



OWNER ANIMAL SURRENDER & RELINQUISHMENT FORM

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-mail: _____

Name & Type of Each Animal Surrendered: _____

_____ Total Number of Animals Surrendered: _____

PLEASE READ AND INITIAL EACH PARAGRAPH AND SIGN AND DATE BELOW.

_____ I hereby certify that I am the owner of the animal(s) (hereinafter referred to as "animal" for any number) and described above or I am the authorized representative of the guardian or owner of the animal described above.

_____ I also certify that I have unrestricted and complete authority to convey, surrender and relinquish (collectively, "relinquish") the animal to the City of Arlington Animal Services Shelter ("Animal Services") and hereby relinquish ownership any and all property rights in the animal to Animal Services.

_____ I further certify that the animal has not bitten, scratched, or attacked anyone in the last 10 days.

_____ I understand that I am relinquishing this animal to Animal Services and I acknowledge and agree: that this animal will not be returned to me; Animal Services shall have the sole and exclusive legal right to make all decisions, and to take all action, regarding the animal; and, the decision to euthanize is within the sole discretion of Animal Services. I further understand, acknowledge and agree that this means the animal I am relinquishing may be euthanized any time after its arrival.

_____ I understand that I will not be contacted before the animal is either adopted or euthanized.

_____ If I am relinquishing a dog or a cat, I agree that I will fill out any additional forms and provide any further information requested by Animal Services.

_____ I understand that there is an Owner Surrender Fee to relinquish an animal to Animal Services. By completing the information below, I acknowledge the following:

- I am paying the fee for ___ number of animals.
- I am unable to pay the fee for ___ number of animals and remit this acknowledgement.
- I am relinquishing a litter of ___ number of unweaned animals; there is not a fee for the litter.

_____ **I HEREBY RELEASE ANIMAL SERVICES AND ITS EMPLOYEES, STAFF, AGENTS AND/OR REPRESENTATIVES FROM ANY CLAIMS OR DEMANDS THAT I HAVE, OR MAY HAVE THAT: (A) MAY BE CONNECTED WITH THE ANIMAL; (B) MAY ARISE OUT OF ANIMAL SERVICES'S CARE OF THIS ANIMAL; OR (C) MAY ARISE OUT OF ANIMAL SERVICES EUTHANIZING THIS ANIMAL.**

My initials above and signature below certifies the above statements as true and correct, relinquishes all rights and ownership in the animal(s) to Animal Services, and acknowledges my agreement to all statements in this Owner Animal Surrender and Release Form.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Cat Owner Release Form

I am the owner of the following animal:

Pet's Name: _____ Breed: _____ Age: _____ Sex: _____

Spayed/Neutered Color/ Description: _____

Why are you giving up this pet? _____

How long have you owned this pet? _____

Where did you get this pet? _____

This pet has lived with Men Women Seniors Children— list ages: _____

Where does this pet spend most of its time?

Indoors only Outside only Other: _____
 Mostly indoors Mostly outside

Please describe any health problems this pet has or has had _____

Is the pet on any medications? Yes No

If so, please list: _____

Is the pet microchipped? Yes No. If Yes, to whom is it registered? _____

Is the pet licensed in any city or county? Yes No. If Yes, where? _____

How often does your cat urinate or defecate outside the litterbox? _____

How often does the cat spray? _____ When and where? _____

Is your cat declawed? Front Back All Four

Check as many of the following that describe your cat's behavior:

Outgoing Friendly Affectionate Independent Relaxed Playful Slow to Adjust
 Lap Cat Shy Talks/Vocal Aloof Rambunctious Lazy

Describe any behavior habits the new owners should be aware of: _____

What types of food does the cat eat? _____

Dry? _____ Canned? _____ Moist? _____

Is there anything else we should know about the cat? _____

Date _____

Employee ID _____