

# FOSTER CARE APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT

Name of Foster: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I am willing to foster:  Dog  Cat  
 Pregnant dog / cat  Mother with puppies or kittens  
Check any that apply:  
 Orphaned puppy or kitten  Pet with illness or special needs  
Do you have (now or ever) any pet(s)?  Yes  No If yes, please list all current pets:

Spayed/neutered  All shots, heartworm and flea/tick preventative current

Current veterinarian: \_\_\_\_\_

May we contact for reference?  Yes  No

Have you ever fostered a pet before?  Yes  No If yes, please list organization(s):

May we contact for reference?  Yes  No If yes, please provide telephone number above

Do you own or rent your home?  Own  Rent If renting, does lease allow?  Yes  No

Landlord name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have children?  Yes  No If yes, what are ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe general area where foster animal will be kept: \_\_\_\_\_

Will you allow us to visit the foster animal at your home?  Yes  No

Will you allow potential adopters to visit the foster animal at your home?  Yes  No

Will you abide by all animal control laws (current shots, leashing, etc.)?  Yes  No

Will you abide by our rules and policies for animal care?  Yes  No

**You will be required to keep your foster dog on a leash or in securely enclosed areas at all times. You will be required to keep your foster cat indoors at all times. You will be required to keep all shots and heartworm and flea/tick preventative current. You will be required to provide proper care, housing, food, water, and attention for your foster. Please initial your acceptance here \_\_\_\_\_.**

**You may be required to attend a foster parent orientation or other meeting related to foster care.**

**You understand and agree that your foster pet remains the property of ECAH Animals, Inc. and all final decisions will be made by ECAH Animals, Inc. Please initial your acceptance here \_\_\_\_\_.**

**You have the right at any time to apply to adopt your foster pet. If you want to do this, you must apply and qualify for adoption the same as any adopter. Please initial your acceptance here \_\_\_\_\_.**

By signing this application, you certify that the answers provided above are true and that you accept the terms stated above.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Foster Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

# FOSTER CARE AGREEMENT

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (foster parent), agree to the following terms and conditions for fostering one or more pets (initial each item):

\_\_\_\_\_ I am willing to allow inspections at my residence prior to and during the fostering of any animal.

\_\_\_\_\_ I accept temporary possession and responsibility for any fostered animal at my own expense and risk.

\_\_\_\_\_ I agree to keep all my contact information (address, telephone numbers, e-mail address) current by informing ECAH Animals, Inc. of any changes during the period that I foster any animal.

\_\_\_\_\_ If requested or if I can no longer foster, I will return any fostered animal to ECAH Animals, Inc. along with any tags or certificates (rabies, microchip) and copies of any medical or other records obtained while in my care.

\_\_\_\_\_ Without express approval and authority from ECAH Animals, Inc., I will NOT initiate adoption proceedings for any fostered animal.

\_\_\_\_\_ I will be responsible for providing any fostered animal with proper food and water, adequate shelter, any prescribed medication or treatment, current and regular heartworm and flea/tick preventative measures, veterinary care as needed, and daily exercise and stimulation.

\_\_\_\_\_ If at any time during foster care I feel that the fostered animal has behavioral problems that need to be addressed in the best interests of the health and happiness of the fostered animal, I will contact ECAH Animals, Inc. immediately for training or other options. I understand that good behavior is of critical importance for the long-term adoption prospects of any fostered animal.

\_\_\_\_\_ I hereby acknowledge that I am an independent contractor and not an employee or agent of ECAH Animals, Inc.

\_\_\_\_\_ I hereby acknowledge and understand that ECAH Animals, Inc. assumes no liability for damages caused by the fostered animal while in my care and custody.

ECAH Animals, Inc. hereby agrees that the animal foster will have priority preference in adopting any animal fostered by that person so long as the animal foster applies and qualifies for adoption of the fostered animal.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Animal Foster

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of ECAH Animals, Inc. Volunteer

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date