

## whia's Foster-to-Adopt Contract A 4-Week Trial Period for Adult Cats

## **COMPLETE THIS FORM IF**

- The Foster-to-Adopt (FTA) was approved by a board member
- The cat is an adult cat (6 months and older)
- The cat is fully vetted and ready to be adopted
- Cat will be in the home for a 4-week ONLY trial basis (no extensions)

## **GUIDELINES**

- The Foster-to-Adopt contract is done **INSTEAD** of the regular adoption contract.
- This option is **NOT** available to kittens (under 6 months) and **ONLY** applies to cats over 6 months old. NO EXCEPTIONS.
- Half of the adoption fee is collected at the time of FTA contract. If cat is adopted at the end of the trial period, the adopter pays remaining fee. If the cat is returned, the fee is considered a donation.
- The potential adopter does **NOT** receive the cat's full medical records until **AFTER** the adoption is finalized.
- The cat will remain the property of St. Sophia's Forgotten Felines for the duration of the 4-week trial basis.
- Although a cat is FTA, it will still be advertised as available. St. Sophia's can and will take applications for his/her adoption. The FTA home will be notified if an application comes in and given the chance to finalize the adoption or bring the cat out to be seen.
- Potential adopter must provide at their own expense food, water, litter, shelter, exercise, grooming, and training as required.
- ALL veterinary care that may be required **MUST** go through St. Sophia's vets. Anv unauthorized veterinary care will be the financial responsibility of the potential adopter.
- At the end of the 4-week trial period, the potential adopter must choose to either enter into an adoption contract or return the cat back to St. Sophia's (at any time during the week trial period the potential adopter may choose to finalize or return the cat).

