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Sault Ste. Marie & District SPCA (Humane Society) Small Animal Adoption Application

Name: _____ Phone: _____
Maiden Name: _____ Spouse/Co-Habitant: _____
Address: _____ Postal Code: _____
Email: _____ Date Of Birth: _____
Employer: _____ Identification: _____

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Date: _____
Cat's Name: _____
Staff: _____
Approved: **Yes No Pending**
Reason: _____

Your Family:

Who are you adopting the small animal for? Myself Other: _____
Number of adults (18+ years) at home: _____
Number of children at home: 0-7 years _____ 8-17 years _____
Any known "pet" allergies: YES NO

General Information:

Who will have the primary responsibility of the small animal? _____
Have you had this type of small animal before? YES NO
Have you adopted from us before? YES NO
Have you surrendered or given away a pet? YES NO
If yes please provide the reason: _____

Have you researched the costs involved in owning this small animal:

Vet/Medical: YES NO Food: YES NO Other supplies: YES NO

Your Pets:

Are there any other pets in your house hold? YES NO
What vet clinic do you use? _____

If yes, please list them:

Name	Breed	Age	Sex	Fixed?	
				YES	NO
				YES	NO
				YES	NO
				YES	NO

How are they with small animals? _____

Under what circumstances would you return this small animal?

Moving Too costly New baby Aggression Medical Reasons
Not enough time Behaviour problems

Have all the members of your household met this small animal? YES NO

Have you ever been convicted of neglect or cruelty to animals? YES NO

Which critter(s) are you interested in applying for?

SAULT STE. MARIE & DISTRICT SPCA (HUMANE SOCIETY)

"We speak for those who cannot speak for themselves."

Thank you for considering giving one of our homeless animals a permanent home. Since we may have several possible homes for the particular companion animal you desire, we assure you that if the home we choose is a home other than yours, it is no reflection on your ability to provide a good home for an animal. Before placing an animal into a home, we consider the personality and temperament of the animal as well as his/her needs. Since we are here for the animals, our first consideration is for the animal's happiness in his/her new surroundings. Please understand that the home you are able to provide for this animal may not meet his/her needs. Another animal may adapt to your lifestyle better.

The majority of the animals seeking a new home have come to us with little or no history. We try to maintain the healthiest environment possible for them, but minor ailments and disease are inevitable when housing animals that have more than likely never seen a veterinarian in their life. We strongly encourage you to take your new family member to a veterinarian of your choice within two weeks of adoption. If your new pet requires medical care, please contact the shelter as soon as possible. In **some** situations, we can provide assistance with the veterinary costs. Please note that fleas and worms are **not** considered an illness and the cost for treatment would be your responsibility. Our animal care procedures include an initial deworming treatment and any animals found with fleas, receives a topical treatment. Neither is considered fail-safe and follow-up should be done with your veterinarian.

I certify that I have read and fully understand the above information and understand that any misrepresentation of the application information can result in withdrawal of my application for adoption.

Further, I understand that all adoptions are at the discretion of authorized representatives of the Sault Ste. Marie & District SPCA (Humane Society) and completion of this form does not guarantee adoption.

DATE

SIGNATURE