

# Pickens County Animal Shelter

3563 Camp Road, Jasper, GA 30143

## Foster Application for Dogs and Puppies

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Why are you interested in fostering? \_\_\_\_\_

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Maximum length you will consider fostering? \_\_\_\_\_

Will you foster any breed or size? If no, what breeds and sizes will you foster? \_\_\_\_\_

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Would you be interested in fostering litters of puppies or a pregnant dog and then care for her and her puppies until we can find rescue? \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you agree to communicate with the foster representative on a regular basis and give weekly updates about your foster? (This is solely for the purpose of marketing the dog and to match the foster with a potential family.) \_\_\_\_\_

Type of dwelling in which you live (apartment, single-family home, etc.)? \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you own or rent? If you rent, do you have permission from your landlord to foster an animal for the shelter? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a fenced in yard? If no, How do you plan to exercise and give potty breaks to your foster(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

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We require fenced in yards only for the dogs that are considered “runners”. We do not allow for fosters to be contained using an invisible fence. This is due to the shelter and foster liability in the event the dog(s) should get out of the “electric” fence and get lost or injured. It is the foster’s responsibility to maintain control of the foster dog(s) at all times.

Number and ages of children in home: \_\_\_\_\_

(\*Please advise the only reason we ask is due to the fact some dogs are only suitable for older children.)

Will your foster stay in a crate when you’re away (for the day)? If you shall go out of town, please bring the foster back to the shelter or have your sitter fill out a foster app to keep the foster while you’re out of town. (This is in compliance with the Department of Agriculture. We have to know where your foster is at all times.) \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you have any other pets in the home? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, are they spayed/neutered and up to date on all vaccines? \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please read the following statements thoroughly.**

Pickens County Animal Shelter only fosters dogs and puppies into homes where they will remain indoors and not in outdoor pens or on tie-outs. We do not know if the dogs are house-broken. We recommend never leaving a dog or puppy unattended. If for any

reason you are unable to keep your foster dog, you need to contact our foster coordinator, Ashley, by email [Ashley@PickensAnimalShelter.com](mailto:Ashley@PickensAnimalShelter.com) or phone 678-447-7897. A foster dog should never be dropped off at the shelter without prior consent. You can also contact Ashley with questions regarding dietary needs, behavior problems, etc. **If your foster needs veterinarian attention, please contact Judy by email [Judy@PickensAnimalShelter.com](mailto:Judy@PickensAnimalShelter.com) or in an emergency you may call her 678-656-7611. All vetting requires prior approval.**

By signing below, I agree to all terms. I also agree to care for the dog(s) to the best of my ability and if I should ever not be able to foster, I will contact Ashley (678-447-7897) immediately. I agree to a home visit at the shelters discretion. (This complies with the Department of Agriculture and is required annually.) If the shelter requests the pet be brought back to the shelter, I agree to comply with the request.

Foster's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Shelter Employee Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

