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FOSTER CARER APPLICATION FORM

Please complete and return to the Secretary by e-mail to sthgippyanimalaid@gmail.com or by mail to PO Box 666, Wonthaggi VIC 3995.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Mobile Phone: _____

Email: _____

Occupation / Employer: _____

Please provide two personal references (name and number):

1. _____

2. _____

Please describe your home. Is it an apartment? House? Fenced? Animals kept inside or outside?

Will you be able to house the foster animals separate from your own animals? **Yes No**
If so, where in your house?

Have you ever provided foster care for animals before? Tell us about it.

List any foster limitations, if any, that you would like for us to know about?

Which type of animals can you foster? (Circle) **Dogs** **Cats** **Both**

What kind of foster care are you interested in? (circle)

Bottle feeding

Young – but can eat on their own

Mums with their litter

Adolescents (4 months – 8 months)

Adults (8 months old and older)

Other: _____

What duration of time could you foster? (circle all that apply) **One Week 2-3 Weeks 4 Weeks or more**

Do you have kids in the home? **Yes No** Ages: _____

If no, do you ever have kids visit your home? **Yes No** If so, how often?

Provide details of any animals you currently have. Which vet do you take them to and are they up to date on their vaccinations? (May we contact your vet for a reference? **(Yes No)**)

Tell us more about the animals currently in your home such as their personalities. Do they get along well with other cats or dogs?

Describe any medical conditions you and your resident animals have, such as treatments, special diet, medications, etc.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

- I understand that the animal(s) will at all times remain the sole property of South Gippsland Animal Aid (SGAA). I agree that every animal I provide foster care for must be physically returned to SGAA by the agreed date or at any time upon the request of SGAA. I also agree to return the animal(s) immediately if I am no longer able to provide adequate care.
- **I understand and acknowledge that I do not have any right or authority to keep, adopt, transfer, or place foster animals in other homes or with other individuals without permission of SGAA.**
- I agree to abide by local council laws regarding the requirement for an excess animal permit for the animals contained on my property if needed. I understand that this cost will be covered by SGAA but that it my responsibility to obtain the permit.
- I understand that all kittens aged 12 weeks or more need to be registered with my local council. I understand that this cost will be covered by SGAA but that it my responsibility to register the animal.
- I agree to provide the animal(s) good loving care, including at a minimum: adequate feed, adequate water, adequate shelter that is properly cleaned, adequate space in the primary enclosure for the particular type of animal depending upon its age, size, species and weight, adequate exercise and follow SGAA rules on transportation and veterinary care when needed.
- I understand that medicines and other supplies provided by SGAA are for use with foster care animals only, and are not to be administered to animals that are not the property of SGAA.
- I understand that all veterinary care must be authorized in advance by SGAA. I agree to personally incur the cost for any treatment that has not been so authorized.
- I agree to provide the appropriate people at SGAA with the necessary information and materials at any time (such as fecal samples or temperature/weight measurements) to enhance the care that I am providing to the foster animal(s).
- I agree to hold SGAA harmless from any direct or consequential damages arising out of this foster care arrangement.
- I acknowledge that SGAA may terminate this or any other foster care arrangement at any time in its sole discretion.
- I certify that no person residing in the household where the animals will be fostered has ever been charged with or convicted of animal cruelty, neglect or abandonment.

I certify that the above information is correct to the best of my knowledge. I also agree to follow all the rules, regulations and policies of SGAA.

Signature: _____

Date: _____