

MidAmerica Boston Terrier Rescue
Foster Home Agreement

I agree to the following items as the role of a Foster parent and/or Babysitter of MABTR:

MABTR Responsibilities:

- Pay 100% of all medical care including any special food required. Standard care includes routine vaccinations, spaying or neutering, heartworm test, fecal test, deworming, and micro-chipping.
- Cover the cost of any medical treatment including grooming that becomes necessary during the time the Foster Dog is fostered.

Foster Home Expectations:

- Foster will provide care *without expectation of reimbursement* for any normal and customary out-of-pocket expenses: regular grooming to include bathing, brushing the coat, cleaning the ears, trimming nails, cleaning nose flaps and face wrinkles. This care shall include, but is not limited to, loving and humane treatment, proper and nutritional foods, regular exercise, and appropriate toys. To provide at all times fresh water, shelter from adverse weather and temperature extremes, **a safe fenced in yard or on leash for apartment homes**, and when necessary administer appropriate medication provided by MABTR.
- Foster will oversee the dog's medical and veterinary care with MABTR's approval. If the Foster Dog needs emergency medical treatment, Foster will provide necessary emergency care immediately, with no required pre-approval by MABTR.
- Foster will advise MABTR of any medical expenses over and above the standard vet care MABTR provides.
- Foster will not authorize veterinary treatments, procedures or medications without the prior approval and authorization of MABTR.
- Foster agrees to work with the Foster Dog on housebreaking and crate training, if necessary, and to address anything else which will help to make the Foster Dog more adoptable.
- Foster will not employ harsh training methods, will never physically or emotionally abuse the Foster Dog and will not let any other person or animal physically or emotionally abuse the Foster Dog.
- If, for any reason, Foster is not able to continue fostering, Foster agrees to notify MABTR immediately. MABTR will make arrangements for removal of the Foster Dog, and Foster agrees to cooperate in those arrangements.
- If the Foster Dog is lost, stolen or dies, Foster shall notify MABTR immediately.**

Foster Home Understands and Accepts the following:

- Foster Dog is to be kept as an "indoor only" dog (living inside the home), and the Foster Dog will not be left outside at any time without proper adult supervision or when no one is at home.
- Foster agrees that **at no time** will the Foster Dog be allowed to be off-leash outside of a fenced area.
- Foster grants MABTR and its representatives the right to inspect the Foster Dog's environment and living arrangements at any reasonable time while they are fostering. Foster agrees not to withhold access to Foster Dog.
- Foster Dog is and shall remain the sole property of MABTR at all times during the foster period. Foster further understands and acknowledges that Foster does not have any right or authority to keep or place the Foster Dog in any other home or with any other individual or in boarding, at any time. Temporarily or permanently moving the Foster Dog to, or placing the Foster Dog in, any other home or in boarding can only be done with the full knowledge and approval of MABTR, and must be done in advance of the Foster Dog's moving.
- Foster fully understands and agrees to assume all risks involved in any and all activities, tasks or duties performed for MABTR in a volunteer capacity. Foster understands that the behavior of domestic animals may be unpredictable and may result in serious personal injury or death as well as extensive property damage. Foster understands that while they are acting within the scope of their duties as a Foster family for MABTR they **agree to release, discharge and hold MABTR harmless from any and all liability, claims and damages arising out of or as a consequence of any personal injury or legal damages** that may result to members of the public or members in the Foster Home.
- Foster agrees that if they are found to be in default of any of the provisions of the Foster Agreement, the Foster Dog may be seized and removed from the Foster Home immediately, with no prior notice, and they further agree not to withhold the Foster Dog from MABTR.
- If Foster breaches the Foster Agreement, MABTR will be entitled to enforce its rights by action for specific performance. Foster agrees to pay all expenses incurred by MABTR in enforcing its rights under this Agreement, including reasonable attorney's fees.

By executing this Agreement, Foster acknowledges that they have read and fully understand this agreement, and fully abide by all the conditions, promises, terms and covenants made.

Printed Name of 1 st Volunteer			Date:		
Signature of 1 st Volunteer			Email:		
Signature of 2 nd Volunteer			Email:		
# of pets in the home:	Dogs:	Cats:	Compliant with City Ordinances including foster: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		
Address:			City:	State/Zip:	
Phone:			Phone:		
Home visit completed by:			HV complete date:		Foster Sign off: