

PET OWNER SHELTERING AGREEMENT

Name: _____

I, _____ the owner of _____ Breed: _____

understand that emergencies exist and that limited arrangements have been made to allow myself, family and pet to remain in the shelter facility. I understand and agree to abide by the pet care rules contained in this agreement and I have explained them to the other family members accompanying me and my pet.

1. I must remain at the evacuation shelter in order to utilize the services of the pet shelter. I understand any unaccompanied pets will be deemed abandoned and will be reported.
2. My pet will remain contained in its approved carrier or location except at scheduled times. During scheduled relief times, my pet will be properly confined with leash, harness and muzzle (if necessary). Scheduled times will be strictly adhered to.
3. I agree to properly feed, water and care for my pet as instructed by the Shelter Manager or their designee.
4. I agree to properly sanitize the area used by my pet, including proper waste disposal and disinfecting.
5. I certify that my pet is current on rabies and all other vaccinations recommended.
6. I will not permit other shelter occupants to handle or approach my pet either while it is in its assigned space or carrier or during exercise time. My pet and I will maintain a safe distance from any other animal that may be present.
7. I will maintain proper identification on my pet and its carrier at all times.
8. I permit my pet to be examined by shelter personnel as needed.
9. I acknowledge that my failure to follow these rules may result in the removal of my pet from the shelter. I further understand that if my pet becomes unruly, aggressive, show signs of contagious disease, is infested with parasites or begins to show signs of stress-related conditions, my pet may be removed to a remote location. I understand that any decision concerning the care and welfare of my pet and the shelter population as a whole are within the sole discretion of Shelter Manager or their designee, whose decisions are final.
10. I certify that my pet has no history of aggressive behavior and has not been diagnosed with any contagious diseases for which it has not received successful treatment.

I hereby agree to release and hold harmless all persons, organizations, corporations or government agencies involved in the care and sheltering of my animal(s). I further agree to indemnify any persons or entities which may have suffered any loss or damage as a result of the care and sheltering of my animal(s).

Pet owners signature

Pet owners printed name

Date