

## **Foster to Adopt Contract**

Date:		 
Aniı	mal(s):	

## We reserve the right, at our sole discretion, to refuse any applicant for any reason.

First and Last Name:			
Address:			
City:		Zip:	
Primary Number:		per:	
	er's License Number: Email:		
An additional Contact that can always	contact you:		
Name:	Phone Number:		
Agreement			
l,	(foster applicant), i	make the following statements and	
voluntarily enter into this agreement to padont caregiver to animal name (s)	provide temporary care and custody	and necessary sustenance as a foster t	O

- I agree to provide Animal Charity access to all parts of my home and property for a home inspection before my application to foster is approved.
- I understand that I this is a foster to adopt contract. At the end of no less than two weeks I will need to decide to continue my foster of said animal, terminate the foster by returning said animal to Animal Charity, or adopt this animal. I agree that the period covered by this agreement is the entire time during which I have custody of my animal until adoption.
- I understand that I am responsible for any incidents involving my foster animal while in my care.
- I agree that accidental animal bites or other injuries to humans and other animals do occur, and agree to hold harmless and indemnify, and protect Animal Charity of Ohio, Inc. from any claim or suit filed by anyone as a result of such an incident. In addition, Animal Charity of Ohio, Inc. will not be responsible if animal should damage or destroy property belonging to me, or shall transfer any disease or internal or external parasites to other animals in my care.
- I acknowledge I am undertaking these obligations with no claim, now or in the future, to any type of compensation or reimbursement for caring for said animal.
- I acknowledge that I do have and will continue to maintain home owner's insurance to cover said animal while in my care.
- I understand that Animal Charity provides no guarantee to the health of my foster animal, and that my foster animal may have significant medical needs, socialization problems, and not be housebroken.
- I will not pay for or arrange, or otherwise cause, the sterilization (spay or neuter) of my foster animal during the period covered by this agreement, without the express written consent of Animal Charity.

- I will not pay for or arrange, or otherwise cause, any elective veterinary procedure to be performed on my foster animal during the period covered by this agreement, without the express written consent of Animal Charity.
- I agree that I am fostering this animal for Animal Charity, and that I do not have any right of ownership over my foster animal. I further agree that Animal Charity's rights in or to my foster animal are superior to mine. I also agree to provide Animal Charity access to my home and property to check on my foster animal, at any reasonable time that I am in possession of my foster animal.
- I agree to immediately return any foster animal in my care to Animal Charity at the request of Animal Charity at any time for any reason. If Animal Charity is forced to undertake any action to enforce this provision of the agreement, I agree to indemnify Animal Charity for all court costs and attorneys' fees connected with such action.
- If I am planning to move at any time during the period covered by this agreement, I agree to contact Animal Charity prior to my move, with new contact information. I understand that Animal Charity has the right to request return of my foster animal based on such a change of residence, and agree that I will surrender my foster animal to Animal Charity immediately upon request.
- I understand that if my foster animal is subject of a court case, defendants, along with their attorneys and veterinarian, have right to access the animals in Animal Charity's temporary custody. I agree to give Animal Charity, or the attorneys and veterinarian, access to my foster animal so that such visits can take place. If I am unwilling to have such a visit occur on my premises, I will surrender my foster animal to Animal Charity to facilitate such a visit.
- I understand that because the provisions of this agreement are legally binding, any violation of this agreement could result in legal liabilities for me and Animal Charity.
- If at any point I can no longer, or do not want to continue to, provide care, food, shelter or veterinary care for my foster animal, I agree to contact Animal Charity first and arrange for surrender of said foster animal.
- I will not transfer possession or custody of my foster animal to any other person at any time, except for temporary, short-term possession for the purpose of vet care, grooming, vacation, etc.
- I agree to make every effort to locate the animal if it is lost in my care and immediately notify Animal Charity.
- I agree to immediately notify Animal Charity if my foster animal is lost.
- I understand a deposit of the adoption cost is required at the time this contract is executed. A check, cash or credit card will not be charged/cashed until the adoption agreement is finalized.
- I agree that if I refuse to comply with any provisions of this agreement, Animal Charity has the right to terminate this agreement and also has the right to the immediate surrender and return of my foster animal and any other animals for whom I am providing foster care for Animal Charity. I further consent to provide Animal Charity with access to my premises if necessary to facilitate the return.

I have read this agreement in its entirety, and I agree that all statements and stated agreements contained in this document are made by me, and are truthful, under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Ohio.

Signature of Foster	Printed Name of Foster	Date
Signature of Animal Charity Representative	Printed Name of Animal Charity Representative	 Date