



## HUMANE ANIMAL TRAP USE AGREEMENT

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**I agree to borrow and use the CatFriends humane animal trap(s) under the following terms and conditions:**

- 1. The trap will be used only for the purpose of trapping, neutering and returning cats to the area where they were trapped.**
- 2. The trap will never be left unattended while in use.**
- 3. The trap will not be set in such a way that the cats will be exposed to weather elements (e.g., sun, wind or rain).**
- 4. A trap containing a cat will be covered with a towel at all times.**
- 5. The trap containing the cat will not be transported in the trunk of a car and, if the trap is placed in the back of a truck, it will be covered and secured at all times.**
- 6. There is a required \$100 deposit (cash or check), which will be fully refunded in the same form of deposit, at the time trap is returned.**
- 7. The maximum loan period for the trap is twenty one (21) calendar days. Trap must be returned in good condition (cleaned and sanitized) and free from defect. If the trap is not returned on time, is damaged, dirty, lost/stolen, the \$100.00 deposit may not be returned.**
- 8. I agree to hold harmless, defend and indemnify CatFriends, its officers, directors, agents, and volunteers arising out of, or in any way connected to the trapping, transporting, recovery and release of the cat(s).**

TRAP(S) SHOULD BE RETURNED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of traps borrowed: \_\_\_\_\_

Trap Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that I am fully informed of the contents of this trap use loan agreement; that I have read and asked questions to clarify any of the information provided. By signing this document, I understand and agree to the above terms and conditions.

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

## **INSTRUCTIONS FOR SETTING HUMANE ANIMAL TRAP**

Push top half of trap door away from yourself; using your other hand, lift the lower half to the top of the trap. On the right side of the trap door is a hook. Pull the hook towards you as you gently place the trap door lever onto the hook. Slowly let go. If the trap door stays up, the trap is now set. The trap door is triggered when the animal steps on the plate located towards the backside of the trap.

## **BAIT SUGGESTIONS**

Use cooked chicken, canned tuna in oil, canned sardines in oil or canned cat food as bait. Line the floor of the trap with newspaper secured to the floor with tape (be sure to set the trap door up first, since this will raise the trigger platform slightly up off the floor). Place 1 teaspoon of bait at the mouth of the trap, place another teaspoon of bait about 6" into the trap and 2 teaspoons of bait at the back of the trap (behind the plate). Make sure the bait at the back of the trap is placed far enough to ensure the cat has to step on the trigger platform as it approaches the bait. For animals that are trap-smart, place the bait under the trigger platform or tie a piece of bait to the floor in the rear of the trap. To ensure the greatest level of success, CatFriends recommends fasting the cat(s) at least 24 hours prior to the trapping.