpose of this foster relationship is solely to provide care & nurturing for the foster animal(s);

20. Understand that you may not transfer ownership of any animal fostered from Foster and Forever, to another party. If you must relinquish foster of any animal(s) that you are fostering from Foster and Forever. Contact a representative of Foster and Forever to return the animal or discuss alternatives.

#### By signing below, I am certifying that I have read and agree to the above requirements:

Signature:

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