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## TRAP LOAN FORM

I understand and agree to the following:

### USE POLICY

- The humane traps offered by TAILS OF HOPE (TOH) are to be used only for Trap-Neuter-Return (TNR) of Community Cats (feral or stray).
- Trapped cats may NOT be taken to an animal shelter or pound for destruction or surrender, or relocated or released at a location other than where they were trapped.
- Traps may not be used to trap wildlife; if these animals are trapped accidentally, they must immediately be released unharmed at the location where they were trapped. Under no circumstances are traps to be used in any type of hunting activity.
- Traps may not be lent to a third party.
- Any person abusing or neglecting a captured animal will be prosecuted.
- I agree to abide by the following basic TNR trapping guidelines:
  - I will make an appointment with TOH for spay/neuter prior to Trap Loan.
  - I will trap within 24-hours of my appointment at TOH; trapped cats shall not be in a trap for more than 24 hours prior to their appointment.
  - I will never leave open, set traps unattended for any length of time.
  - The trap must be set on level ground so it will remain steady when the animal enters.
  - The trap must be covered once a cat is trapped. TOH does not provide trap covers.
  - The trap must be baited with fresh food every day it is used. TOH does not provide food.
  - Traps are not to be set if the temperature is below 32 degrees or above 80 degrees.
  - And additional guidelines in a PDF on our website under Forms/Flyers: [Trap Rental-A Guide for Trapping & Bringing Community Cats to TOH.](#)

### RENTAL PERIOD

- The rental period is 14-days.

### DEPOSIT & FEES

- The rental deposit fee is \$60 CASH per trap for the 14-day rental period.
- The deposit is fully refundable when I responsibly return the trap in working condition and clean-newspapers removed, traps cleaned and disinfected-so the trap can be stored or loaned out right away to someone else.
- Deposits will not be refunded in the case of lost, damaged, or stolen traps, or failure to return traps within the rental period.
- In the event I will need the trap beyond the return date, I will contact TOH and make arrangements to extend the rental term and will pay the non-refundable fee of \$3 per day over the 14-day rental period due paid by CASH when the trap is returned. If I do not return the trap within the rental period, my deposit will not be returned.
- Important Note: If I require assistance to fund a spay/neuter procedure, I must receive funding authorization from TOH prior to the trap loan.
- I understand failure to abide by all arrangements on this form will result in the forfeiture of the trap and return of my deposit.



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### RETURN (RELEASE)

- I understand that any animal, including both socialized and feral cats, can act unpredictably when trapped. I agree not to stick my hands or fingers inside the trap, or handle any trapped animal unless specifically instructed. I release TAILS OF HOPE and its staff & volunteers from any liability for any injuries or damages that may occur from trapping or using the trap.

### MY TRAP LOAN OUT

TRAP #/SIZE:	CASH DEPOSIT:	DATE OUT:	DATE DUE BACK:
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### MY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT & SIGNATURE AT TIME OF LOAN

- By signing this form, I agree the trap/s I pick up are clean and in working condition.

Print Name: _____	Signature: _____	
Driver's License (DL) State: _____	DL Number: _____	
Phone Number: _____	Email: _____	
Street Address: _____		
City: _____	State: _____	Zip: _____

*Please contact us if you need to borrow the trap/s for additional days or if you have any questions!*

### MY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT & SIGNATURE AT TRAP RETURN

<input type="checkbox"/> Yes! sPAY it forward and donate my deposit to assist with Tails of Hope's TNR Program.
<input type="checkbox"/> My deposit was returned to me on (date) _____ Signature: _____

For TOH use: Date Returned _____ TOH Rep Signature: _____
If not returned on time/in acceptable condition, describe and list fees as applicable, action taken and other notes: