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FOSTER APPLICATION

Thank you for opening your home to an animal in need.

We provide the supplies you need — you provide the LOVE!

Our process consists of completing this application and emailing it to us. We will contact you to schedule a house visit and will try to respond as soon as possible. The House Check Checklist included in this packet is provided as a reference. **Return completed application to: pawspeopleandpurpose@gmail.com**

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Name: _____	Pet name: _____
Address: _____	City: _____
State: _____ Zip: _____	Phone #: _____
Email Address: _____	

Please mark animals you are interested in fostering:

☐ Puppies under 8 wks	☐ Puppies over 8 wks
☐ Dogs under 20 lbs	☐ Dogs over 20 lbs

Breed or Gender Preference: _____ Please
list any reasons why you would not foster a dog: _____

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Do all members of the household agree to fostering? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Are you currently fostering with another rescue group? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you agree to foster this animal until s/he is adopted? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you currently have any personal pets? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If so, what kind and how many:

_____ Are they currently on

vaccines? ☐ ☐ Yes No

Spayed/neutered? ☐ ☐ Yes No

What vet do you use?

_____ How many adults are
in the house? _____

Children? _____

Ages? _____

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Do you rent or own? _____	If renting, landlord: _____
How long at current address? _____	Fenced secure backyard? ☐ ☐ Yes No

How long would the animals be left alone?

_____ Where would they sleep at night?

_____ Are you able to take them to their

appointments when needed? ☐ ☐ Yes No

Are you okay with administering medications, if needed? ☐ ☐ Yes No

Are you willing to show your foster animal at events when we have them? ☐ ☐ Yes No

Are you willing to show your foster by appointment in your home during the week? ☐ ☐ Yes No

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Please list the name and phone number of a non-family member who can be used as a reference.

Name: _____	Relation: _____
Phone #: _____	

Paws, People And Purpose, Animal Rescue And Advocacy Foundation (P3) does not operate a shelter and currently relies solely on the use of foster homes to save the lives of dogs and cats pulled from Animal Services and Public Surrenders. I understand fully the animal(s) is temporarily in my care and belongs exclusively to P3. I further understand that the purpose of the foster relationship is solely to provide care for this animal. Any determination made about this animal or this animal's care must be authorized by the P3 Animal Director. I also understand that any veterinary care must be authorized by the P3 Animal Director and further understand I will be responsible for any expenses incurred unless authorized by the P3 Animal Director or a P3 Board Member. Furthermore, I will not hold P3 responsible for any damage to property, persons or personal pets caused by this foster animal.

Print Foster Name: _____	Date: _____
Signature: _____	

House Check: ☐ Approved ☐ Denied	P3 Rep Name: _____
Date: _____	

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HOUSE CHECK CHECKLIST

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Name of Foster: _____	House Address: _____

Do the storm doors and screen windows close properly? Do the latches work?	☐ Yes ☐ No
Does it appear that animals are allowed in the house regularly? (hair, food, slobber, pet bed/blankets, toys)	☐ Yes ☐ No
Do you see damage to the house by animals?	☐ Yes ☐ No
Are there house plants? (Many are poisonous)	☐ Yes ☐ No
Where will the pet food be stored? (Check whether the dog can easily get into the storage container.)	Notes

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Is there evidence of small children? (toys, food scraps - remind foster these may be destroyed if not put away)	☐ ☐ Yes No
Are there sewing kits, bobby pins, wash cloths, sponges, small trash cans, razor blades, etc. at pet/counter level?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Are there chemicals in the garage, basement or storage areas?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Does the animal have access to areas with chemicals?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Do the furnishings appear pet-proof (glass objects, dried flowers, expensive rugs/furniture that could be knocked over)?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Will scratching be a concern? (Ask how they will correct the behavior.)	☐ ☐ Yes No

Where will the animal be when company comes? (crated, basement, outside, inside, other?)

Where will the animal sleep at night? _____

Where will the animal stay during the day?

_____ How is waste removed?

Does the area look recently cleaned? ☐ ☐ Yes No

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Are the current pets well socialized?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Are they reasonably clean?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Are they hand shy in any way?	☐ ☐ Yes No

Can you touch their ears and tails?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Are they friendly and do they approach you in a friendly manner?	☐ ☐ Yes No
After some time, do they relax and accept your presence?	☐ ☐ Yes No

How do they react to strangers in the house? _____

How did they greet you? _____

How do they react toward their owners, and do they respond to commands? If not, how does the owner handle it?

If the yard is fenced, how big is the fenced area?

_____ Describe the fencing materials:

Is the area properly shaded?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Is there a water bowl in the yard?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Will digging create major problems with landscaping?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Are there places where the pet can leap off decks, etc. and get hurt?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Is there anything stacked near the fence that the dog could climb on to get out?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Are there potential escape routes? (low fence areas, digging, holes, loose/high gates)	☐ ☐ Yes No

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Are chemicals stored outside? (gasoline, antifreeze, pool supplies)	☐ ☐ Yes No
When you pointed these out to the potential foster, how did they react?	Notes
Do you think they will fix the problems?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Do you think a pet would have escaped if you had not pointed out the problem?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Are there locks on the gates? (against children and thieves)	☐ ☐ Yes No

What plants are in the yard that may be poisonous? Point them out.

Any sharp objects that could injure the pet in the yard? ☐ ☐ Yes

No

How does the family respond when you point out hazards?

How long does it take to get to the nearest emergency

vet?

Is the fence shared with neighbors?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Are there loose dogs/cats in the neighborhood?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Are there children in neighboring yards?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Are there potentially poisonous plants in neighboring yards?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Are there dogs, cats or livestock on neighboring property?	☐ ☐ Yes No
Can any of them get into the pet's yard?	☐ ☐ Yes No

Describe the surrounding area (rural, suburban, urban):

What potential hazards are there in the neighborhood/community?

Is there a dangerous street nearby that would endanger the dog if he/she were to get out? ☐ ☐ Yes No Where?

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Do you feel the foster will love and care for the dog properly? ☐ ☐ Yes No

Do you think this is a safe environment for a dog or puppies? ☐ ☐ Yes No

If this were your pet, would you allow them to foster it? ☐ ☐ Yes No

☐ ☐ **APPROVED DENIED**

If denied, why?

P3 Rep Name: _____	Date: _____
Thank you for helping P3 create safe, loving foster homes for animals in need.	