

BOARDING CONTRACT

Name: _____ Phone No.: _____

Address: _____

Pet's Name: _____ Breed/Species: _____

Sex: _____ Age: _____ Color: _____

All animals are boarded, handled, or cared for by us without liability on our part for loss or damage from disease, death, fire, injury to persons, other animals, or property by said animals, or other unavoidable causes. Each animal is insured for up to \$2,000.00. Each occurrence is insured for up to \$50,000.00.

If an animal becomes seriously ill, we will attempt to notify the owner or the designated emergency contact person. In the event the owner does not immediately inform us of desired measures to be taken, or if the state of the animal's health demands immediate action, we reserve the right to have our veterinarians or veterinarians of Essex County Veterinary Emergency Hospital administer necessary medical treatments within our discretion and judgment. Such expenses shall be paid for by the owner upon dismissal of the animal.

Some exotic pets are considered prey animals and may become extremely stressed in a boarding environment. Although rare, such stress can lead to death in exotic pets. I understand and assume the risk associated with boarding exotic pets.

If an animal is not picked up within 30 days after the scheduled discharge date, it will be disposed of by us as we see fit. Notice in writing of such intent will be mailed to the owner by registered mail at the address given hereon. The owner shall be held liable for all charges.

We are not responsible for the loss or damage of any belongings, such as blankets or toys that are brought in with the animal.

The owner represents that he/she is the legal owner of said animal and that said animal is not mortgaged in any way. The above mentioned animals have not been exposed to distemper, parvo virus, rabies or kennel cough within the past thirty days.

I have read and have been advised of common boarding ailments that may occur during boarding. I understand these protocols and the measures that will be taken should my pet become ill. I agree to pay all associated fees that may incur due to medical treatment provided by Muddy Creek and/or Essex County Veterinary Emergency Hospital upon dismissal of my pet.

Signed: _____ Date: _____
(Owner or appointed guardian of animal)

This contract is legal and binding and will be a part of the animal's permanent record.