



OFFICE USE ONLY

DATE: _____

CASE NUMBER: _____

VVACO EMPLOYEE: _____

Victorville Animal Foster Care Application

APPLICANT

1	Name:			
	LAST	FIRST	M.I.	
2	Address:			
	STREET	APT	CITY	ZIP
3	Phone:			
	HOME	MOBILE	WORK	
4	Email:			
5	Are you 18 years or older:	☐ Yes ☐ No		
6	California Drivers License:		EXP:	
7	D.O.B.			
8	Have you or anyone in your home been charged with animal abuse/cruelty?			☐ Yes ☐ No
	If yes, please explain the date and charge:			

PROPERTY

1	If you rent, will your landlord permit you to foster an animal?	☐ Yes ☐ No
	If so, are there restrictions (size, breed, limits of animals)?	☐ Yes ☐ No
	If yes, explain:	
2	Do you have shelter for your foster pet from inclement weather? Type: _____	☐ Yes ☐ No
3	Is your yard secure for your foster pet to stay within the property and keep stray animals out?	☐ Yes ☐ No
4	Type of Fence? ☐ Chain Link ☐ Brick Wall ☐ Wood Planks ☐ Vinyl ☐ Other _____	
5	Where will the foster pet be housed during the day?	☐ Indoor ☐ Outdoor
6	Where will the foster pet be housed during the night?	☐ Indoor ☐ Outdoor



HOUSEHOLD

1	How many children are in your household?			
	Ages:			
2	Have you ever fostered a pet before?			☐ Yes ☐ No
	a. If yes, indicate when, the type of animal, and how long.			
3	If needed, will you administer medication (wound treatment, pills, and/or liquids)			☐ Yes ☐ No

EXISTING PETS

1	Do you have existing pets?					☐ Yes ☐ No
	a. If yes, please specify:					
	BREED	COLOR	AGE	MALE/ FEMALE	SPAYED/ NEUTERED	YEARS OWNED
	1.					
	2.					
	3.					
2	Are your family pets up to date on their vaccinations?					☐ Yes ☐ No

FOSTERING INTEREST

Types of Animals for Foster (Please check all you would be willing to foster)		
☐ Dogs	☐ Cats with Medical needs	☐ Needs (semi-feral)
☐ Puppies	☐ Cats	☐ Rabbits/Other Small Animals
☐ Senior Dogs	☐ Kittens	☐ Reptiles
☐ Nursing Dog with Puppies	☐ Nursing Cat with Kittens	☐ Birds
☐ Dogs with Medical Needs	☐ Senior Cats	☐ Other
☐ Dogs with Training Needs	☐ Underaged Orphaned Animals	



FOSTER AGREEMENT

This Foster Agreement (the “Agreement”), dated as of _____, 20____, is entered into between the City of Victorville, on the one hand, and the individual(s) whose information is listed on the signature page to this Agreement (collectively, “Foster Parent”), on the other hand.

The Foster Parent desires to serve as a custodian for _____ (a species identified by the Animal ID# _____) (the “Foster Animal”) for the City of Victorville Animal Care and Control (VVACO), and the VVACO agrees to such foster arrangement by the Foster Parent subject to the following terms and conditions.

<i>1. Foster Arrangement:</i>	
Initial	a. A copy of pertinent information on file under the relevant Animal ID for the Foster Animal has been provided by the VVACO and Foster Parent. b. The Foster Parent understands that the Foster Animal(s) are only temporarily in the Foster Parent’s care and legally belong to VVACO. c. The Foster Parent understands that the VVACO is responsible for providing food for the Foster Animal. d. The Foster Parent agrees to foster the animal(s) until it is returned to the VVACO shelter. e. The Foster Parent agrees to return the foster animal(s) to VVACO upon request by VVACO if all conditions are not met. f. The Foster Parent understands that the Foster Animal is the sole property of VVACO and cannot be given to anyone or adopted by anyone without completion of the VVACO process. Should the Foster Parent choose to adopt a foster pet, the Foster Parent agrees to complete the appropriate adoption process. g. The Foster Parent certifies that they are 18 or older and can perform this Agreement. h. The Foster Parent does not have any person(s) currently residing at the address stated above who has ever been found guilty of violating any law regarding the welfare of, or cruelty to, animals. i. The Foster Parent agrees to surrender the Foster Animal to VVACO if circumstances develop and the Foster Parent can no longer provide care for the Foster Animal in a manner consistent with the requirements of this Agreement.



2. *Terms of Arrangement:*

Initial	a. The Foster Parent understands that they are not authorized to make any legal or medical decisions on behalf of the Foster Animal(s) and that VVACO retains legal ownership of the Foster Animal. b. The Foster Parent agrees to participate in the VVACO Foster Animal Program and agrees to do so strictly voluntarily without compensation or benefits of any kind.
Initial	c. If the Foster Parent cannot keep the foster animal, the Foster Parent agrees to return the Foster Animal to VVACO immediately. d. If the Foster Parent is renting their property, the Foster Parent will have approval from the landlord to have pets and will provide proof, upon request. e. The Foster Parent understands that the purpose of the VVACO Foster Animal Program is to provide interim care for the Foster Animal in a private residence until the VVACO can arrange for a more permanent home. f. The Foster Parent understands that VVACO will pay for all medication and medical treatment for the Foster Animal, provided that VVACO authorizes it. g. The Foster Parent agrees not to foster pets for any other organization (or independently) while fostering VVACO Foster Animal in the home.

