

Lincoln County Animal Services

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LINCOLN COUNTY ANIMAL SERVICES LOOKING TO RECRUIT FOSTER PARENTS AT FOSTER RECRUITMENT SESSIONS

What does it mean to be a foster parent for a cat or dog?

A foster parent is an animal lover who generously volunteers to take shelter animals in need into their home for a short period of time, until they are ready to be made available for adoption!

Why would a sheltered cat or dog need a foster parent?

Animals are fostered for a variety of reasons. Some are too young for adoption, some need a home in which to recover after a medical procedure, some are pregnant or nursing, and others may need more socialization. Foster families provide the love and stability these pets need to be happy and healthy, both mentally and physically. When a shelter animal has been in a foster home, he or she is more confident and social; therefore they will transition into their forever home with greater ease!

How long will you be foster parent for?

Generally, the foster time period ranges from 2-4 weeks. The time period can vary, however, depending on the needs of each pet.

What sort of animals needs foster parents?

Orphan puppies and kittens, pregnant moms/moms with babies, dogs or cats in need of socialization, dogs or cats being treated for medical reasons, and adoptable animals due to space needed in the shelter.

What is provided to foster parents?

Lincoln County Animal Services will provide you with all the supplies necessary, including food, bowls, toys, a crate, etc. We will also give you the training you need to care for your new foster pets. Additionally, any medical needs, check-ups or health issues will be taken care of through Lincoln County Animal Services contracted veterinarians, at no cost to you.

JOIN US AT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING SESSIONS TO LEARN MORE AND SIGN UP TO FOSTER!

Saturday, March 3rd, 11:00am-12:30pm @ Lincoln County Animal Services Monday, March 12th, 6:30pm-8:00pm @ East Lincoln Community Center Saturday, March 17th, 11:00am-12:30pm @ Lincoln County Animal Services

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