



FAIRFAX COUNTY ANIMAL SHELTER DONATIONS GUIDELINES

SHELTER USE

- NEW OR GENTLY USED
 - Bath towels
 - Hand towels
 - Fleece blankets
 - Stuffed dog toys
 - Cat toys
 - Food bowls:
 - Ceramic
 - Small (cat and small mammal sized)
 - Martingale collars
 - Slip lead leashes
 - Easy walk harnesses
 - Small mammal enrichment
- NEW ONLY
 - Unopened prescription food:
 - i/d, EN or other GI food
 - c/d, s/o or other *urinary* food (not kidney)
 - z/d, Hydrolyzed Protein or other hypoallergenic food
 - Tennis balls
 - SOFT treats only
 - Cat scratchers

FOSTER USE

- NEW OR GENTLY USED
 - X-pens
- NEW ONLY
 - KMR
 - Kitten wet/dry food
 - Miracle nipples
 - Other neonate kitten supplies
 - Pee pads
 - Snuggle safe
 - Heartworm prevention

COMMUNITY DISTRIBUTION

- NEW OR GENTLY USED
 - Collars (non-martingale)
 - Fixed leashes (not slip leads)
 - Dog harnesses (not easy walk)
 - Collapsible dog crates
- NEW ONLY
 - Unopened, unexpired pet food
 - Unopened cat litter
 - Flea/tick preventatives
 - Cat carriers

FCAS CANNOT ACCEPT

- Any damaged or heavily used item
- Bedding
 - Sheets
 - Comforters
 - Knit blankets
 - Pillows
 - Cushions
 - Sleeping bags
- Used litter boxes
- Dog diapers
- Homemade treats of any kind
- Prescription medications (it is illegal)
- Homemade dog toys of any kind
- Any open food/treats
- Used cat scratchers
- Cat trees
- Styrofoam products
- Rugs/carpets
- Human clothing
- Used plastic crates/carriers/cages
- Pet ramps/stairs
- Plastic bowls
- Retractable leashes
- Prong collars
- Hard treats – bones, rawhide, etc.



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DONATION REFERRAL ORGANIZATIONS

HUMANE SOCIETY OF FAIRFAX COUNTY

4057 Chain Bridge Road
Fairfax, VA 22030

Accepts:

- Rope toys
- Rawhides
- Plastic dog bowls
- Cat scratchers
- Cat trees

14 min from West Ox
23 min from Lorton

LOST DOG & CAT RESCUE FOUNDATION

6801 Wilson Boulevard
Falls Church, VA 22044

Accepts:

- Dog toys
- Beds
- Plastic bowls

22 min from West Ox
30 min from Lorton

HOMEWARD TRAILS ANIMAL RESCUE

11116 Fairfax Station Road
Fairfax Station, VA 22039

Accepts:

- Recently opened food
- Toys
- Crates and carriers

11 mins from West Ox
17 mins from Lorton

WILDLIFE RESCUE LEAGUE

donations@wildliferescue.org

(703) 440-0800

Accepts:

- Opened and expired dog and cat food, wet or dry
- Scratching posts
- Toys
- Cloth diapers
- Infant receiving blankets
- Small stuffed animals
- Bed linens