



Non-Equine Foster Agreement Contract

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Address	<input type="text"/>		
Email	<input type="text"/>	Phone number	<input type="text"/>

This Foster Agreement (the "Contract") is made on the date listed above by and between Storybook Rescues, Inc. ("SBR") and Foster residing at the address listed above. This agreement is valid for any current or future animals (hereinafter "Pet") in Foster's care on behalf of SBR.

The parties hereby agree to the following:

1. CARE OF PET

- a. Foster shall accept and consider the Pet as a household companion, not as an outside pet, and will provide the Pet with a safe environment, humane treatment, and provide proper food, fresh water, shelter, and exercise. Foster agrees this Pet will not be abused in any manner. The Pet will not be chained at any time, nor will it be permitted off the property of the Foster unless accompanied by a mature individual. Pet shall not be used in any aspect of animal fighting. Pet shall not be the subject of or subjected to any biological, chemical, psychological, or other experiment.
- b. Pet shall be allowed to sleep indoors and protected from the elements or adverse conditions. Pet shall not be housed or kept outside or in a yard. The Pet shall not be allowed to roam free or unsupervised outside.
- c. Foster shall immediately notify SBR if Pet is lost or stolen, and shall make every reasonable effort to recover the Pet.
- d. Foster shall not give up or sell the Pet to another person, relative, friend, or any other individual, or any rescue group, humane association, shelter, or adoption center unless pre-approved by SBR.
- e. Foster shall not under any circumstance give up or sell the Pet for any medical or experimental laboratory or any organization.
- f. Foster shall not alter the Pet's appearance in any way, shape or form (ex: cropping, docking).
- g. Foster permits SBR to visit at reasonable convenient times to check on the wellbeing of the Pet.
- h. Foster shall allow a reasonable amount of time for the Pet to adjust to new surroundings.

2. VET APPOINTMENTS

- a. Foster is assigned a Foster Coordinator and must schedule vet appointments through him or her. Foster is responsible for transporting animal to and from appointments.
- b. If Pet is not spayed or neutered at the time this Contract is signed, Foster must arrange, through the Foster Coordinator to have the Pet spayed or neutered at one of SBR's approved veterinary partners. Foster shall not breed Pet.
- c. Foster shall immediately notify Foster Coordinator the event of the Pet's injury, illness, or death during the foster care period.



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3. FOOD AND SUPPLIES

- a. Foster should notify their foster coordinator about supplies or food needed.
- b. If foster voluntarily chooses to purchase something with his or her own money, please note that these are not reimbursed by SBR.

4. FOSTER PERIOD

- a. Foster understands the commitment he or she is making by agreeing to foster Pet and that there is no definitive time period. Foster understands it may take weeks or possibly longer for Pet to be adopted.
- b. Foster is responsible for assisting in marketing his or her foster dog through word of mouth, by bringing him or her to events, by posting Pet online, and/or by providing photos and a good description of Pet to SBR for marketing.
- c. If Foster can no longer care for Pet, Foster shall notify SBR and make every effort to find a suitable foster or adoptive home for the pet. SBR will do everything possible to place the Pet accordingly. However, the Foster understands that it may take time to find the Pet a sufficient home for its needs.
- d. Foster understands that during the foster period, SBR has ownership of Pet. SBR may recover Pet from Foster at any time during the foster period.

5. ADOPTION

- a. If Foster decides to permanently adopt the Pet, Foster shall notify Foster Coordinator and upon approval, shall follow established adoption procedures including signing an Adoption Contract.
- b. If Foster finds a permanent/adoptive home for the Pet, Foster shall notify SBR and upon approval, shall follow established adoption procedures.

6. RELEASE OF LIABILITY

- a. SBR makes no guarantees and/or promises regarding the Pet's disposition, temperament, and/or future health and personality.
- b. Foster agrees to foster Pet at Foster's own risk, and indemnify and release SBR, its founders and volunteers of any and all liability arising from damages to person(s) or property caused by the Pet.
- c. In the event the Foster does not comply with the terms of this Contract, at the reasonable discretion of SBR, SBR may recover the pet. Promptly upon demand by SBR, the Foster shall relinquish SBR.

The Foster hereby acknowledges that they have read this entire Contract supplied by SBR.

Foster:

Signature _____ **Date** _____

Storybook Rescues, Inc.:

Signature _____ **Date** _____



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Appendix A

Foster Pet Information:

Pet Name: _____ Gender & Est. Birthdate: _____

Breed: _____ Weight: _____

Colors/Markings: _____

Microchip: _____