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Foster Home Application and Agreement

Thank you for your application to adopt a dog or puppy from Town and Country Humane Society (TCHS). TCHS will review this application before releasing any animal to a new home. The following questions will help us place animals that match both the adopter's and animal's needs. TCHS reserves the right to decline the adoption for any reason if it feels the home will not be a good match. Please answer all questions. There are no "wrong" answers.

Type of animal you are interested in fostering: Dog Cat Both

Personal Information

Are you at least 21 years old: Yes No Are you currently a student? Yes No If yes, fulltime part time

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

How long have you been at this address: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Email address: _____

Residence & Family Information

List ALL residents in your home (including yourself):

Name	Email	Age	Relationship To You

I live in a: home apartment condo mobile home That I: own rent live with parents

If you rent, do you have your landlord's permission to foster a dog? Yes No

Landlord's Name and Phone #: _____

Do you have a yard? Yes No If yes, how big is the yard? _____

How will you confine a dog to your property? fenced yard – fence height: _____ tied outside in the house dog run

Pet Information/ History/Preferences

Do you currently have other pets in the home? Yes No If yes, please list all pets here:

Species	Breed	Age	Sex	Spayed/Neutered	Kept
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Inside <input type="checkbox"/> Outside
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Inside <input type="checkbox"/> Outside
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Inside <input type="checkbox"/> Outside

Do you own livestock animals? Yes No If yes, please describe: _____

How many hours each day will the dog be left alone? _____ Where will the dog be kept when alone? _____

Where will the dog be when you are home? _____ Where will the dog sleep at night? _____

Name of Vet: _____ Vet's Phone #: _____

TCHS Dog Adoption Application

Foster Home Agreement

I agree to act as a Foster Home for Town and Country Humane Society (TCHS). The following conditions apply to fostering TCHS dogs.

- 1. The dog(s) will remain the property of TCHS and will be turned over immediately upon request by TCHS.
- 2. The dog(s) will be kept in the house or in a suitable kennel facility on the grounds of the foster home and will not be allowed off-leash in an unfenced area.
- 3. **Veterinary care:** Any and all non emergency veterinary care will be provided by a veterinarian designated by TCHS and will be paid for by DRNC, but the foster family MUST receive prior written approval from TCHS before obtaining such services, except in emergency situations. Non emergency use of any veterinarian other than the one designated by TCHS, must have prior written approval or the foster family will be responsible for payment of the unapproved care/services.

For the purposes of this agreement, emergency veterinary care is considered to be a life threatening condition and/or accident where waiting to take the animal to TCHS’s designated veterinarian, during normal business hours, will endanger the animal’s life. In a true emergency, the foster family is authorized to sign for and consent to all reasonable and necessary veterinary procedures and this executed contract is proof of such authority.

- 4. The dog(s) will be adopted to a permanent home only under the supervision of TCHS to a family pre-approved by TCHS. Adoptive families may be contacted occasionally by the foster family to inquire about the dog(s), as long as the adoptive families are accorded respect and privacy.
- 5. All fees, donations, etc. received in connection with the adoption of the dog(s) are the sole property of and will be sent directly to TCHS.
- 6. The foster family agrees to provide accurate information to prospective adoptive families, if requested to do so, and, when possible and convenient, to allow prospective adoptive families to visit the dog(s) at the foster family's home.
- 7. TCHS is not responsible for injuries to people or pets, or for property loss or damage. The foster family will accept responsibility for any events that occur while fostering the dog(s).
- 8. The foster family will contact TCHS at regular intervals to report on the status of the dog. Frequent reports are encouraged.
- 9. Any and all expenditures beyond food, approved medical treatment, and regular de- worming require written approval of DRNC. The foster family may be responsible for unapproved expenditures (see section 3).
- 10. The foster family is responsible for transporting the dog to and from the vet for treatment, after authorization of treatment. However, assistance with transport can be arranged.
- 11. The foster family is welcome to adopt the dog at the regular adoption fee. Foster families may NOT adopt the dog to a home not approved by TCHS.
- 12. The foster family may end this agreement at any time, but **must give TCHS at least 5 business days** to make other foster arrangements. Any non-emergency boarding costs incurred during this 5-day period are the responsibility of the foster home.
- 13. RESERVATION OF RIGHTS – TCHS reserves the right to follow through on this Agreement in order to protect the welfare of the dog(s). If the Terms and Conditions of this Agreement are not upheld by the foster family, and/or if any misrepresentations have been made to DRNC by said foster family, TCHS reserves the right to terminate this Agreement and TCHS may reclaim the dog immediately, without notice, from the foster family’s home or premises. As such, any and all costs, expenses, without prior written authorization from TCHS will become the responsibility of the foster family.
- 14. ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS - Should it become necessary for TCHS to take legal action to recover a fostered dog or otherwise enforce the provisions of this Agreement, the Undersigned Foster Home agrees to pay all costs, including court costs, and reasonable attorney’s fees. The place of venue shall be Glenn County, California.

BY SIGNING THIS CONTRACT, I AGREE TO ALLOW agents of Town and Country Humane Society TO ENTER MY PROPERTY FOR THE PURPOSE OF REMOVING ANY FOSTER DOG FROM MY CUSTODY IF I DO NOT COMPLY WITH THE ABOVE TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

Date: _____

APPLICANT

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE FOR TCHS

Sign Name

Sign Name