3. *Consequences of Violation:*

Initial	a. Any violations of this Agreement will result in the Foster Parent's disqualification from the VVACO Foster Animal Program and require immediate surrender of the Foster Animal to VVACO.
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4. *Responsibility of Care:*

Foster Parent Agrees to The Following Conditions:

Initial	a. The Foster Parent will be responsible for providing adequate shelter and a loving environment. b. In case of an emergency with the Foster Animal, the Foster Parent agrees to call VVACO immediately. Foster Parent understands that no reimbursements will be rendered for any expenses not approved in advance by VVACO. c. The Foster Parent understands that a City of Victorville Animal Control Officer will conduct welfare checks on the Foster Animal every two weeks or when needed for medical needs. d. The Foster Parent agrees to keep all foster dogs and puppies in a secure area when unattended. The Foster Parent will not allow foster dogs or puppies off-leash except in a secure fenced area on personal property. e. The Foster Parent will not take the foster dog to a dog park. f. The Foster Parent will always keep foster cats and kittens indoors.
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	g. The Foster Parent agrees to administer any medication(s) provided for the Foster Animal(s). h. The Foster Parent agrees to contact VVACO at the first sign of a medical problem or illness.
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5. Media Release:

Initial	a. The Foster Parent grants the VVACO permission to use the Foster Parent and/or the Foster Animal names, likenesses, and/or statements provided by the Foster Parent or captured of the Foster Parent and/or the Foster Animal in photographs, audio, video, film or other media to promote the VVACO Foster Animal Program and services to publicize events or for any other lawful purpose. This includes the right to edit, alter, copy, publish, or distribute photographs or videos. b. The Foster Parent understands and agrees that all such film audio, prints, and negatives are the sole property of the VVACO and may be used by the VVACO in connection with promoting the mission of the VVACO without payment, royalties, or any other consideration and prior notification. c. The Foster Parent can use social media outlets to post pictures of the Foster Animal to refer possible adoptive parents to VVACO.
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6. Waiver of Liability:

Initial	a. The Foster Parent understands that the household's people and animal(s) could be exposed to any zoonotic diseases the Foster Animal(s) may have. b. The Foster Parent confirms that all privately owned pets are fully vaccinated per local veterinary best practices. c. The Foster Parent understands that VVACO reserves the right to inspect the foster home at any time to ensure suitability for these purposes. d. The Foster Parent agrees that the City of Victorville (including its officers, employees, volunteers, and agents) is not liable for any claims, legal actions, losses, injuries, damages, costs, expenses, or liabilities in connection with the Foster Animal.
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7. Release of Liability:

Initial	a. The Foster Parent understands that VVACO is not responsible for the behavior or temperament of the Foster Animal(s). b. The Foster Parent, as a result of this, waives and relinquishes, altogether releases and forever discharges the City of Victorville (including its officers, employees, volunteers, and agents), VVACO and its representatives from any claims, actions, or causes of action of any kind whatsoever, which the Foster Parent now has or later may have against the City of Victorville (including its officers, employees, volunteers, and agents), VVACO and its representative's which in any way result from, arising out of or in connection with the Foster Parent or the care of the Foster Animal, and whether or not such claims, actions or causes of action may be attributable to the negligence or carelessness of the City of Victorville (including its officers, employees, volunteers, and agents), VVACO or its representatives.
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8. General Provisions:

Initial	a. The Foster Parent understands it is the policy of the VVACO and State Law to prohibit the adoption of unaltered dogs and cats. Foster Parents may be required to provide foster care to an animal that has not been altered due to extenuating circumstances. b. The Foster Parent agrees to act responsibly with an unaltered animal and take the necessary precautions surrounding this animal. c. The Foster Parent promises to return the animal within two months of the signed Agreement. A renewal may be granted at VVACO's discretion. d. The Foster Parent and VVACO agree that all disputes between both parties relating to this Agreement shall be adjudicated in the City of Victorville. e. If any provisions of this Agreement are deemed void, invalid, or unenforceable, such provisions shall be considered severed from this Agreement. They shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision. This Agreement constitutes the entire understanding and agreement between both parties regarding the subject matter herein and subordinates all prior understandings, discussions, representations, warranties, and agreements between the parties, whether written or oral.
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AGREEMENT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT SIGNATURE

All VVACO Foster Care Providers and Foster Animals are subject to VVACO Policies and Procedures. I have read, understood, and agreed to the conditions in the VVACO Foster Program Agreement for VVACO animals. I certify that the above information is accurate and complete to my knowledge. I understand that VVACO reserves the right to deny any Foster Care Provider Application.

1	Do you agree to the terms and conditions of the Victorville Animal Control Office?	☐ Yes ☐ No
2	Will you allow a Victorville Animal Control Officer to inspect the property for the safety and security of the foster animal, if warranted?	☐ Yes ☐ No

Foster Applicant (Print)	Foster Applicant (Signature)	Date
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Foster Start Date		Foster End Date			
Notes:					
Foster Denial Date					
Reason:					
Foster Animal information:					
BREED	COLOR	AGE	MALE/ FEMALE	SPAYED/ NEUTERED	ID #
1.					
2.					
3.					
Does the Foster Animal have medical needs:					☐ Yes ☐ No
Explain:					
Does the Foster Animal Take Medications:					☐ Yes ☐ No
MEDICATION	DURATION	TIMES PER DAY	EXPIRATION DATE	VET	PHONE #