

**Return the animal to the shelter 10am to 4:30pm on: (drop off date)**

**Pick up the animal from the shelter 10am to 4:30pm on: (pick up date)**

**I understand and agree to the following:**

- Reason for foster to Adopt: Animal pending adoption due to spay/neuter surgery. Adoption will not be completed until the animal is fixed.
- **I have a property interest in this animal, and I understand that all medical conditions that arise during the foster period are my responsibility. If I cannot afford the medical expenses, I will return the animal to the Rushville Animal Shelter, and all property interests will be forfeited.**
- The foster animal shall reside solely at the address provided to the Rushville Animal Shelter unless prior approval is granted by the Rushville Animal Shelter's Director.
- **The Foster animal is temporarily in my care and remains the official property of the Rushville Animal Shelter until the animal is altered and I have signed the Adoption Contract. Failure to keep your scheduled spay/neuter appointment may result in immediate confiscation of the animal, as it remains the property of the Rushville Animal Shelter.**
- Any permanent placement of the foster animals will be made through Rushville Animal Shelter, following normal Rushville Animal Shelter adoption procedures and pursuant to Rushville Animal Shelter guidelines. I understand I may assist with the placement, but first, I must receive approval from an authorized Rushville Animal Shelter staff member.
- The Rushville Animal Shelter has limited information about the temperament and habits of the foster animals. I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Rushville Animal Shelter from and against all liability for personal injury or property damage sustained while foster animals are in my possession. I understand the other animals and people in my household could be exposed to medical and behavioral conditions that have not been recognized in the foster animals placed by the Rushville Animal Shelter, and that the Rushville Animal Shelter is not liable for any disease or injury to myself, others in the household or my own animals caused by exposure to the foster animals.
- I agree to provide the animal with humane care and adequate food, water, shelter, affection, socialization, exercise, and medical care. I agree to provide the animal with any basic training or treatment necessary to the well-being of the animal.

- If I cannot keep any foster animal, I will notify the Rushville Animal Shelter immediately. The foster animal shall not be transferred or given to any individual, sold, abandoned, relinquished to any other rescue group/animal shelter, retail or wholesale establishment, or any research institution. I may return the animals to the Rushville Animal Shelter during regular business hours.
- I give Rushville Animal Shelter permission to inspect my home or property at any time to determine the condition of any foster animal in my care. I acknowledge that the Rushville Animal Shelter can remove any foster animal from my care at any time for any reason.
- This agreement does not create any employment relationship between the Rushville Animal Shelter and me. I understand that I will receive no compensation for any services as a foster parent pursuant to this agreement.
- **I understand the animal must return to the shelter on the date above for 2 overnight stays with no exceptions!**
- *I understand that if I miss the appointment or need to reschedule and don't give the Rushville Animal Shelter 6 days' prior notice, I'm subject to an immediate impoundment of the animal.*
- **I understand that if I fail to pick up the animal from the shelter at the above date without prior arrangements, I will be subject to a boarding fee of \$40 per day with payment due at the time of pick up. If I fail to pick up the animal by the end of business day on the 3rd day, I will forfeit my interest in the animal and the Rushville Animal Shelter may place the animal up for adoption again.**

**All Applicable Adoption Fees are due at the time of the Foster to Adopt Agreement and are NOT refundable. If the animal is returned within 2 weeks of today's date due to being a poor fit, you may receive a voucher in place of a refund valid for 12 months to be used towards a future adoption or other charged services/purchases from the return date at our discretion.**