Danbury Animal Welfare Society, Inc.
147 Grassy Plain Street
Bethel, CT 06801

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DOG SURRENDER APPLICATION FORM

IMPORTANT: Completing this form does not guarantee that DAWS will take the dog you wish to surrender. Due to the overwhelming number of surrender requests, we must have your Surrender Application on file at the shelter before we can consider your dog for intake. Complete and return this form via email to daws@daws.org in hard copy to our shelter at 147 Grassy Plain Street, Bethel, Connecticut 06801. We will review the application and if we have space at the shelter, we will contact you. Please complete all the information below. The more detailed and descriptive you are about your dog, the better it will enable us to place him or her in the best home possible.

Thank You!

Owner's Information

Name_____

Address_____

City_____ ST_____ Zip Code_____

Phone Number_____

Email_____

Why are you surrendering this dog? _____

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Dog's General Information

Name_____ Age_____ Male_____ Female_____

Breed_____ Primary Color_____

Secondary Color_____

Spayed_____ Neutered_____

How long have you had this dog? _____

How old was your dog when you obtained him/her? _____

Where did you get this dog? _____

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Is the dog microchipped? _____

Dog's Medical Information

Has your dog been to the vet in the past year? _____

Please provide the name, address, and phone number of the veterinarian:

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Name medical records are under_____

Has the dog been vaccinated against Rabies? _____ Distemper?_____

Is he/she up to date on vaccinations? _____

Has the dog been tested for Heartworm? _____

What is the date of the last flea/tick prevention? _____ Heartworm pill?_____

Does your dog have any medical issues? _____

If yes, please explain

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Does your dog take any medication?_____

If yes, please provide the names of the meds_____

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Is the dog pregnant? _____

Dog's Behavioral Information

How would you describe your dog's behavior? Please check and explain all that apply

_____Couch potato _____
_____Friendly to all members of the family _____
_____One family member is his/her person _____
_____Friendly to visitors _____
_____Shy with visitors _____
_____Playful _____
_____Vocal _____
_____Affectionate _____
_____Independent _____
_____Likes to be groomed _____
_____Likes to be pet _____
_____Plays with toys _____

How does your dog respond to:

Cats_____

Other dogs_____

Strangers_____

Children_____

Has your dog lived with other animals? _____

If yes, what types? _____

How did they get along? _____

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Has your dog ever bitten anyone? _____

Acted aggressively? _____

What is the dog's home environment? (house, apartment) _____

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Is he or she limited to certain areas? _____

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What is the activity level like in the dog's home? _____

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Please tell us more about your dog's behavior and personality_____

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In consideration of the mutual promises contained in this Agreement, and other good and valuable considerations, intending to be legally bound, Danbury Animal Welfare Society, Inc. (DAWS) and the undersigned ("you") agree as follows:

1. **Permanent Surrender**. You are permanently surrendering to us the dog described as:

   Name:_____ Age:_____ Sex: _____Male _____Female

   You agree that you, your spouse and/or co-owners, if any, are irrevocably transferring and relinquishing to us legal ownership of the dog on the date of the surrender. This gives us complete authority to take whatever actions in our sole judgment are necessary and are in the best interest of the dog.

2. **No Guarantees**. We will care for the dog while we try to find a good home for it. We make no representations or guarantees about our arrangements for the dog.

3. **No Liability**. We are not liable to you for any losses, injuries, damages, costs, expenses, or liabilities whatsoever sustained or incurred by you in connection with your surrender of the dog, and our subsequent adoption, foster, or other arrangements or disposition for the dog.

4. **Entire Agreement; Modifications; Binding Effect.** This written agreement contains the sole and entire agreement between DAWS and you and supersedes any other agreements between you and us with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement. No modifications of this Agreement will be valid unless in writing duly signed by both you and us. This Agreement will be binding on our and your respective heirs, personal representatives, executors, successors and assignees.

5. **We require a donation of $200 for altered and $400 for non-altered, to cover the verinarian costs.**

Date:_____

Surrendering Party Name: DAWS Representative Name:

Surrendering Party Signature DAWS Representative Signature:

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