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Please Read the following carefully:

PAWS will determine the criteria for fostering, decide which animals will be fostered, and appoint foster caregivers from a pre-approved list. Approved foster care volunteers may always refuse any specific request for timing or other reasons. PAWS staff will inform the foster home of any medical treatments to be given, the expected length of the foster care period, the objectives of the care (restore health, rear to adoptable age, socialize, etc), and any other expectations. The foster home will be expected to keep the animal secure, return it to PAWS when requested to do so, and not promise the animal to anyone, or imply that you have the authority to approve a potential adoption.

PAWS must euthanize some animals. It is possible that an animal that you have cared for may be euthanized if it becomes sick or exhibits behavior problems making the animal unsuitable for adoptive placement. It is important that you feel able to cope with that possibility. PAWS retains ownership of all animals in foster care, and will make all decisions regarding the adoption or euthanasia of the animals fostered. All adoptions will be handled by PAWS Adoption Counselors.

I have read and understand the statements above. Further, I understand that although PAWS takes reasonable care to screen animals for foster placement, it makes no guarantees relating to the animals' health, behavior or actions. I understand that I receive foster care animals at my own risk and can reject or return any animal for which PAWS has asked me to provide care. I acknowledge that PAWS is not responsible for any property damage or personal injury suffered by me, members of my household, or any third parties during a foster placement, and I assume liability to provide adequate controls to prevent such damage or injury.

(Signature)

Return Application via mail to:
PAWS of Bainbridge Island and North Kitsap
PO Box 10811
Bainbridge Island, WA 98110

Or drop off in person to:
PAWS Adoption Center
8820 Miller Rd.
Bainbridge Island, WA 98110

For more information call: 260-842-2451 or toll free 1-888-558-7297

For staff use only:

Approved: YES NO

Date: _____

Staff Initials: _____

Comments: _____



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Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Email: _____

What type(s) of animals are you interested in fostering:

- ___ Adult cats
- ___ Kittens
- ___ Orphan kittens (bottle feeding)
- ___ Young kittens with mothers/ pregnant cat
- ___ Cats/kittens needing socializing
- ___ Cats/kittens needing medication

Number of cats currently in your household: _____

Number of dogs currently in your household: _____

Can you keep foster animals separate from your household animals? YES NO

What type of animals or conditions are you not willing to work with? (Medical Care, behavior problems, etc.)

What are the ages of family members living in your home? _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

How many hours per day would a foster animal be without an adult caregiver? _____

Will you be able to transport the animal(s) to and from vet clinics and/or the Adoption Center? YES NO

Do you feel emotionally capable of "letting go" of an animal regardless of the outcome? YES NO

Thank you for volunteering your time and energy to help PAWS of Bainbridge Island and North Kitsap, and the homeless cats & kittens we serve. Please read and complete both sides of the foster care application and return.