



Doggy Day Out Agreement

Thank you for your interest in our Doggy Day Out Program! Animal Shelters are high-stress environments for many dogs and getting the opportunity to leave and get some exercise makes a huge difference! Once approved, you will be able to take a shelter dog for up to 3 hours. Through this program, our shelter dogs will be given the ability to relieve stress and anxiety in a healthy and fun way!

Policies and Procedures:

- Only pre-approved dogs will be available for this program.
- Before leaving the shelter, dogs must have a martingale collar, leash, and microchipped.
- All participants must sign dogs out before leaving, with the date, time and participants phone number.
- All participants must be at least 18 years old and have a current driver's license, state issued ID, passport, or a valid government photo ID.
- All dogs are required to be back by 4pm.

Important Reminders:

- Always secure your dog in the car. Some of these dogs may have only been in a vehicle a couple times and we want you both to be safe.
- Take lots of photos and videos! These will be used on social media to help them get adopted. Please send to the SMASh Facebook page or email to sarah.shull@mansfieldtexas.gov
- Be aware of your surroundings. Be on the lookout for off leash dogs while on walks/hikes. Warn other dog owners that these are shelter dogs and are not always comfortable with other dogs.
- If you plan to take a dog home, please be sure your fence is in good order.

In Case of an Emergency:

- If there is a dog bite or medical emergency, call 817-276-4799 immediately. Stay on scene if another person is bitten, as we will need their information. If you can't reach the shelter at the number above, please call the police non-emergency line at 817-473-0211.
- If the dog escapes, call the shelter immediately with the location and direction that the dog is heading.

Initial each clause stating you have read and understand the policy and procedures.

_____ I agree to be responsible for the care and custody of any shelter animal(s) in my possession.

_____ I agree to comply with all city ordinances, state laws, and shelter guidelines to ensure the proper care and protection of the shelter animal(s) in my possession.

_____ I understand that the City of Mansfield is granting me temporary custody of the shelter animal(s) and I have no legal right to said animal(s).

_____ I understand that any shelter animal(s) I am introducing my pet to might show behavior that could result in distress or injury to me and/or my child or my pet. I also understand that I and/or my child, or my pet could be exposed to illness.

_____ I am knowingly and voluntarily participating with an understanding of the risks involved and hereby agree to accept and assume any and all risks of injury, illness, death or property damage I and/or my child or pet incur, whether caused by negligence of the city or otherwise.

_____ I agree not sue or hold liable the City of Mansfield from any and all liabilities, claims, injuries or damages that may occur to me, my child, my pet or property.

By signing below, I have read and understood this Doggy Day Out Agreement and have initialed each clause above.

Print Full Legal Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Signature: _____ Date & Time: _____