OWNED SURRENDER: CAT

Today’s Date: ___________ Cat’s Name: _____________________ Intake # ______________
Age _________ Breed____________________________________ Sex________
Spayed/Neutered? □ Yes □ No Declawed? □ Front □ Back □ Both □ Not declawed
Microchipped? □ Yes If yes, # __________________________ □ No

Why are you surrendering this cat? (Please provide as much information as you can.)
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How long have you owned the cat? __________ How many homes has the cat had? ______________
Where did you get the cat? ______________________________________________________________

Has the cat bitten a person in the last ten (10) days? □ Yes □ No
If yes, who was bitten:____________________________ Date of bite: ________ In what city?__________
Did the bite break skin? □ Yes □ No

Has the cat ever: □ Bitten □ Scratched □ Lunged □ Attacked □ None of these
If yes, did a bite break the skin? □ Yes □ No Was Animal Control involved? □ Yes □ No
Please explain the circumstances:________________________________________________________________________
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The cat’s veterinarian: _________________________ City & State ______________ Phone: __________________

Is the cat current on vaccinations? □ Yes □ No
Please list any past or present injuries, treatments or other medical history:
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Check all of the following that describe the cat:

□ Very active □ Couch potato □ Talkative □ Quiet □ Playful □ Friendly
□ Hunts birds □ Affectionate □ Fearful □ Likes to be touched
□ Independent □ Good mouser □ Indoor cat □ Outdoor cat
□ Nervous □ Easy to pick up □ Likes men □ Likes women

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Has the cat lived with children? ☐ Yes ☐ No If so, what ages: _______________

If so, how did the cat respond to the children? ________________________________________________________________

Has the cat lived with other cats? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how did the cat respond to the other cats? ______________________________________________________________

Has the cat lived with dogs? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how did the cat respond to the dog? ______________________________________________________________

How does the cat respond to visitors to the home? __________________________________________________________

How does the cat respond to being picked up? ______________________________________________________________

How does the cat respond to having its nails trimmed? __________________________________________________________

How does the cat respond to being groomed? ______________________________________________________________

How does the cat respond to being at the vet? ______________________________________________________________

What are the cat’s favorite activities or objects? __________________________________________________________

What does the cat dislike or fear? ______________________________________________________________

Where is the cat kept during the day? ______________________________________________________________

Where does the cat sleep at night? ______________________________________________________________

What brand of food do you feed the cat? ______________________________________________________________

What type of litter is the cat accustomed to using? __________________________________________________________

Is the cat litter selective? ______________________________________________________________

What are the cat’s litter box habits? ______________________________________________________________

Is there anything else a future owner should know about this cat? ______________________________________________________________

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Are you interested in learning about our Neuter & Return Program if this cat is feral? ___Yes ___No

(A feral cat is a free roaming, wild-living domestic cat that avoids human contact. It does not allow itself to be handled or touched by humans. Even with long-term attempts at socialization, feral cats usually remain fearful making life in the shelter extremely stressful for them. Feral cats are not adoptable.)
Release of Ownership

Animal’s Name: ____________________ Age: ________ Breed: ____________________ Sex: ________

My signature below certifies that I am the owner of, or have the authority to surrender to Heart of the Valley, Inc., the animal described above. I hereby relinquish all rights of ownership and any right to information on the disposition of said animal. I also authorize the release of any veterinary records regarding the animal. I certify that to the best of my knowledge I have disclosed all information about the animal concerning health, behavior, history and anything else that may affect the safe placement of the animal in a new home, and that all statements made are true and correct.

Signed_______________________________________________ Date________________________
Printed Name__________________________________________ Phone_______________________
Address__________________________________________ City________ State____ ZIP________

*Heart of the Valley spends an average of $450 on food, shelter, medical and other care for each animal we receive. If you are able, please consider making a donation to help us care for your pet. Thank you!

I hereby acknowledge that I have been notified of and fully understand the following conditions of my relinquishment of this animal:

______ Heart of the Valley shall have sole and exclusive legal right to make all outcome decisions and take all actions deemed appropriate, including return to owner, adoption, or euthanasia.

______ At no time in the future will Heart of the Valley communicate the outcome of the animal to you or any other party.

HOV Staff use only:

Staff initials: __________

Notes:
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