

# LINN COUNTY ANIMAL RESCUE

A Non Profit Equine Rescue Organization

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LINN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE – TIM K. MUELLER, SHERIFF

## HORSE FOSTER AGREEMENT

I \_\_\_\_\_, voluntarily agree to the following conditions:

\_\_\_\_ I understand that foster custody is not the same as ownership and that there are some restrictions that apply to the stewardship of the horse(s).

\_\_\_\_ I understand that fostering is a voluntary arrangement and that I am undertaking the responsibilities and liability without expectation of gain.

\_\_\_\_ I will keep the horse(s) at the "approved" location ONLY.

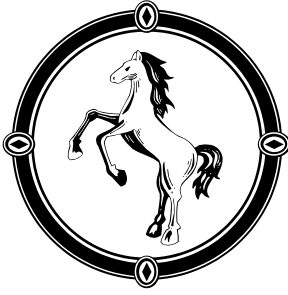
\_\_\_\_ I will allow any representatives of the LCSO or LCAR access to the horse(s) at any time to verify that he/she is in good health and has adequate care.

\_\_\_\_ I understand that the horse(s) I am fostering is not owned by me.

\_\_\_\_ I understand with an evidence horse only (not signed over to LCAR) I am not allowed to alter, show, compete with, or use as a work horse, nor am I allowed to transport the animal off the property unless being seen by a veterinarian or verified with LCAR.

\_\_\_\_ I understand with a seized horse the legal process is lengthy and the resolution may not be speedy. If I can no longer foster the horse(s), I will contact LCAR to make other arrangements.

\_\_\_\_ I understand that accurate record keeping is extremely important to an animal cruelty case. This is including but not limited to, vaccinations, worming, hoof trimming, and other veterinary care. I should also document any changes and/or improvements in the horse(s) behavior.



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## HORSE FOSTER AGREEMENT – CONTINUED

\_\_\_\_ I agree to only discuss the circumstances surrounding the horse(s) with the proper authority (LCSO Livestock Investigation Team or LCAR).

\_\_\_\_ I recognize that sharing the history or current health conditions of the horse(s), even with well-meaning friends and neighbors, could inadvertently compromise the integrity of any case. Knowing this, I will keep all matters strictly confidential.

\_\_\_\_ I will refer any inquiries regarding the horse(s) to LCAR.

\_\_\_\_ I will not speak to a member of the media about the horse(s). I understand if I do speak to media or others concerning the horse(s) or the case, I will no longer be asked to foster animals for LCAR.

\_\_\_\_ I fully understand and comprehend that if I violate any of the above mentioned items that I would lose the privilege to foster any animals from LCAR and would have to return to LCAR any that are in my possession.

\_\_\_\_ I HAVE READ THE PROVISIONS OF THIS DOCUMENT CAREFULLY AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY ALL THE CONDITIONS SET FORTH ABOVE.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_