Pinellas County Pet Friendly Shelter Application

PET-FRIENDLY SHELTER INFORMATION SHEET

A Pet Friendly Shelter (PFS) should be your last choice in the event of evacuation with your pet. (Cats and dogs only.) Due to extreme limitations on space, please note that the pet-friendly shelters will only open for mandatory evacuations and may only accommodate portions of those citizens (and their pets) who dwell in mobile homes. Priority is given to mobile home residents, then zones A, B and C. You may view the evacuation zones at: www.pinellascounty.org/knowyourzone.

NOTE. Cages/crates must have secure doors and be large enough for the pet to stand and turn around in; cat crates should be big enough for a small litter pan. Plan to bring any medications and special foods required. Other dog and cat food, litter and water will be available at the PFS.

●At least one Adult family member must stay at the PFS with the pet.

●You are responsible for your own transportation to the PFS.

●Your pets should be current on all required vaccinations and licenses (proof must be provided).

●Every cat and dog must have an appropriate carrier/cage/crate as well as leash, and food/water dishes. It is also important to bring a supply of any medication the pet will require while at the shelter.

●Understand that living conditions in the PFS will be far from ideal.

This application may be downloaded on-line, sent by mail, faxed or emailed:

Pinellas County Animal Services
12450 Ulmerton Road
Largo, FL 33774
727-582-2637 (fax)
AnimalRequests@pinellascounty.org
On-line: http://www.pinellascounty.org/animalservices

If you have any questions, please call 727-582-2150, an unmanned line, and leave your message along with your name and number. Your call will be returned when the message is retrieved.

If completed on-line you will be required to sign the application upon arrival at the shelter.

** Submitting the application does not guarantee acceptance into the shelter. A tentative acceptance letter will be sent upon receipt and verification of eligibility BY EMAIL IF YOU SUBMIT AN EMAIL ADDRESS OR BY REGULAR POSTAL MAIL.

Shelter Locations:

John Hopkins - 701 16th Street South, St. Petersburg, FL 33705

Oak Grove - 1370 South Belcher Road, Clearwater, FL 33764

Dunedin Middle - 70 Patricia Avenue, Dunedin, FL 34698

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SHELTER REGISTRATION FORM

SHELTER PREFERENCE

OAK GROVE ☐

JOHN HOPKINS ☐

DUNEDIN ☐

Please print all sections

Last Name of person responsible for pets:	**First Name of Person responsible for pets:**	**CARE TAKER DRIVERS LICENSE#**
Address: City /State/Zip:	Hurricane Zone-_____ (A, B, C, D, E, MHP, NON)	
Home phone:	Cell phone/Other::	Emergency Contact Information:
If personal vehicle is on site: plate #/State: *(for security purposes only)*		

INFORMATION ABOUT INDIVIDUAL FAMILY MEMBERS **OFFICE USE ONLY**

Ck In	Name: *Last , First*	Age	Gender (M/F)	Arrival Date	Departure Date	Departing? Relocation address and phone

PET INFORMATION ******PLEASE COMPLETE A PET INFORMATION PAGE FOR EACH PET AND RETURN WITH APPLICATION******

Ck In	PET'S NAME	Weight	Species (dog, cat)	Breed	Color	Age	License #

Family member responsible for care/treatments: _____

I have read / been read and understand the Pinellas County PFS rules and agree to abide by them.

Family Member Signature
(Print and Sign)_____Date_____

SAVE A TREE; SUBMIT YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS AND RECEIVE ALL PFS CORRESPONDENCE BY EMAIL

EMAIL_____

Office use only:
Total family members
Registered: sheltered:

C019 4/18/16 lb

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INDIVIDUAL PET IDENTIFICATION FORM (1 Form per Pet)

Care Taker at PFS Drivers License or ID# _____

Owner's name: _____

Care Taker at Pet Friendly Shelter Name if different:_____

Home #:_____Cell #:_____Work #: _____

Address: _____

____ Dog _____ Cat Breed: _____ Sex: ___ Male ___ Female Age: _____

Spayed/Neutered: _____ Yes ____ No Weight: _____ Height: _____ Eye color: _____

Tail: _____ Hair color: _____ Hair length: _____

License#: _____ Tattoo: _____ Microchip: ____ Yes ____ No

If yes, Microchip#: _____

Vet's name: _____ Phone #: _____ Date of last vaccine: _____

List any medical conditions/allergies: _____

List any special medications: _____

General disposition: _____

List your pet's fears: _____

Is your pet good around children: _ Yes _ No

Is your pet good around dogs: __ Yes __ No

Is your pet good around cats: ___ Yes __ No

Specify identifying marks and/or features
That would help to ID your pet:

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Staple, glue or tape a recent photo of your pet here (or attach to back)

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REGISTRATION AND AGREEMENT RULES

I,_____(the owner of the pet(s) listed on the reverse side), understand that an emergency exists and that special arrangements have been made to allow my family and pets to remain together at this shelter facility. I understand and agree to abide by the pet care rules contained in this agreement and have explained them to any other family member accompanying me and my pet.

1. My pet will remain contained in a carrier approved by the animal care technician or code enforcement officer except at posted times designated by the shelter staff when I will be able to exercise my pet (if appropriate) and clean its carrier. Dogs will be on a leash any time they are not in their crate/carrier.

2. I agree to properly feed, water, medicate and generally care for my pet as instructed by the animal care technician or code enforcement officer.

3. I agree to properly sanitize the areas used by my pet, including performing proper waste disposal and disinfecting as instructed by the shelter official, animal care technician or code enforcement officer.

4. I agree that one designated person may be in charge of the animal and allowed in the animal housing area.

5. I certify that my pet is current on rabies and all other vaccinations recommended. I fully understand that if my animal should bite or scratch while housed at the shelter the said animal will have to undergo quarantine. State mandates will supersede any rules and Environmental Health will be notified to take over.

6. I will maintain proper identification on my pet at all times to include the neck band issued upon entry.

7. I will not permit any other shelter occupant to handle or approach my pet either while in its carrier or during exercise time. I will make sure the carrier door remains securely latched.

8. No aggressive animals will be allowed.

9. No animal will be accepted that show any sign of contagious disease (mange, etc.) or are infested with parasites (fleas, ticks, lice, etc.). I will permit, at the discretion of the shelter official, an Animal Care Technician, Code Enforcement Officer or Veterinarian to examine my pet to make this determination.

10. I further understand that if my pet becomes unruly or aggressive or begins to show signs of a stress related condition it may be removed to a more appropriate location.

11. I understand that any decisions concerning the care and welfare of my pet and the shelter populations as a whole are within the discretion of the shelter official, Animal Care Technician or Code Enforcement Officer.

12. I agree that any shelter owned equipment used by my pet or myself must remain at the facility and maintained in good, clean condition while I utilize it. All equipment must be left at the shelter upon the removal of my pet.

13. I agree that when it is announced the shelter is closing I must remove my animal from the property. Any animals that are not reclaimed and removed from the shelter will be relocated to the Pinellas County Animal shelter (12450 Ulmerton Road, Largo, FL 33774; phone 727-582-2600) or other shelter and will remain there as a stray as required by County Ordinance and state statute.

14. I agree that if at anytime I fail to follow the rules as set forth my pet and I will be asked to leave the facility.

I certify that my pet has no previous history of aggressive behavior to humans or animals. I certify that my pet has not been diagnosed with any contagious diseases and is parasite free.

I hereby agree to hold harmless all persons, organizations, corporations, or government agencies involved in the care and sheltering of my animals. I further agree to be responsible both personally and financially for any damage or injury created by me or my pet and to indemnify any persons or entities which may have suffered any loss or damage as a result of the care and sheltering of my animal.

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Animal Owner signature Date Witness signature Date